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Executive July Meetings



AMM Executive met with the Hon. Mike Moroz, Minister of Innovation and New Technology to discuss important municipal priorities.

Departmental position paper can be found [HERE](#).



AMM Executive met with MLA Obby Khan - Leader of the Official Opposition, MLA Trevor King - Critic for Municipal and Northern Relations, and MLA Jeff Breza - Deputy Leader and MLA for Portage la Prairie



**The Hon.
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Minister of Public
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New CRIS Opportunity for Manitoba Municipalities: Wildfire Resilience Support

Call for Projects: Wildfire Resilient Buildings

Free expert consultation and technical solutions to make your public infrastructure more wildfire-resilient.

Learn more and register
before August 31, 2025:
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What is the CRIS?

The [Climate Ready Infrastructure Service](#) provides free expert support to local governments across Canada. The expert-matching service connects local governments and communities with top climate experts to support the integration of low-carbon resilience into infrastructure projects. By providing expert guidance and technical advice, local governments gain the tools needed to reduce emissions and meet the challenges of climate change head-on.

About the opportunity:

With wildfire risks on the rise across Canada, the Climate Ready Infrastructure Service (CRIS)

has launched a new stream of support to help local governments and Indigenous communities make public buildings safer and more resilient.

- Communities under 30,000 can now access up to \$20,000 in expert support, fully funded and coordinated by the CRIS team.
- Support includes tailored advice on fire-resilient design, materials, and indoor air quality for design or retrofit projects approved in a capital or work plan
- Eligible buildings include community centres, libraries, civic centres, water/wastewater facilities, fire halls, and more - submit your public infrastructure project!

□ The program output is a customized Technical Options Report with strategies and high-level cost estimates to help you determine the best-fitting solutions to incorporate wildfire resilience into the design or retrofit your infrastructure.

□ Submit your project in as little as 10-15 minutes: [Local Government Submission Form](#)

The CRIS is facilitated by the Canadian Urban Institute and funded by the government of Canada.

Applications are encouraged before **August 31, 2025**.

Click [HERE](#) to learn more and register.

Rural Data Lab: Understanding Rural and Small Town Canada Through Data



Looking for statistics about rural Canada?

Take a minute to watch the video to learn what's available.

Statistics Canada delivers timely [rural and small town data](#) that are relevant to your area, so that you can get the facts on demographics, housing, business, trade and proximity to services.

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Free Webinar: Unlocking the Power of HR On Call

Join us for an engaging webinar designed to explore our HR On Call service—a practical HR resource for AMM members. We'll walk you through what HR On Call is, how to use it effectively, and why it's a great tool for managing your workforce challenges.

Discover how this service can assist you in navigating critical areas and HR challenges in your workplace. Including the three most popular topics for AMM members:

- **Disability Management:** Questions on how to accommodate and support employees with disabilities while ensuring compliance with applicable laws.
- **Employee & Labour Relations:** Support to foster positive workplace relationships and manage complex situations involving staff and unions.
- **Termination Practices:** Understand best practices for handling employee terminations with professionalism, legal compliance, and care.

Whether you're seeking guidance on day-to-day HR issues or support for more complex challenges, this webinar will demonstrate how HR On Call provides expert advice and practical solutions when you need them most. Don't miss this opportunity to empower your organization with a trusted resource built to help you thrive.

Date: August 7, 2025

Time: 12:00 - 1:00 PM

Meeting Details: Microsoft Teams

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2025 Spring Convention Recap

Dive into the latest issue of Municipal Leader, where this season's theme, "Standing Up for Canada," takes center stage. As tariff tensions continue to ripple across the country, this timely edition highlights how Manitoba and leaders are defending Canadian interests, supporting local economies, and standing strong for fair trade. From policy insights to on-the-ground stories, this issue is a powerful reminder of the importance of resilience, unity, and leadership in challenging times.

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