

# Contact

#### **Member Bulletins**

### Request for Input – Community Aggregate Payment Levy Regulation

The Community Aggregate Payment Levy (CAPL) Regulation expires on December 31, 2015, and the AAMDC has been invited to provide input into possible changes that could be made to the existing regulation. Learn more...

FCM Meeting Highlights: November 18 - 21, 2014

The Federation of Canadian Municipalities' Board of Directors met in Ottawa, from November 18 – 21, to debate and direct FCM's 2014-2015 national agenda. Learn more...

### Reminders

### AAMDC Spring 2015 Convention & Trade Show Registration Now Open

The Spring 2015 Convention will take place March 16-18, 2015 at the Shaw Conference Centre in Edmonton. <u>Learn more...</u>

#### New Well Drilling Equipment Tax (WDET) Regulation Announced

The Government of Alberta and Municipal Affairs has released the updated Well Drilling Equipment Tax regulation.

Learn more...



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Registration for the Spring 2015 Convention and Trade Show is now open!

AAMDC Convention and Trade Show -March 16-18, 2015

Register online at AAMDC.com

### Job Postings

City of Leduc

Public Services Operator

Program Leader

Child Minding Attendant

Parkland County
Bylaw Enforcement Officers

**Kneehill County** 

### Call for Nominees: Alberta Water Council Lake Management Project Team

The AWC is establishing a Lake Management Project Team and the AAMDC is calling on members to submit nominees that have technical expertise and an interest in representing the association on this project team.

Learn more...

# Submit Your Application for the Minister's Awards for Transportation Innovation!

The Municipal Awards for Transportation Innovation are presented annually by the Minister of Transportation to recognize innovation in the transportation industry.

Learn more...

# Register Now for a Webinar on Social Media and Citizen Engagement in Municipalities

Citizen engagement serves an important role for gathering feedback and advising residents of municipal initiatives and decisions.

Learn more...

# Save the Date for the EOEP's Upcoming Effective Planning and Strategy Webinar!

For the first time ever, the EOEP is offering a course in a webinar format.

Learn more...

#### **Announcements**

#### Government of Alberta Seeking Input on Alberta's Draft Biodiversity Policy

Alberta Environment and Sustainable Resource Development (ESRD) works to ensure the sustainability of air, land, water, and biodiversity in the province. Learn more...

#### New Opportunity for Continuing Education in Sustainability

The University of Alberta's Office of Sustainability and Faculty of Extension are exploring the development of a

**Utility Operator** 

County of 40 Mile

Licensed Heavy Duty
Mechanic

County of Vermilion River

**Director of Finance** 

**Red Deer County** 

Protective Services Manager

Click <u>here</u> to view all current job postings

### **Upcoming Events**

District 5 Meeting January 9, 2015

District 1 Meeting January 16, 2015

**District 3 Meeting** January 19, 2015

**District 2 Meeting** February 6, 2015

**District 4 Meeting** February 13, 2015

AAMDC Spring Convention and Trade Show March 16 - 18, 2015 Professional Certificate in Climate Change Decisionmaking and Sustainability.

Learn more...

#### **News**

- Auditor to probe <u>infrastructure funding</u> concerns highlighted in Edmonton Journal Series
- Legislature committee gives thumbs down to privatization of <u>provincial land titles registry</u>
- <u>Fire truck fight</u> between Westlock, Clyde will hurt response times: fire chief
- Railroads bulk up to avoid <u>another winter backlog</u>
- New CEO aims to build <u>confidence in energy</u> regulator
- Opinion: No mystery behind <u>civil servant</u> <u>discontent</u>

### **Rural View**



Winter is in full swing in the prairies!

Share your community on Contact! Email your images to <a href="mailto:aamdc@aamdc.com">aamdc@aamdc.com</a>.

### Local Links

30 Unforgettable Alberta
Images in 2014

Alberta Safe Roads Tips

Travel Alberta Trip

<u>Essentials</u>

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### Did You Know?

Alberta has around 800 lakes and 1,500 streams with self-sustaining populations of fish.

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