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### **COVID-19 Resources**

AMO's <u>COVID-19 Resources page</u> is being updated continually so you can find critical information in one place. Please send any of your municipally related pandemic questions to <u>covid19@amo.on.ca</u>.

### AMO Matters

Please be advised that in accordance with AMO's governing by-law, the Secretary-Treasurer is requesting nominations to the 2020 - 2022 AMO Board of Directors. A <u>completed nomination form and supporting material</u> must be received no later than 12:00 noon, Monday, June 22, 2020. Municipal Councils that operate Blue Box programs have until June 30, 2020 to pass a resolution on transition. For more information contact <u>Dave Gordon</u>, or check <u>our</u> <u>website</u>.

On June 9 from 10-12 noon, join Dave Gordon & Amber Crawford for a webinar on the Blue Box transition to full producer responsibility. Please <u>register here</u> or contact <u>Amber</u> for more information.

Municipal governments are at the forefront of creating accessible communities. Join AMO in celebrating <u>National AccessAbility Week</u>.

Has your community financed an innovative, exciting, or impactful infrastructure project with the federal Gas Tax Fund? <u>Appy for an AMO Federal Gas Tax Award</u> by **end of day Wednesday**, **June 10** to celebrate your municipality's efforts!

AMO and <u>eSolutionsGroup</u>, our building barrier-free websites partner, <u>hosted a</u> <u>webinar</u> to discuss digital tools that help municipalities maintain business operations and provide efficient services during the current crisis, the recovery, and beyond. These include digital forms, e-payments, and e-procurement.

## **Provincial Matters**

On June 3, the Province announced the launch of the Improving Connectivity in Ontario (ICON) Program. This program was initially announced in July 2019, and AMO is pleased to see the Province moving forward. For more information on the program <u>click here</u>, or contact <u>Amber Crawford</u>, Policy Advisor.

On July 1, a regulatory framework under the *Environmental Protection Act*, O.Reg. 406/19, will come into effect to address the management of excess soils associated with the construction and redevelopment of brownfields. <u>Register for a free webinar</u> on June 4, where an expert panel will discuss the changes from a legal and municipal perspective.

# Eye on Events

AMO is leading the way with its 2020 virtual conference providing the opportunity for you to participate from your desktop or mobile, living room or dock. New information on the program and Exhibit Hall are available now. Check back often as we update our <u>website</u> and you can <u>register here</u>.

AMO's 2020 Conference <u>virtual exhibit hall</u> offers an unparalleled opportunity for you to showcase your products and connect with delegates. Providing greater flexibility, extended trade show hours and multiple points of interaction and ways to highlight your products, this year's exhibit hall is a must attend event.

The need to pivot and respond quickly is a part of our new reality. To help you communicate the right message during COVID-19, we are offering AMO's Social Media webinar series for a nominal fee through AMO's Municipal Education Portal. <u>Register now</u>.

The Ministry of Energy has extended the 507/18 energy reporting deadline to October 1, 2020 due to COVID. They will run <u>webinars</u> on the reporting on June 16, 30; July 14, 28; September 8 or 22. Check out the Ministry's <u>reporting portal</u> for more information. Email <u>BPSsupport@ontario.ca</u> if you have questions.

Did you know LAS has a YouTube Channel? <u>Subscribe here</u> for webinars, program updates, and more!

Our <u>Group Buying Covid-19 update page</u> is being updated regularly. Offerings include PPE through Grainger, custom supplies from ATS Traffic and Staples Business Advantage to help you safely manage the pandemic in your facilities and communities.

A <u>Road and Sidewalk Assessment</u> with LAS provides the information needed to optimize every dollar spent on your surface assets. <u>FCM funding</u> is now available to cover up to 90% of the project cost. <u>Contact us</u> to get started.

### **Municipal Wire\***

Human trafficking and sexual exploitation of children happens in municipalities across Canada at alarming rates. <u>Sign up to eradicate this issue</u> and link your community to the national challenge. On July 30 use your media to add the #eradicate filter, record your video stating "I joined the #ProjectMapleLeaf movement to #eradicate the buying and selling of girls (and boys) in Canada." Invite 7 others to do the same. September 1 share #ProjectMapleLeaf messages playing in 4600 Tim Hortons coast to coast. October 1 join participants at your local Tim Hortons to watch the final message. Municipal participation is key.

# Careers

<u>Enforcement Officer, Enforcement and Compliance - Toronto and Region</u> <u>Conservation Authority</u>. Position status: Full Time (TRCA-127-20). Reports to: Manager of Enforcement and Compliance. To apply to this posting, please visit Toronto and Region Conservation Authority <u>Careers</u>. Please submit your resume and cover letter quoting job posting #TRCA-127-20 prior to midnight on June 14, 2020.

<u>Chief Administration Officer (CAO) - Region of Peel</u>. Position Type and Status: Regular Full-time. System ID: 2020-10088. Post End Date: 11:59 P.M., June 19, 2020. To apply for this position, please <u>click here</u>.

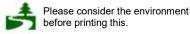
<u>Chief Administrative Officer (CAO) - Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake</u>. To explore this opportunity further, please submit your resume and related information online to Kartik Kumar, Legacy Executive Search Partners at <u>notIcao@lesp.ca</u> by Friday, July 31st, 2020. We thank all applicants for their interest; however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

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