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#### **AMO Matters**

Every year at the AMO Conference the <u>PJ Marshall Awards</u> recognize municipal excellence and innovation in capital projects, operating efficiencies, and new approaches to service delivery. If you have something you are proud to share, the deadline for <u>2022 submissions</u> is May 27, 2022.

#### **ROMA Matters**

The ROMA Board has established a Rural Attainable Housing Task Force to develop policy solutions and strategies that consider the realities of rural Ontario and to implement the housing recommendations found in the <u>Opportunities for Rural Ontario in a Post-Covid World</u> action plan. The Board is asking members to take 5 minutes to complete <u>a survey</u> that will provide valuable information to support the work of the Task Force.

#### Eye on Events

AMO's first in-person conference in two years officially launches next week! <u>Book your</u> <u>hotel rooms</u> in the beautiful City of Ottawa April 4 at 10 am and take advantage of early bird <u>registration</u> on April 11 at 10 am. Questions? Contact <u>events@amo.on.ca</u>.

# LAS

We're pleased to welcome Gradall to the <u>Canoe Procurement Group</u>. This contract offers hydro vac, sewer jet, industrial vacuums, and combination jet & vac machines. With over 200 contracts, Canoe makes buying what you need quicker and cheaper. <u>Contact Simon</u> to learn more.

The <u>LAS Road & Sidewalk Assessment Service</u> brings modern technology and intelligent asset management to your streets and sidewalks. Join us on April 21 to learn how this program helps you save money while improving your infrastructure. <u>Register Here</u>.

Join us for the last 2 <u>Canoe Procurement Group</u> webinars before summer. On April 6 we'll hear from Johnson Controls, provider of security systems, fire alarms, building automation, and many more technologies. <u>Register here</u>. On April 20 the Canoe legal team will provide an update to make sure your purchases are done in full compliance with laws and trade agreements. <u>Register here</u>.

## **ONE Investment**

ONE Investment is hosting a Spring webinar on April 12, collaborating with our external portfolio manager Guardian Capital to discuss "Why Proxy Votes Are Important for ESG Principles (Environmental, Social and Governance)." To register and know what will be covered in the webinar, <u>click here</u>.

# **Municipal Wire\***

The upcoming year will be a busy one for Ontario voters, with the Ontario Provincial Election and Municipal and School Board Elections happening just a few months apart. Make sure you are on the list to vote in the 2022 Municipal and School Board Elections on October 24. Register at <u>voterlookup.ca</u>. Download <u>Toolkit</u>.

# Careers

<u>Regional Program Manager - The Ministry of Labour, Training and Skills Development</u>. The Ministry is looking for 3 strong transformational leaders (Central, East, West) to take on the role to lead the Employment Service Transformation implementation and delivery. <u>Apply online</u> by April 6.

<u>Planner - Township of Douro-Dummer.</u> Provides planning services to address the corporate strategic objectives and guide growth and development. Apply to <u>hr@dourodummer.on.ca</u> by April 22.

<u>Treasurer - Haldimand County.</u> The incumbent will execute the statutory duties of the position, ensure the Corporation adheres to all acts, regulations, policies and procedures in carrying out its financial responsibility. <u>Apply online</u> by April 18.

<u>Chief Administrative Officer - Township of Adjala-Tosorontio</u>. Responsible for the strategic leadership and efficient delivery of all the municipality's administrative and operational services. Apply to <u>careers@waterhousesearch.ca</u> by April 15.

<u>Chief Administrative Officer - Municipality of Chatham-Kent.</u> Develops and implements operational plans and ensures the coordination of services which align to and support strategic priorities. Apply to <u>careers@waterhousesearch.ca</u> by April 22.

<u>Director of Finance - South Nation Conservation.</u> The South Nation Conservation is seeking an experienced professional, with the knowledge, skills, and abilities to provide financial leadership and risk management. Apply to <u>careers@nation.on.ca</u> by April 19.

<u>Advisor Continuous Improvement - Region of Peel</u>. Provides expertise supporting the capability and effectiveness of the Human Services processes, including analysis, interpretation and development. <u>Apply online</u> by April 13.

<u>Grants Specialist & Treasury Administration - Town of Wasaga Beach.</u> Responsible for researching and coordinating applications in pursuit of grant opportunities at the Federal. <u>Apply online</u> by April 19.

# About AMO

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- Ontario Association of Chiefs of Police Ukrainian fund-raiser.
- Attend OMSSA's 2022 Exchange Conference May 2-4.
- Free webinar on recruitment and retaining staff April 13.
- Ontario Association of Fire Chiefs AGM May 5-7.
- Blocked sewer? Call Ontario One Call.
- Careers: TTC, Simcoe, Central Manitoulin, Guelph, Halton, Orangeville and Durham.

#### AMO Matters

<u>Lead Where You Live</u>! AMO has assembled an easy-to-use guide that provides all the information you need when preparing to run for council.

A number of municipalities and the Ontario Food Collaborative developed advertising creative and a website to promote food waste reduction to municipal residents through <u>RPRA's In-Kind Advertising Space</u>.

# **ROMA Matters**

ROMA is asking its members to answer this short <u>survey</u> to direct the work of its Attainable Housing Task Force. The deadline to respond is April 12, 2022 by 4 pm.

The Board has scheduled meetings with each of the ROMA Zones to provide a focused briefing on the Board's action plan, the thinking behind the recommendations and the strategies and advocacy to move them forward. <u>Click here</u> for information on the scheduled meetings.

# **Provincial Matters**

Municipal and Indigenous engagement activities are underway as part of IESO's Long Term RFP for new and expanded facilities to meet Ontario's emerging reliability needs. Details on engagement, including a webinar on April 22, are <u>available here</u>.

A new call for <u>Stakeholder Advisory Committee</u> nominations is underway to find a member to represent the Ontario communities' constituency, specifically targeting a municipal representative. Nominations are due by April 14. For more information, contact <u>engagement@ieso.ca</u>.

# Eye on Events

The AMO Conference registration will officially open at 10 am on Monday April 11. <u>Register here</u> before May 13 for your early bird rates. Haven't booked your room yet? <u>The AMO conference website</u> contains all the hotel information you need. Questions: contact <u>events@amo.on.ca</u>.

As municipalities move from paper to electronic filing, authentication of these files is a critical challenge. On April 27 at 12 pm ET, join AMO's partner, Notarius, and learn how ConsignO Cloud can greatly reduce the signing time of documents and allow anyone to sign legally reliable documents electronically with a phone, a tablet, or a computer. <u>Register today</u>.

# LAS

The Ministry of Energy is now accepting annual energy reports under <u>O. Reg. 507/18</u>. Reporting is for energy used in 2020 and due by July 1, 2022. Ministry hosted reporting webinars will be from 11 am - 12 pm on <u>April 12</u>, <u>June 7</u> and <u>21</u>. For questions, email <u>BPSsupport@ontario.ca</u>.

Check out the <u>case study</u> of four municipalities that participated in <u>LAS Energy Training</u> <u>Workshop</u>. The savings they uncovered during their energy treasure hunts is worth noting. To learn more or to schedule a custom workshop with treasure hunt, contact <u>Christian Tham</u> today.

LED lighting contributes to the asset renewal of your facilities. What's more, IESO incentives are available for your these upgrades. Join the host of municipalities who have already participated in the <u>LAS Facility Lighting Service</u>. Contact <u>Christian Tham</u> for a free budget proposal.

The <u>Canoe Procurement Group</u> continues to expand! We're pleased to welcome Labrie Enviroquip and Toter to the Mobile Refuse Collection category. Keep your communities clean with the right equipment. <u>Contact Simon</u> to learn more.

Join us on April 20 for an update from the <u>Canoe Procurement Group</u> legal team. Find out how trade agreements and group purchasing go hand in hand and hear about the latest updates to these agreements. <u>Register Here</u>.

The <u>LAS Road & Sidewalk Assessment Service</u> helps your municipality manage some of their most expensive assets. Learn how high-quality data and the right software can help you save money while improving the quality of your road and sidewalk networks. Join us on April 21 at 10 am - <u>Register here</u>.

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# **Municipal Wire\***

Ontario Association of Chiefs of Police <u>fund-raiser for Ukrainian victims and refugees</u> of the war who have come, or may come, to Canada. It is being administered by the Canadian Red Cross.

OMSSA's conference brings people together to exchange knowledge and find solutions. Hear from experts on topics like child care, hybrid workplaces, mental health, enhancing Indigenous relationships, and more. <u>Register today</u>.

CERIC, IPAC Toronto Region and OMHRA are hosting a keynote address by Lisa Taylor, president of Challenge Factory and the Centre for Career Innovation, on <u>April 13, 11 am - 12 pm EST via Zoom.</u> Focus will be on what is happening right now in workplaces, emerging workforce and career trends and will explain what this means for public sector leaders. Visit the <u>Retain and Gain playbook</u> to learn more.

The Ontario Association of Fire Chiefs is having its <u>annual convention and trade show</u> <u>May 5-7</u>, 2022 at the International Centre in Mississauga. Elected officials are welcome. For free trade show passes contact the <u>OAFC</u>.

Before attempting to clear a blocked sewer or septic pipe, it's important to call Ontario One Call toll free at 1-800-400-2255 for a free sewer safety inspection. In rare cases, underground natural gas pipelines could unintentionally run through sewer or septic pipes - this is called a cross bore. Cross bores can result in a dangerous natural gas leak if equipment used to unclog the pipes damages the natural gas line. Visit <u>enbridgegas.com/sewersafety</u> for more information and to watch a video on sewer safety.

# Careers

Associate General Counsel - Toronto Transit Commission (TTC). The incumbent

provides expert counsel and advice as to legal considerations involved in various business activities and operations. Apply to <u>tbhandal@bipocsearch.com</u> by April 30.

<u>Site Supervisor - County of Simcoe</u>. Directs and oversees the operation, remediation and development of multiple County waste management facilities. <u>Apply online</u> by April 13.

<u>Chief Administrative Officer/Clerk - Municipality of Central Manitoulin</u>. Responsible for providing effective advise to Council on corporate activities and the business affairs of the Municipality. Apply to <u>centralm@amtelecom.net</u> by April 22.

<u>Associate Solicitor, Litigation and Risk Management - City of Guelph.</u> The role is responsible for providing legal services to City administration, in litigation, liability and municipal powers. <u>Apply online</u> by April 20.

<u>Digital Senior Security Advisor - Halton Region</u>. This position is responsible for the development and delivery of a comprehensive organizational information security program. <u>Apply online</u> by May 2.

<u>General Manager, Infrastructure Services - Town of Orangeville.</u> The role will provide leadership, direction and management to the Infrastructure Services Department. <u>Apply online</u> by April 25.

<u>Senior Economist - The Regional Municipality of Durham</u>. The incumbent will lead, coordinate and conduct complex economic and financial studies, business cases and analysis. <u>Apply online</u> by April 17.

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