



News Bulletin

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September 24, 2021

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LATEST UPDATES

Province Launches Community Roundtables to Develop Action Plan for Mental Health, Wellness and Recovery

The Manitoba government is launching community roundtable sessions and a public survey as it develops an action plan to guide a strong, co-ordinated system for prevention, treatment and recovery - Mental Health, Wellness and Recovery Minister Audrey Gordon

For more information and to provide input on the action plan, visit <https://engagemb.ca/mental-health>.

Click [HERE](#) for the full Provincial News Release

Efficiency Manitoba NEW Innovation Fund



Municipalities are ELIGIBLE applicants under Efficiency Manitoba's new Innovation Fund! Eligible projects can receive funding of up to 75% of the project cost to a maximum of \$250,000.

Click [HERE](#) to learn more

Net-Zero Communities Accelerator Program



QUEST, Eco-West Canada, and the Community Energy Association are seeking small- to mid-sized communities/municipalities interested in accelerating projects and plans to save energy and emissions to participate in a 2-year Net-Zero Communities Accelerator Program.

The purpose of the program is to establish a community energy and emissions accelerator to equip a group of communities/municipalities in Western Canada with the tools and knowledge to develop and implement high-impact projects and community energy and emissions plans, and understand the economic benefit they can provide.

[Net-Zero Communities Accelerator Program Expression of Interest](#)

2022 FWEF Intake now open!



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The call for the Fish and Wildlife Enhancement Fund (FWEF) Letters of Interest for the Spring 2022 intake is now open.

FWEF provides funding to organizations supporting the enhancement of fish and wildlife initiatives. Up to \$950,000 is available for non-profit groups, local agencies, and research organizations to apply for grant funding from the new fund.

For more information on the FWEF, including the proposal process, visit the Manitoba Habitat Heritage Corporation website: mhhc.mb.ca/fwef
The deadline for Letter of Interest submission is **October 28, 2021**.

Manitoba Hydro Utility Tree Trimming Policy - Change October 5th, 2021

[Manitoba Hydro Tree Trimming Communication](#)

FCM-RAC Proximity Guidelines Questionnaire

The Proximity Guidelines were established in 2003 to build common approaches for the prevention and resolution of issues that arise when people live and work near railway operations. The Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM) and the Railway Association of Canada (RAC) promote the Guidelines through the Proximity Initiative.

As the Proximity Guidelines have been available for municipalities to use for nearly 20 years, we are reaching out to our communities across the country to gather important data that will highlight areas we need to emphasize as we prepare to update the Guidelines by 2023.

Click [HERE](#) to Take the Survey

Canada's Core Public Infrastructure Survey (CCPI)

Information for Survey Participants – The purpose of this survey is to collect statistical information on the inventory, condition, performance and asset management strategies of core public infrastructure assets owned or leased by various levels of the Canadian government. The information you provide may be used by Statistics Canada for other statistical and research

Collection Period: September 15 - December 22, 2021

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[TAKE THE SURVEY](#)

Volunteer Manitoba 2021 Fall Workshop



[Restart, Refresh, Recharge - Volunteer Manitoba's Fall Workshop Calendar](#)

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AMM collaborates with the Canoe Procurement Group of Canada to bring cooperative purchasing programs to members throughout the province. Programs allow municipalities, public sector entities, and not-for-profit organizations to procure a huge range of goods and services needed in everyday operations from office supplies to heavy construction equipment. In this issue, we look at some of the many facets of procuring through AMM and Canoe.

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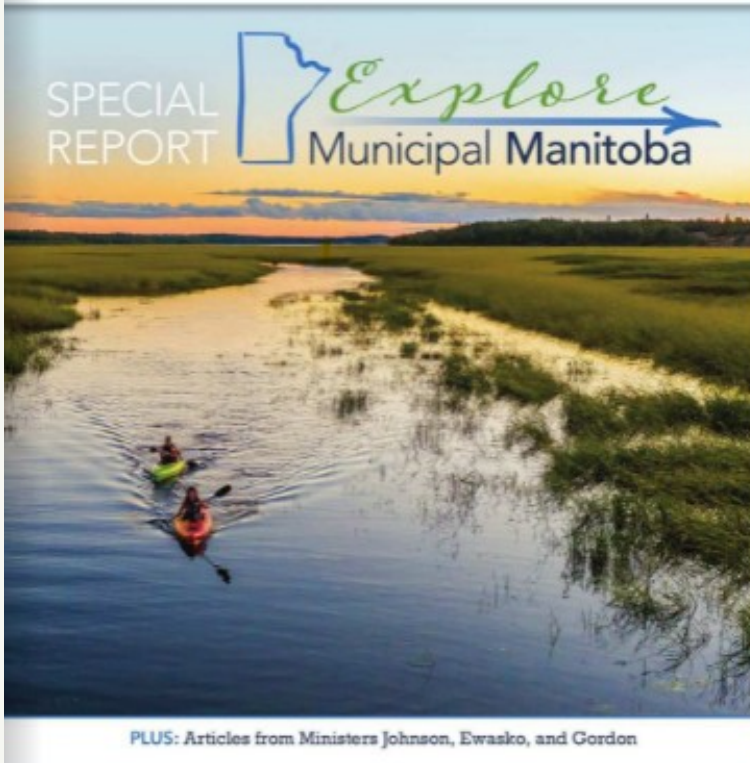
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As we look to stay in our own backyards this summer, what better way to explore new places than to open up our Special Report which Explores Municipal Manitoba. Flip open this issue of the Municipal Leader to explore Manitoba's trails, lakes and parks 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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