

who is AUMA?

The Alberta Urban Municipalities Association represents urban municipalities including cities, towns, villages, summer villages and specialized municipalities and more than 85% of Albertans. It is a dynamic and evolving association, advocating the interests of municipalities to the provincial and federal orders of government and other stakeholders.

The Alberta Municipal Services Corporation is a solutions-based company, successfully delivering innovative services to municipalities, municipally related organizations, and their employees for more than 40 years.

We provide value to our members through economies of scale, advocacy, a wide range of products and services, and expertise that comes from working with many municipalities.

member-driven engagement

AUMA offers a variety of resources to help members stay up to date on advocacy, program, service and support initiatives. In addition, we offer an array of AUMA-hosted webinars and give members the option to subscribe to targeted newsletters:

- Weekly Digest
- Elected Officials Professional Development
- Small Communities.

Through our annual Convention and Trade Show, as well as bi-annual Mayors' Caucuses, we provide forums for members to discuss issues, present and debate resolutions, and increase their knowledge of municipal issues and effective solutions.

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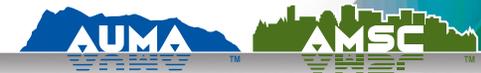
Introducing the Alberta Urban Municipalities Association



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solutions-based association

Municipally-driven commitment

AUMA believes that municipalities need stable and predictable funding to support their social, economic, cultural, environmental, and governance objectives. We also believe that the roles and responsibilities of municipal governments must be recognized and respected by both the provincial and federal orders of governments, and advocate for that recognition and respect. We work to ensure that everyone understands that municipal governments are accountable to their citizens and are trusted to act in the best interest of their respective communities.

AUMA works to engage our municipalities and develop strategic partnerships between all orders of government to meet municipal needs. Although many urban municipalities share common challenges, we also understand the diverse and complex nature of our different sizes and types of municipalities. That's why we're committed to developing solutions that respect differences.

solutions-based advocacy

Building thriving communities

The majority of our advocacy efforts are focused on working with our municipalities to build awareness and understanding of issues and opportunities, and the solutions that are required.

Our work spans a broad range of issues, including:

- land use
- water and waste water management
- transportation and transit
- housing
- crime prevention
- economic development
- culture and recreation.

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In order to make good decisions and build thriving communities, municipal leaders need to be well informed about emerging issues. That's why AUMA works to share relevant information quickly, utilizing an array of tools to inform, educate, inspire and engage community leaders.

solutions-based thinking

Alberta Municipal Services Corporation

AUMA are problem solvers, we provide the framework for efficient solutions, building capacity for municipalities who either don't have the expertise or want to stay focused on their core business.

AUMA is an organization with vast municipal expertise—from governance expertise, internal staff expertise, solid partners, and technology solutions.

Our core business services arose out of municipality requests. AUMA has been able to step in and solve municipal issues through business solutions with the creation of the Alberta Municipal Services Cooperation, which includes:

- HR services, including Benefits and Retirement services
- General Insurance and Risk
- Utilities Services, which includes energy retail program, the Municipal Climate Change Action Centre, and Water and Wastewater services.

For more than 40 years, we have addressed municipal business needs identified by our municipalities and regularly provide aggregated solutions.

We provide services to both municipalities and non-profits who support communities.



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