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### AMO Matters

AMO is pleased to launch our new Youth Engagement Initiative at this year's Annual Conference. Following the launch, please [join other young council members](#) from across Ontario for socializing and networking.

### Provincial Matters

The Special Advisor on Recycling and Plastic Waste released his [report](#) to the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks. AMO is working with the Ministry on next steps.

### Federal Matters

The draft new Canada-Ontario Agreement on Great Lakes Water Quality and Ecosystem Health is available for comment on [Ontario's Environmental Registry](#) and on [Canada.ca](#). It is available for comment for 60 days, until September 4, 2019.

### Eye on Events

Explore Ottawa by bike and experience some of Ontario's most innovative cycling infrastructure on Sunday, August 18, prior to start of the AMO Conference. Participants will hear from city staff and local officials about the planning and impact of cycling projects, including Ontario's first downtown separated bike lane (Laurier Ave). Participation is free for registered delegates. Bikes and helmets will be provided. Tour will take place at a leisurely pace and will include stops to ask questions. Space is limited, [register today](#).

Communications 101 for Elected Officials, Codes of Conduct Clinic and Indigenous Cultural Competency are 3, half-day clinics available to purchase as part of your Conference experience. The sessions run concurrently on Sunday, August 18, from 9:00 am to noon. The cost is \$360 + HST. Register [here](#) at the [AMO Conference](#) site using the conference registration form.

Save the dates - October 24 + 25 - for AMO's Fall Policy Forum, for elected officials, senior municipal staff and others. London will be the location of a two-day forum on some of the key policy issues and questions confronting Ontario's municipal governments. Program details will be available in September.

ONE Investment fall workshops across Ontario - for more information [click here](#). Learn why municipalities need to invest? What are the different investment options available to your municipality? And how the release of the Prudent Investor Standard provides broader investment options?

### Careers

**Planner - City of Kingston.** Reports to: Manager, Policy Planning. File No.: J0719-0644. Job Type: Temporary. Closing date: August 16, 2019. Please apply to City of Kingston [Career Opportunities](#). Your resume must clearly demonstrate how you meet the requirements of the position.

**Financial Analyst - City of Burlington.** Employment Status: Contract/Job Rotation up to November 2020.

Job Number: FN-158-19. Posting Closing Date: August 16, 2019. To apply, visit City of Burlington [Career Opportunities](#) and click on "View Jobs". Please note that applications are only accepted online.

General Accounting Supervisor - Town of Lakeshore. Reports to: Manager, Accounting Services. Qualified applicants are to email a detailed resume outlining their qualifications to [jobs@lakeshore.ca](mailto:jobs@lakeshore.ca) no later than 9:00 a.m., Monday, August 19, 2019, clearly indicating General Accounting Supervisor in the subject line.

Senior Procurement Specialist - Town of Orangeville. Department: Corporate Services. Please submit your resume, in confidence, to Sarah Alexander, Human Resources Assistant, no later than 4 p.m. on Thursday August 22, 2019. Applications may be submitted online, emailed to [hr@orangeville.ca](mailto:hr@orangeville.ca), or submitted in person to the Town Hall located at 87 Broadway. If submitting a resume via email, please quote the job title in the subject line.

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AMO is a non-profit organization representing almost all of Ontario's 444 municipal governments. AMO supports strong and effective municipal government in Ontario and promotes the value of municipal government as a vital and essential component of Ontario's and Canada's political system. Follow [@AMOPolicy](#) on Twitter!

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