

Practical Solutions for Municipal Risk Management

2015 Risk Management Symposium - Program at a Glance -

Municipalities are targets of litigation because they are publicly perceived as “deep pocket” defendants with unlimited resources. To control claims you must manage your risks. Learn how at the 3rd annual LAS/Frank Cowan Company Risk Management Symposium.

Day One: September 30, 2015 | 1:00 to 4:00 pm **Risk Management - No Longer an Option**

Municipalities play a significant role in the lives of their residents by providing essential services residents rely on every day. Residents expect that their municipality has taken reasonable steps to provide these services in a safe manner, but the municipal operating environment exemplifies risk on a daily basis.

This half-day session will cover two areas:

1. The Municipal Landscape:

- Why risk management is no longer an option for municipalities
- How risk management can decrease the cost of claims
- Increasing duty of care placed on municipalities by Canadian courts
- Recent claims case studies
- Steps in the risk management process, all the way to what to do in the event of a claim

2. Maintaining Municipal Roads

- Overview of Minimum Maintenance Standards (MMS) and proposed changes to MMS (from MMS review committee)
- Risk of not complying with MMS
- MMS case law – focus on Lambton v. Steadman case
- Discussion of MMS policies
- Risk of off-road vehicles (ORVs) and all-terrain vehicles (ATVs) on municipal roadways
- and more...

Day Two: October 1, 2015 | 8:00 am to 4:00 pm **Risk Management - Practical Solutions**

This full day of plenary sessions will tackle a variety of topics, presenting case studies, and best practises to take back and implement in your municipality.

1. Risk Management - Why it Matters?

- A look at key issues and trends affecting all municipalities

2. In the Event of an Event

- Hear from Norfolk County and Brant County on how they manage large scale special events, and what risk management measures are in place to protect the community and the municipality.

3. The 'Shared Economy' and the Shared Risks

- Technology continues to evolve and is presenting new challenges and opportunities for municipal business. Hear how the new 'shared economy' can impact Ontario municipalities.

4. Bill 100: The New Ontario Trails Legislation

- How could this proposed new legislation impact your trail system?

5. Outdoor Recreation

- Using the recent legal decision from Campbell v. County of Bruce (related to the Bruce County Skills Park) as a starting point, this session will examine the broad implications of this decision on your municipality.

6. Importance of your Municipal CVOR Score

- How does your municipality's CVOR score impact your entire fleet. Learn why this should matter to you.

7. Bicycle Lanes and Book 18

- What are the key components of the Ontario Traffic Manual, Book 18 and what are the legal requirements for your Municipality.

- Lunch Keynote Address will be made by Brian Beamish, Information and Privacy Commissioner of Ontario on the topic of municipal privacy.



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2015 Risk Management Symposium Registration Form

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