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AMO Matters

AMO's [Baseline Waste & Recycling Report](#) reviews Ontario's current circular economy efforts. With only 10 years of disposal capacity remaining in Ontario, new waste diversion policy is required.

AMO and the province came together to form a Technical Working Group to provide an inter-governmental dialogue on municipal insurance costs, coverage and liability issues. [Read *The Future of Municipal Liability and Risk Management* report](#) summarizing the group's findings.

Provincial Matters

The Technical Standards and Safety Authority ([TSSA](#)) is Ontario's public safety regulator. TSSA releases public information (e.g., licence statuses or devices at a location) per its privacy codes. [Click here](#) to request a release.

Eye on Events

View the full program for the AMO and Local Authority Services (LAS) Municipal Energy Symposium on November 2-3 at the Novotel Centre Toronto. [View the program and register now](#). Space is limited.

Don't miss AMO's in-demand *Navigating Conflict Relationships as an Elected Official* training. This two half day training is an opportunity to gain skills in building collaborative relationships and negotiating difficult ones in your role as an elected municipal official. [Register for the October 18 - 19 training today](#).

Whether you are looking for better understanding of legislation and planning processes, or are ready to dive into strategic decision making, these sessions will prepare you in your not always easy role of an elected official. Register for the

Foundations or Advanced land use training fall opportunities.

The virtual Risk Management Symposium on October 4 explores risk exposure and considerations related to current pressing issues such as, climate resiliency and the natural assets initiative, cyber security, and more.

It's back! AMO and MISA ON's joint Municipal Cybersecurity 101 Forum returns this fall in time for Cybersecurity Month. Join us virtually on October 12, 10am - 2pm to learn more about building a cyber resilient municipality. Register today.

LAS

SaveOnEnergy is offering free training webinars for municipal energy/facility managers and directors. Learn how to integrate energy management principles, identify savings, and reduce cost in your municipal facilities. Register today.

Municipal Wire*

Wetland Conservation and Offsetting: Leading Policy Standards and Examples is a webinar for municipal and conservation authority planning and environment staff.

Host: Ontario Nature. October 17, 11:00 – 12:00 p.m. Register here!

Sewer Safety Week will take place September 18-22. A reminder to always call Ontario One Call at 1-800-400-2255 for a free sewer safety inspection. To learn more, visit enbridgegas.com/sewersafety.

The Ontario Traffic Council is hosting an informative webinar all about Administrative Penalties (APS). Join OTC on September 28, 9-11am as they give an overview of APS and review their recently released APS Guideline. Don't wait - click here to register.

Careers

Deputy Treasurer - City of Elliot Lake. Assisting with the general management of the treasury department. Apply to la@tdobbie.com by September 30.

Planning Information Analyst - County of Simcoe. Supports departmental data and analytic needs. Apply online by October 3

Director of Finance/Treasurer - Town of Deep River. Provide support, guidance, & advice to Department Heads, Committees, Council, and local boards on financial matters. Apply to hr@deepriver.ca by October 13.

Chief Administrative Officer - Township of Blandford-Blenheim. Provide exceptional leadership and strategic direction to the municipal organization. Apply to rmordue@blandfordblenheim.ca by October 19.

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