



News Bulletin

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LATEST UPDATES

AMM Community Leadership Award



Association of Manitoba Municipalities (AMM) Central District Director **Nancy Penner** presented

the **AMM Community Leadership Award** in partnership with [Volunteer Manitoba](#). Congratulations to the [Central Station Volunteer Team](#) in the [City of Winkler](#)!

The **AMM Community Leadership Award** honours individuals and groups who donate their time to advance community-driven, innovative and sustainable solutions to their municipality's most pressing challenges.

Municipal World *Shares* Podcast - Leading the Way for Manitoba Municipalities



Denys Volkov, Executive Director of the Association of Manitoba Municipalities (AMM), joins Municipal World Editor Scott Vokey to discuss how AMM works, the key issues the organization is tackling, and what he has learned in his 19 months leading the organization.

Click [HERE](#) to listen to the full podcast.

AMM interviewed by CTV Live Community Connection

AMM Executive Director Denys Volkov appeared on CTV Live Community Connection to discuss how the AMM helps to achieve strong and effective municipal government throughout Manitoba.

Click [HERE](#) to watch the full interview.



National Centre for Truth and Reconciliation - Light the Country Orange for September 30th

Please be advised that NCTR is asking all governments at every level and communities across Canada to light up their exterior buildings and landmarks with the colour ORANGE on **September 30, 2021**.

Click [HERE](#) for more info.



WELCOMING WEEK

The [Immigration Matters](#) team, invite you to participate in Welcoming Week! This international celebration brings together new and long-time residents to build strong connections and foster a sense of belonging.

From **September 10 to 19, 2021**, show how your community creates welcoming spaces that help everyone, including immigrants, feel safe and accepted. Successful integration is a 2-way street: the more welcoming communities are, the more newcomers feel at home and contribute locally.

Click [HERE](#) for more info on how to participate.

Conservation and GROW Trust Call for Letters of Interest



The Manitoba Habitat Heritage Corporation (MHHC) Spring 2022 call for Conservation and GROW Trust Letters of Interest **will open on Tuesday, September 7, 2021.**

The **Conservation Trust Letter of Interest process** will close on **October 8, 2021.**
The **GROW Trust Letter of Interest process** will close on **October 15, 2021.**

Letter of Interest application information and criteria will be available on www.mhhc.mb.ca on September 7th.

Community Energy Efficiency Program

Efficiency Manitoba will be accepting funding applications for the [Community Energy Efficiency Program](#) from **September 1 to November 30, 2021.** This program offers municipalities the opportunity, support, and resources to hire an energy efficiency advocate to create and

implement community energy efficiency plans with guidance from Efficiency Manitoba's team of experts.

These plans help communities lower their overall energy consumption by enabling participation in Efficiency Manitoba's programs for energy efficiency upgrades. Hired by the municipality, the energy efficiency advocate helps foster a culture of conservation in the community, empowering its citizens to participate in energy-saving initiatives. Community participation in energy efficiency programs will lead to energy and bill savings in the municipality's homes and businesses.

Efficiency Manitoba pays for **80%** of the advocate's salary up to a **maximum of \$40,000 each year for two years**. Frequent and direct access to Efficiency Manitoba's program staff and technical experts is provided, assisting with energy efficiency training.

Check out the [program guide](#) to find out how to submit a funding application.

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PLUS: Articles from Ministers Johnson, Ewasko, and Gordon

As we look to stay in our own backyards this summer, what better way to explore new places than to open up our Special Report which Explores Municipal Manitoba. Flip open this issue of the Municipal Leader to explore Manitoba's trails, lakes and parks across Manitoba. As municipalities are working hard to adapt to increased tourism within their communities, let's all do our part to ensure recreational areas remain pristine for all to enjoy.

This issue also features articles from Minister Wayne Ewasko discussing Manitoba's Growing Regional Economies, an article from Minister Derek Johnson, discussing Enhanced Economic Growth through Improved Land-Use Planning as well as an article by Minister Audrey Gordon, talking about Mental Health Recovery initiatives, as just a few articles in this jam-packed issue

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