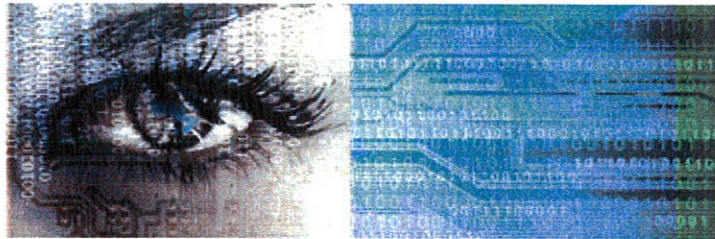


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AMO Matters

Almost 260 municipalities have already uploaded their election information. We urge Clerks and Returning Officers of the remaining municipalities to pre-enter their election information. If you have questions about the use of the application, please contact [Snezana Vukelic](#), Manager, Information Services.

Provincial Matters

One Government Bill, *Bill 31, Transportation Statute Law Amendment Act (Making Ontario's Roads Safer), 2014*, was introduced and received First Reading. It amends existing legislation with regard to impaired driving, bicycling, pedestrian safety, vehicle inspection and other matters and the municipal collection of POA fines for out-of-province drivers.

Senior municipal management/HR staff are encouraged to attend the [Implementing Presumptive WSIB for Fire Services workshop](#) to better understand local impacts and considerations regarding the new presumptive legislation.

Eye on AMO/LAS Events

What does it mean to be a Head of Council? What is the job description? How can you effectively lead, manage and collaborate? Discover tools, resources and gain a foundation on being a Head of Council with AMO's [Heads of Council Training](#). In class sessions begin November 21st. Space is limited in these interactive, hands-on sessions. Reserve a spot today!

Why do municipalities need to plan? Why is land use planning important? What is zoning? AMO presents a new online self-directed course in Land Use Planning. [Log-in](#) to the AMO online portal today and become familiarized with the basics of land use planning today!

Keep December 12th free on your calendars as the [Ontario West Municipal Conference](#) returns to the Best Western Lamplighter Inn. Full conference details and registration will be made available soon.

Looking for customized training for your incoming Council and Senior staff? AMO can help! We offer customized training in a variety of topics pertinent for a new council. Details on what we offer can be found [here](#) or contact us at events@amo.on.ca today for a personalized proposal.

LAS

Get the latest information on LAS programming with the LAS Blog. Learn more about the ins and outs of our procurement programs and energy services, or find out about dates and locations for upcoming LAS events. Stay in the know with the [LAS Blog](#).

Municipal Wire*

Local Government Week (October 19-25) is an opportunity for Ontario students, educators and municipalities to engage one another on how their communities work and the role of municipal governments. Local Government Week is a partnership between the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing, AMCTO and the AMO. Your support of this program is what continues to build its success.

Each year, waste reduction is recognized for one week in this province and across the country, but successful waste reduction is a constant effort by all – to reduce waste, improve products and packaging, and use resources more efficiently. Check out what the future can hold.

The Township of West Lincoln adopted a motion relating to a Road Use Agreement for use of roads during the construction of Industrial Wind Turbines (IWTs) and reconfirmed its position as an unwilling host of IWTs.

Careers

Policy Advisor - Ontario Public Service. Two temporary (up to 12 months). Location: Toronto. Please apply online by November 4, 2014, entering Job ID 69683 in the Job ID search field and following the instructions to submit your application.

Economist - Ontario Public Service. Please apply online by November 5, 2014, entering Job ID 70414 in the Job ID search field and following the instructions to submit your application.

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