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Member Bulletins

IMPORTANT: Tell the AAMDC Your Infrastructure Priorities

The AAMDC is asking their members to complete a short survey summarizing their infrastructure priorities. Providing this information by completing the survey will allow the AAMDC to ensure that members' top infrastructure needs are built into our provincial and federal advocacy efforts.

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FCM Releases 2016 Canadian Infrastructure Report Card

The Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM) has released *Informing the Future: The 2016 Canadian Infrastructure Report Card*, which provides important information on the state of municipal infrastructure across Canada.

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Announcements

Webinar: "Provincial Climate Action Plans and Local Governments: Lessons from BC"

Join the Municipal Climate Change Action Centre (MCCAC) for a special edition of the Greening Governments Webinar Series, co-hosted by Alberta Environment and Parks, on January 28, 2016.

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Seminar: "Alberta's New Wetlands Policy"



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Parkland County

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[Geographic Information
Systems \(GIS\) Technician](#)

[Fire Chief](#)

[Economic Development](#)

[Officer - Tourism](#)

The Alberta Public Works Association (APWA) and the Alberta Common Ground Alliance (ACGA) is conducting a seminar on the recent changes to the Alberta Wetlands Policy on February 4, 2016, in Red Deer, AB. [Learn more...](#)

Reminders

Resolution Writing Tools Available for Members

With district meetings approaching, the AAMDC would like to remind members of the important role resolutions play in guiding the association's advocacy efforts. To maximize these efforts, having well-written resolutions that are clear, concise and include pertinent information is essential.

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Hotel Booking for Spring 2016 Convention

The AAMDC is pleased to announce that the hotel registration for our Spring Convention is now open. The Spring 2016 Convention will be returning to the Shaw Conference Centre in downtown Edmonton from **March 14-16, 2016**

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News

- [Trudeau government considering immediate \\$1-billion stimulus for hard-hit Alberta](#), Saskatchewan
- [Brooks voters choose new mayor in byelection](#)
- [Legislature committees seek Albertans' input](#) on legislation review
- Graham Thomson: [One more trouble Jim Prentice bequeathed to the NDP](#)
- [Trudeau stands by infrastructure spending as solution](#) to Canada's economic woes
- [Montana sage-grouse will migrate north this spring](#)
- [Edmonton first city in Canada to buy its own mini weather radar station](#)

Town of Mayerthorpe

[Utilities Tax Clerk](#)

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Upcoming Events

District 5 Meeting

January 29, 2016

District 2 Meeting

February 5, 2016

District 4 Meeting

February 12, 2016

AAMDC Spring Convention & Trade Show

March 14-16, 2016



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If you're still in possession of an electronic voting device from the AAMDC Fall Convention, please have them delivered to the following address:

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- [Taxpayers missing out on \\$45M a year in surface rights fees](#), study says
- [Feds consider changing funding formula for infrastructure spending](#): Minister
- [Liberals open-minded on voting reform](#), Monsef says
- [MLAs head back to the Alberta legislature March 8](#) for 38-day spring session
- [New report raises idea of tolls to help pay for Alberta roads](#)
- [Alberta finance minister announces two-year salary freeze](#) for managers and non-union employees in public service

Rural View



Congratulations to Austin Elke from Lethbridge County, the AAMDC scholarship recipient from District 1!

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Did You Know?

In Wetaskiwin, in 1917, it was illegal to tie a male horse next to a female horse.

[From the Huffington Post.](#)

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