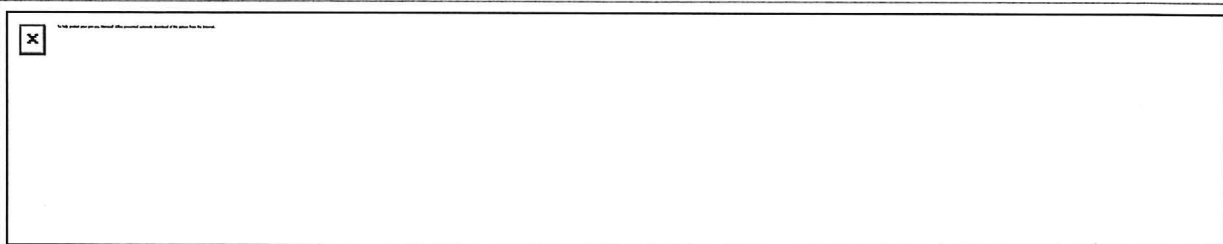


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Provincial Matters

The provincial government is consulting the public, including municipal governments, about how to increase the supply of housing in Ontario. Visit [Increasing Housing Supply in Ontario](#) to learn more and participate. Submissions will be accepted until January 25, 2019. Ideas can also be provided to [AMO](#) who will be formally responding to the consultation on behalf of its municipal members.

Eye on Events

Registration for the 2019 ROMA Conference is still available - review the [Program at a Glance](#) for all educational opportunities. Deadline to submit [requests for delegations](#) to the Ministry is Monday, December 10.

As a member of Council what do you need to know? The ABC's of municipal government; limiting your risk; budgeting; planning; impacts of new legislation and so much more. Learn what it takes to be an effective team member and a municipal leader at this full day session in 2019. [Space is limited, register today.](#)

The Land Use Planning: Beyond the Basics half day workshop will reinforce the central role that municipalities play in implementing and managing the land use policy framework in Ontario. It will include a review of the relevant elements of the *Ontario Planning Act* as well as a run-down of the key planning tools and how they are applied in the municipal context. [Register today](#) and receive access to the new Land Use Planning: The Basics online course for free (launching January 2019).

Elected officials live in the spotlight. The rise of social media and decline of local news have changed

the communications landscape. This half-day workshop will help you learn how to promote good news, manage issues professionally, and to leverage traditional and social media. Most of all, this session will help elected officials communicate effectively and sleep soundly. [Click here](#) for more details and to register.

The 2019 AMO AGM and Annual Conference will be held in Ottawa from August 18 - 21, 2019. AMO has negotiated Conference rates at eight hotels. In order to ensure the booking process goes smoothly please read the [details in full](#) and make note of all deposit and cancellation policies for the individual properties. Call-in numbers and online reservation links will be posted in late December, as reservations made before January 9, 2019 will not be honoured.

Showcase your product or service at the 2019 AMO AGM and Annual Conference in August. Are you a municipal supplier or vendor? Do you have a product or service that would benefit the municipal sector? Then register today for the AMO Annual Conference Exhibit Hall. Early bird offer available until January 30, 2019 - [download the exhibitor application today](#).

LAS

The EV truck market has grown a lot in 2018. Check out the [LAS Blog](#) for an update on the models currently available and coming soon.

To all [ONE Investment HISA](#) investors, please note that the last day to request HISA deposit or redemption transactions prior to year-end is noon on December 21st, 2018. Staff will be back in the office on January 2, 2019.

Municipal Wire*

FCM's Andrée P. Boucher Memorial Scholarship and Canadian Women in Municipal Government Scholarship aim to support young women who demonstrate leadership and interest in local government, and to encourage others to get involved in their community. The scholarships are part of an initiative to reach parity in municipal councils across Canada. To apply for any of the scholarships or to take a look at the eligibility requirements, visit [FCM's website](#) or reach out to [Amanda Delorey](#). The deadline for applications is extended to January 15, 2019.

The next deadline to apply for FCM's Green Municipal Fund (GMF) capital project funding is March 1, 2019. [Loans of up to \\$5 million combined with grants](#) for capital projects related to: energy efficiency and recovery; water quality and conservation; transportation and fuel efficiency; waste management and diversion. Contact an FCM advisor at 1-877-997-9926 or by [email](#) for more information.

Careers

[Special Events Coordinator - AMO](#). Reporting to the Director of the Membership Centre, the Coordinator plays a key role in the delivery of conferences, member training events, workshops, seminars and e-learning opportunities for AMO's members. The role involves extensive negotiation and liaison with a wide variety of suppliers and vendors, tradeshow exhibitors, sponsors and host communities. Responsibilities include graphic design and print/web communications and the promotion and marketing of events and member services. Please apply in confidence to hr@amo.on.ca by December 14.

[Policy Intern - AMO](#). Assisting senior advisors and the Director of Policy, the successful candidate will support AMO's policy development process. The job will require research, analysis, report writing, project planning and coordination. The Intern will help identify issues of importance to municipal government and help demonstrate impacts of the issues and appropriate responses. Please apply in confidence to: hr@amo.on.ca by Friday, January 11, 2019, 12 noon.

[Manager, 911 & Emergency Planning - County of Simcoe](#). Employment Status: Permanent Full-Time. Closing Date: December 14, 2018. Reports to: General Manager, Health & Emergency Services. To view the job description and submit your application, please visit [County of Simcoe Jobs](#).

[Manager, Development Approvals - City of Kingston](#). Reports to: Director of Planning, Building & Licensing Services. Job Type: Full Time. Closing Date: January 14, 2019. Please apply to Career Opportunities at [City of Kingston Careers](#). Your resumé must clearly demonstrate how you meet the requirements of the position.

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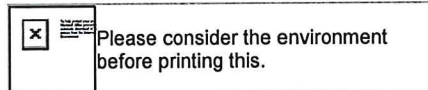
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