



## News Bulletin

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June 7, 2024

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## LATEST UPDATES

**Kathy Valentino for FCM 3rd Vice President**

# VOTE VALENTINO

## THIRD VICE PRESIDENT



## ELECT KATHY VALENTINO

FEDERATION OF CANADIAN MUNICIPALITIES

### 3RD VICE-PRESIDENT

#### PRIORITIES

##### Public Safety

Support for police, tougher laws  
& action on root causes of crime

##### Sustainable Funding

Flexible infrastructure support that  
respects local priorities

##### Housing Help

Federal investments that respect  
municipal authority over development

##### Indigenous-Municipal Relations

Mutually beneficial partnerships  
that help all communities thrive

"Electing Kathy as 3rd Vice President of FCM will ensure that municipalities across Canada can have confidence in her experience working with municipal officials from cities, towns, rural, and remote communities as well as Indigenous leaders to build a stronger Canada."

**Jenny Gerbasl**

Former President of FCM (2017)

"Kathy is a strong advocate for safer communities and investments in infrastructure required to grow our communities from coast to coast. I'm extremely happy she's running for 3rd VP of FCM this year."

**Gord Steeves**

Former President of FCM (2007)

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This year, the Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM) Board elections and AGM will take place during FCM's Annual Conference and Trade Show, from June 6-9 at Calgary Telus Convention Centre, Calgary, AB.

**Kathy Valentino**, Deputy Mayor, City of Thompson, is running for the third Vice-President of FCM.

**When to vote:**

Voting will be held during the Table Officer's Election and AGM on **Sunday, June 9th at approximately 8:30 am**. Come and vote for Kathy!

Read her bio [HERE](#)

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**Making Canada's Growth a Success:  
The Case for a Municipal Growth Framework**

**MAKING CANADA'S  
GROWTH A SUCCESS:  
The case for a  
Municipal Growth Framework**



FCM's new paper "Making Canada's Growth a Success" lays out the case for a conversation with the federal government, the provinces and territories to negotiate a new Municipal Growth Framework.

Drawing on input from municipalities, provincial and territorial municipal associations (PTAs) and public finance experts, this paper comprehensively outlines the fiscal context that municipalities are currently operating within and highlights how this structure is limiting Canada's progress.

It concludes by offering concrete recommendations for a renewed partnership between orders of government that would enable Canada's long-term growth and work towards ending chronic homelessness.

Read the Document [HERE](#)

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**New Local Leadership for Climate Adaptation (LLCA) Initiative**



## FUNDING

# New \$530M climate adaptation initiative to support 1,400 municipalities

The Government of Canada and FCM announced the new \$530M Local Leadership for Climate Adaptation (LLCA) initiative.

Designed for municipalities of all sizes to implement long-term, equitable, resilient solutions that address climate impacts, LLCA will offer funding for project implementation and feasibility studies, and skills development tailored to municipalities unique climate goals.

Read more about LLCA and its funding opportunities [HERE](#)

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## MMA - Exchange Group Financial Governance Best Practices Webinar

# FINANCIAL GOVERNANCE BEST PRACTICES WEBINAR



Announcing Manitoba Municipal Administrator's latest webinar collaboration with the Exchange Group!

Join them on **June 14th from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m** for a deep dive into Financial Governance Best Practices.

This session is tailored for both Administration and Council members, and will equip attendees with valuable insights into roles and responsibilities, empowering them to implement top-tier practices.

Register [HERE](#)

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## Rural Manitoba Economic Development Corporation (RMED) Resources

### Special Bulletin for the Association of Manitoba Municipalities: RMED Resources

The Rural Manitoba Economic Development Corporation (RMED) is pleased to provide resources and insights into rural Manitoba's economic growth and prosperity, supporting economic development activities, business development, and community growth across rural Manitoba's municipalities.

[Special Bulletin for AMM: RMED Resources](#)

Visit the [RMED Resources page](#) for comprehensive guides, toolkits, and information.

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## Protein MB - Industry Innovation Workshop

### INDUSTRY INNOVATION WORKSHOP

Learn, network and share in ProteinMB's new dynamic innovation workshop. Get introduced to the basics of Toyota Kata approach to problem solving and discover innovative protein products that are shaping the industry

COST: \$25

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**ProteinMB**  
MANITOBA'S SUSTAINABLE  
PROTEIN ADVANTAGE



Mark your calendars and reserve your spot to join Manitoba's industry and research leaders!

On **June 18**, Protein Manitoba is hosting an Industry Innovation Workshop being held in partnership with Manitoba's Sustainable Protein Research Symposium!

Connect, collaborate, and innovate with industry leaders and researchers in the protein sector. Register [HERE](#)

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SPRING 2024



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MUNICIPALITIES

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**PLUS:** Manitoba Mitigation and Preparedness Program • RMED's Regional Economic Profiles

Why not carve out some time to read the Spring issue of the Municipal Leader magazine? Flip open the latest issue to read more about our upcoming jam-packed Spring Convention, an article from the Manitoba Water and Wastewater Association regarding Community's Water and Wastewater Operators Certification, an article from the Department of Transportation and Infrastructure regarding innovation for a more resilient future, among other great articles!

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