



News Bulletin

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We hope you enjoy this copy of the AMM News Bulletin. Click [HERE](#) to download a PDF version.

LATEST UPDATES

THANK YOU!!!

*Honouring Yesterday,
Treasuring Today, Shaping Tomorrow.*



A time to share ideas, learn about innovative products and services available to municipalities, meet the recently elected members of the Provincial Cabinet and MLAs, and hear interesting and motivating speakers...and celebrate!

Thank you to each delegate who attended AMM's 25th Anniversary Convention!

Presentations from breakouts will be posted in the [Document Library](#) as they are received.

People First HR Services has asked members to share their feedback on the Navigating Conflict breakout session [here](#).

Our generous sponsors help make this event happen! A big thank you to



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MMA Mentorship Program

The MMA is thrilled to announce the launch of our new Mentorship Program, designed to foster growth, learning and stronger connections within our organization.

The Manitoba Municipal Administrators Mentorship Program is a dynamic initiative aimed at fostering professional growth and collaboration among municipal administrators in Manitoba. This program brings together experienced Mentors and motivated Mentees to create a supportive environment for learning, sharing insights, and navigating the unique challenges of municipal administration.

Our mission is to empower municipal administrators through mentorship, creating a culture of knowledge-sharing and skill development. We believe that by connecting seasoned professionals with emerging talent, we can contribute to the continued success and excellence of municipal administration in Manitoba.

Ready to take the next step in your professional development journey? Whether you're interested in becoming a Mentor or a Mentee, we invite you to apply for the Manitoba Municipal Administrators Mentorship Program. We are currently accepting applications for the first program intake, which will start in February 2024. Applications will be accepted until December 29, 2023.

Click [HERE](#) for more information

Rail Safety Improvement Program (RSIP) Call for Proposals (Research and Education)

Transport Canada's Rail Safety Improvement Program (RSIP) is launching a **Call for Proposals** under the new **Research and Education** component with the following two sub-streams to which you can apply:

- Education and Awareness
- Research and Technology

Note that Education and Awareness projects will be prioritized over Research and Technology projects for this Call for Proposals.

Information sessions will be offered in English and French to provide an overview of relevant program information, review the application process, and answer questions. Please watch for a calendar invite in your inbox for details. The sessions are tentatively scheduled for **December 14, 2023**.

For more information about this funding opportunity, please visit the Rail Safety Improvement Program website, <https://tc.canada.ca/en/programs/funding-programs/rail-safety-improvement-program>.

If you have questions in advance of the information sessions, please contact TC.RSIP-PASF.TC@TC.GC.CA.

The deadline to apply for this Call for Proposal is January 24, 2024 (12:00 a.m. PST).



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Cybersecurity is increasingly important, and the cost/impact of a cybersecurity incident continues to rise. A cybersecurity assessment allows organizations to identify areas where they are weakest, and provides a clear roadmap to addressing the risks and gaps that could be exploited and cause a significant issue.

AMM has negotiated an agreement with [Bloom Software Co.](#) to offer cybersecurity audits to AMM municipal members.

Bloom's assessment model addresses the key areas that are of greatest concern, discusses and defines them in plain language, and provides organizations the ability to make informed decisions about their own priorities to set an implementation plan.

- [Click here to learn how your municipality can benefit.](#)
- [Click here to view the Cybersecurity Audit Service webinar presentation for AMM members.](#)

Visit [AMM Cyber Security Audit webpage](#) for more info.

Insurance Program



Re: AMM General Insurance Program – Claims Reporting and Contacts

In close partnership with our dedicated in-house claims service team, we are enclosing a [summary of what to expect when a new claim is reported](#) and the individual parties involved throughout your claim.

At Western Financial Group – we take our responsibility for your claims experience very seriously.

In addition to your Claims Support Team, you can also expect the following from your Commercial Service Team:

Claims Support:

- Receive and report your claims, same day
- Resource for reviewing existing coverage, and wordings
- Provide support and assist in file escalation, as needed

General Service Expectations:

- Prompt attention to your phone calls and messages same or next business day
- Emails to be acknowledged same or next business day
- Dedicated professional and knowledgeable service team

We are pleased to also attach an [updated contact sheet for your AMM Insurance Program Service Team](#), here at Western Financial Group.

-Your AMM Insurance Service Team



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[TogetherAll](#) – a mental health platform for all AMM members.

Western Financial Group in partnership with the AMM are proud to provide access through to the TogetherAll platform – a powerful mental health support resource for all members, **premium free.**

[TogetherAll](#) is an online mental health platform and provides access to community and professional support 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. The service is proven to help those who are struggling with stress, isolation, anxiety, and other common mental health issues.

Click the link below to learn more about this valuable resource and to register yourself and your employees: www.togetherall.com

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or

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Although snow has arrived across Manitoba, our Fall issue is hot off the press! Flip open the latest issue of the Municipal Leader to learn about our 25th Annual 2023 AMM Fall Convention as well as an update on our “Let’s Grow Manitoba Together” Provincial Election Campaign.

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It’s worth highlighting that this year marks a record number of policy successes in the history of AMM – with 21 municipal policy commitments!

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