

#### **News Bulletin**

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November 5, 2021

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#### LATEST UPDATES

AMM Invites ALL Municipal Officials to the 2021 Annual Fall Convention

### **ACTIONABLE LEADERSHIP**



AMM is pleased to offer unlimited delegate registration to elected AND appointed municipal officials wishing to attend the in person convention, as the 50% capacity limit for gatherings allows.

Both In Person and Zoom registration forms are live on the <u>AMM Convention</u> <u>Webpage.</u>

Registration is available until 12:00 pm (noon) on November 8, 2021.

#### IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR IN-PERSON EVENT

- Being MAILED TO YOUR MUNICIPAL OFFICES NEXT WEEK, with tracking, are: 1) the Wrist Bands (REQUIRED TO GAIN ENTRY), 2) Name Badges and 3) pre-ordered Gala tickets.
- WRISTBANDS MUST BE WORN to get onto the Convention floors.
- MUNICIPAL STAFF be sure to distribute these items to the IN-PERSON DELEGATES before they leave for Winnipeg as they require the bands to get onto Convention floors.
- REGISTERED IN-PERSON DELEGATES be sure to PICK UP these items, ESPECIALLY the WRIST BANDS, from your municipal office before you leave for Winnipeg as you need them to get onto the AMM convention floors.
- 1. Wristbands the wristband identifies AMM Convention delegates to security staff at the immunization authorization location, situated at the entrance to the convention areas. Your wristband MUST BE WORN for the duration of the Convention. This site is also where you will need your PHOTO ID and PROOF OF VACCINATION.
- **2.** Name Badges to limit in-person touch sites, the name badges are also being sent to the municipal offices.

The lanyards, to attach them to, will be on tables in the York the first morning before the Minister's Forum. These are **NOT REQUIRED** to gain access to event but there will be no replacements offered and they are nice way to 'remember' names.

3. Gala Tickets – We are also sending you the gala ticketsordered by your municipality for the Gala evening Monday. These MUST BE PRESENTED to enter the Gala, no replacements can be offered, please make sure you have these Monday evening. You will also require Photo ID and Proof of vaccination.

#### ONLY 3 THINGS LEFT TO DO ONCE YOU ARRIVE:

1. Assign ONE registered delegate (with photo ID and proof of vaccination) to pick up delegate GIFTS for ALL registered IN-PERSON and ZOOM delegates:

WHERE: 3<sup>rd</sup> floor concourse, South building of the RBC Convention Centre

BEST TIME: SUNDAY November 21 - 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm 2<sup>nd</sup> BEST: MONDAY November 22 - 10:30 am to 3:00 pm

- 2. On Monday head straight to the 1<sup>st</sup> floor of South Building, York Ballroom and select your table as your council's home-base for both days. Complimentary face masks, lanyards for your name badges and Convention handbooks will be on tables, be sure you get one of each! Masks must always remain on in the RBC Convention Centre and in all event rooms unless consuming food/beverage at your table.
- 3. ENJOY the convention, visit our loyal Displayers and STAY SAFE!

**Attending the Gala - PLEASE REMEMBER:** 

- Ticket holders to the Gala, MUST SHOW photo ID, Manitoba Vaccination card or digital QR code to enter the room.
- Delegates MUST PROVIDE tickets (SENT TO YOUR MUNICIPALITY WITH WRIST BANDS AND NAME BADGES) to enter Gala Evening room, Hall C, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor south building.

#### **RBC Convention Centre Mask Wear FAQ**

**Do I have to wear a mask while attending an event at the Convention Centre?** Yes. To limit any potential health risks, all attendees, staff and anyone affiliated with an event, are required to wear masks.

#### I am attending the AMM Convention, do I have to wear a mask?

Yes, masks **must** remain on even while seated but can be removed **temporarily** when eating or drinking

#### **AMM tours Manitoba's Parkland Region**



On November 4, 2021, The Association of Manitoba Municipalities (AMM) concluded meetings with local Councils from Manitoba's Parkland Region. The AMM makes it a priority to meet one-on-one with each of its member municipalities at least once during each four-year election cycle.

Click **HERE** for the full AMM News Release

#### **Municipal Board Planning Appeals Survey**

## Modernizing the Planning System in Manitoba



Manitoba Municipal Relations is currently conducting a survey on Municipal Board Planning Appeals

Survey Open: October 20-November 10

Click <u>HERE</u> to take the Survey

#### **Accessible Employment Standard Regulation - Compliance Notice**

Compliance Notice - Accessible Employment Standard

#### **Care for Your Mental Health**

The COVID-19 pandemic brings a high level of stress and anxiety as it rapidly changes the way we work, socialize and live.

Caring for your mental health is important in these times. If you need help or know someone who does, you are not alone.

Click **HERE** to learn more

**Trails MB Grant Program 2021-2022** 



Check **HERE** for more info

#### Municipal challenges addressed by partnering with Mitacs



Municipalities can access funding, talent, and solutions to challenges through Mitacs, a not-for-profit organization that fosters growth and innovation in Canada. Through Mitacs's internship programs, municipalities can access a range of research expertise and specialized skills from Canada's postsecondary institutions to advance innovation, policy, and local projects.

Mitacs interns — ranging from college and polytechnic students, university undergraduate and graduate students, to postdoctoral fellows — can help municipalities address a broad range of challenges from infrastructure renewal including waterways and roads, to agricultural and food supply issues, to COVID-19 pandemic-related concerns.

https://discover.mitacs.ca/municipality-support/



MMAA - Asset Management Webinar Series



The Government of Manitoba initiated the Manitoba Climate Resilience Training (MCRT) Project, funded through the Building Regional Adaptation Capacity and Expertise (BRACE) Program of Natural Resources Canada. The MCRT Project offers capacity building training to Manitoba Businesses, Infrastructure Designers, Planners and Indigenous Communities through a set of training courses tailored to the Manitoba context.

Click <u>HERE</u> to register and learn more about this **FREE** Training

#### **AMM PROGRAMS & SERVICES**

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Public Procurement Summit 2021: The Path Forward
November 17, 2021, 10:00 AM CST

This Canada-wide event will bring procurement information and support to public sector and notfor-profit organizations from coast to coast!

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#### **Municipal Leader Fall 2021**



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