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Featured:

Resolutions Deadline for Spring 2017 Convention Approaching

The deadline to submit resolutions for the spring 2017 convention is **February 13, 2017**. Complete, district-approved resolutions meeting the above requirements **MUST be emailed in a Microsoft Word format** to tasha@aamdc.com by the resolutions deadline.

[Learn more...](#)

Member Bulletins

FCM Releases Budget Submission for Rural Communities in Canada

The Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM) has recently released *Seizing the Moment for Rural Canada*, a companion budget submission focused on the priorities of rural communities across the country.

[Learn more...](#)

EXTENDED DEADLINE: Government of Canada Introduces Broadband Funding Program

UPDATE: the deadline to apply for funding under the Connect to Innovate Program has been extended to **April 20, 2017**.

[Learn more...](#)

Learn more about the **key issues** facing rural Alberta and our **position statements**.

Job Postings

AAMDC

Legal Counsel

Vulcan County

Director of Operations

Special Areas Board

Chip Seal Foreman III

Repair Crew Foreman II

Sturgeon County

Announcements

New Plumbing STANDATA

A number of Plumbing STANDATA have been updated and are now available on the Alberta Municipal Affairs website. To view or print copies follow the links below.

- [Plumbing Information Bulletins](#)
- [Plumbing Variance](#)

The following Fact Sheet has been revised:

[Alternative Solutions Guide for Small System Reclaimed Water Reuse](#)

Workshop: Solar Friendly Municipalities

The Municipal Climate Change Action Centre (MCCAC), Pembina Institute, and Solar Energy Society of Alberta (SESA) are hosting free workshops across Alberta to help municipalities become solar leaders and create an enabling environment for solar investment in their communities. Workshops will be held in the following locations: Edmonton (February 15), Calgary (February 21), Lethbridge (February 22), and Grande Prairie (February 27).

[Learn more...](#)

FCM Green Update

Today we [FCM] announced two new programs that will provide funding, training and knowledge sharing to help Canadian municipalities like yours take action on climate change and strengthen infrastructure planning and decision-making. The programs are funded by the Government of Canada.

[Learn more...](#)

Reminders

Register for the Spring 2017 Convention!

The early bird deadline for registration is February 17, so don't miss out! The Spring 2017 Convention will take place March 20-22, 2017 at the Shaw Conference

Senior Infrastructure Engineering Officer

Lac La Biche County
**Research Analyst - Planning
& Development**

Parkland County
**Data Collector (Survey
Assistant)**

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Upcoming Events

District 2 Meeting
February 3, 2017

District 4 Meeting
February 10, 2017

**Spring 2017 Convention &
Trade Show**
March 20-22, 2017

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bulletin archive](#).



Click the link above
to watch our video,
Where It All Starts:
Rural Alberta with the
AAMDC
featuring Doug!

Centre in Edmonton. The March 20 trade show will feature over 130 booths that provide services and products our members may require.

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Strategic Transportation Infrastructure Program Funding Confirmed for 2017-18

The deadline to submit STIP applications is **February 3, 2017**. Information on eligibility criteria, application processes, project evaluation criteria, and other considerations are available on Alberta Transportation's STIP website.

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- [Alberta Métis celebrate](#) breakthrough accord with Ottawa
- Premier and Finance minister [reach out to Albertans](#) about Budget 2017
- [Former Lamont town manager guilty](#) of 'counselling' fraud, forgery
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