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AMO Matters

To learn about the latest in waste diversion, [register today](#) for our webinar on February 18, from 1-2 pm.

Looking to digitally manage your engagement with the public and interactions across municipal departments efficiently? AMO's partner [Frequency Foundry](#) has the solution and is pleased to offer the [Signal 311](#) CRM and Citizen Engagement solution to AMO members at a preferred price. [Read the brochure](#) for more details.

Provincial Matters

For the most up-to-date and accurate information about coronavirus, this [Government of Ontario site](#) is the place to find it. Although the risk continues to be low in Ontario, municipal officials are advised to: monitor the situation, review their local emergency

response plans, refresh their occupational and safety plans, and continue to work with their local public health agencies, local emergency response providers, and any health care facilities in your area to make sure local coordination structures and plans are in place.

Eye on Events

From April 29 through May 1, the 2020 OSUM Conference and Trade Show will take place in beautiful Brant County. [Registration](#) and [room booking](#) are now available.

Join us in Ottawa from August 16 - 19 for the Annual General Meeting and Conference. Visit the [AMO website](#) for details and Early Bird registration. Book now as early bird registration closes 4 pm on March 2, 2020.

Registration is now open for the [2020 Northeastern Municipal Conference](#) co-hosted by The Federation of Ontario Municipalities and the City of Timmins, May 13-15. This year's conference marks the 60th anniversary of the Federation and the theme is "connecting the north" with speakers and topics designed to appeal to municipal and indigenous councillors on issues important to Northerners.

As elected officials living in the spotlight, effective communication is essential! Designed to help you navigate social media effectively, these 1 hour lunch & learn workshops provide the tactics to promote good news, manage issues professionally, and leverage traditional and social media. [Register now](#) for the 2 remaining webinars.

The asset management webinar series introduces new tools and templates AMO piloted with a group of municipalities in partnership with FCM's [Municipal Asset Management Program](#). The last of the series is on using risk assessments to identify local infrastructure investment priorities to inform Council decision-making. The webinar is on February 20, at noon. [Register or access cloud recording of previous webinars](#).

LAS

The LAS Closed Meeting Investigator Program has a new business partner, Aird & Berlis, LLP. Check out our [website](#) for more information about Aird & Berlis and the program.

Looking for a creative way to uncover energy savings in your facilities? Searching during Dixon's Energy Treasure Hunt uncovered \$48,000 in savings for Milton and \$39,000 for Guelph! Contact [Christian Tham](#) to schedule your custom [Energy Workshops](#) for this spring! Incentives up to 75% of workshop costs are available.

We've added a wide range of new vendors and categories to the [Municipal Group Buying Program](#), making it even easier for municipalities to source products they use every day. [Check out our updated vendor list](#) to see the expanded list of products and services available through our program.

Webinar February 26 @ 10am. Our NEW [Ground Engagement offering](#) includes grader blades, bucket teeth, and a wide range of other wear items. Staff from LAS and Valley Blades will give an overview of this new [Municipal Group Buying Program](#) offering and answer any questions you have. [Register Here](#).

Webinar March 11 @ 10am. Learn how our Group Buying Program partners Kal Tire, Tirecraft, Goodyear and Michelin can help you save money on tires to keep your fleet safe and reliable. Register here.

Municipal Wire*

QUEST presents 'Key Lessons from 12 Canadian Communities' and examines how extreme weather events such as floods, snow and hail storms, and rising water levels, put energy infrastructure under pressure to adapt. Recommendations, tips, and resources for municipalities interested in developing effective resilience planning strategies will be shared. Sign up for the webinar - February 20, 11:30 am.

Careers

Chief of Police - Town of Deep River. The Deep River Police Service provides policing services to the Town of Deep River, a community of 4,200 residents nestled on the shores of the beautiful Ottawa River. To be considered for this position, please send your resume in confidence to Tracy Russell, Chair, Deep River Police Services Board at drpsbsecretary@yahoo.com before 17h00 on February 21, 2020.

Manager of Real Estate - City of Orillia. Reports to: General Manager of Corporate Services/Legal. Applicants are invited to submit a resume in (MS Word or PDF Format) confidence by February 26, 2020 at noon to: Lori Bolton, CHRL, Director of Human Resources, City of Orillia, 50 Andrew Street South, Suite 300, Orillia, ON L3V 7T5. Email: lbolton@orillia.ca; Fax: 705.325.5904.

Transportation Manager - Municipality of Middlesex Centre. Reports to: Director of Public Works & Engineering. For a detailed synopsis for this position, please visit the Municipality of Middlesex Centre. To apply, please submit a resume and cover letter quoting Posting 2020-008, outlining qualifications and experience no later than 4:00 pm on Tuesday, March 10, 2020 to: Ruth Joyce-Maynard, Human Resource and Health & Safety Coordinator, Municipality of Middlesex Centre, 10227 Ilderton Road, RR2, Ilderton, ON N0M 2A0. Email: HR@middlesexcentre.on.ca.

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