



# Daily Digest



Leading  
through  
Change

## Government Day Recap

During her address to AUMA convention delegates, Premier Rachel Notley asked community leaders to "... make sure everyone knows the huge value Alberta's energy industry brings to our entire country. There is not a school, there is not a hospital, there is not a road or public bike lane anywhere in this country that doesn't owe something to the hardworking men and women of Alberta's oil and gas sector. Our oil and gas, and the pipelines that bring it all to market, are just as critical for their communities as they are for ours. So make sure everyone knows the value of pipelines to all Canadians..."

Minister of Municipal Affairs, Shaye Anderson, noted that difficult, but careful and judicious, decisions will be made to help bring Alberta to fiscal balance, but that the government will remain focused on priorities to create good jobs, ensuring life is more affordable for Albertans, and to build sustainable and prosperous communities. "I will put my head down and work, and that's what this government is going to do." ▀



## Sound bytes from the Ministers

### Minister Feehan:

"The stars seem to be aligning to have a new relationship [with our Indigenous People]."

### Minister Sigurdson:

"It is crucial all levels of government work together to support seniors."

### Associate Minister Payne:

"I know the opioid crisis is top-of-mind for municipalities and I look forward to working with you to develop solutions."

### Minister Anderson:

"Alone, we can do so little; together, we can do so much."

### Minister Bilous:

"Alberta will lead [economic growth] this year and next year."

### Minister Phillips:

"Our [environment] decisions have to be made in accordance with science, but also what people are telling us."

### Minister Ganley:

"The [cannabis] legislation is based on our four priorities, keeping cannabis out of the hands of children, keeping our roads and workplace safe, maintaining healthy communities, and reducing access to the illegal market."

## DAILY SCHEDULE

Note: times are fluid this day and subject to change.

### 7:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon

Registration

### 7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.

Hot Buffet Breakfast

### 8:00 a.m. – 8:10 a.m.

Opposition Party Leader Jason Kenney, United Conservative Party

### 8:15 a.m. – 8:35 a.m.

Address from Federal Minister of Infrastructure and Communities

### 8:35 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

AUMA Annual General Meeting (AGM) and Member Priorities Survey

### 9:30 a.m.

- Election of AUMA President and Directors
- FCM Update Election of AUMA Vice Presidents
- Resolutions Part 2
- Introduction of 2017-18 Board of Directors

### 11:15 a.m. – 12:00 noon

- Convention Close: Comedian Dave Hemstad
- Prize Draws | Box Lunch To Go

## Save the date!

2018 AUMA Convention & AMSC Trade Show

Red Deer, AB

September 26-28, 2018

## AUMA AGM Agenda

1. Call to Order and Declaration of Quorum
2. Adoption of Agenda
3. Adoption of Minutes
4. CEO Report
5. Audit and Finance Report
6. Special Resolution to amend AUMA Bylaws
7. Election Process
8. New Business
9. Adjournment

## GET CONNECTED



Wifi: AUMAWiFi  
Password:  
AUMA2017  
(password case sensitive)

# Spotlight on today's Resolutions

During Wednesday's Resolutions Session delegates voted on seven resolutions. Today we will continue debating the remaining resolutions outlined in the chart below. This includes the three extraordinary resolutions printed in your convention guide, and an additional resolution sponsored by the City of Spruce Grove on Support for Trans Mountain Expansion Project. Copies of Spruce Grove's resolution are available at the registration desk and will be available from AUMA staff during the session.

We will do our best to make it through all the resolutions today. If any resolutions are not debated because of insufficient time, they will be considered by AUMA's Board of

Directors following Convention.

Thank you to all the municipalities who took the time to bring forward resolutions and to all the delegates who participated in the debate and voting process. Resolutions adopted at convention are reviewed by one of AUMA's committees, compiled by subject area and submitted to relevant Ministers or other organizations for response. The standing committees may recommend further advocacy, such as meetings or campaigns, depending on the response received.

Visit the resolutions library on AUMA's website under Advocacy Services, to stay up to date on the status of adopted resolutions.

## Insurance questions?

*We're here to help.*

1-844-2ask-IBC | [ibc.ca/ab](http://ibc.ca/ab)



Insurance Bureau of Canada



**ATCO** always there. anywhere.

Visit the **ATCO** booth to see how we can help solve the challenges facing your community.

[ATCO.com/AUMA](http://ATCO.com/AUMA)

## Resolutions up for debate

#	Resolution Title	Sponsor (s)
B7	Combative Sports	City of Red Deer
B8	Expanding Mandatory Helmet Requirements	City of Grande Prairie
B9	Commitment to Formal Municipal Consultations on the Future of Provincial Revenue Sharing	City of Grande Prairie/City of Leduc/ City of St. Albert
B10	Compensation for Municipalities Participating in the Medical First Response Program	City of Wetaskiwin
B11	Support to Medical Equipment Lending Initiatives across Alberta	City of Red Deer
B12	Regional Trail Linkages between Urban Municipalities	Town of Blackfalds / Town of Penhold/ Town of Sylvan Lake
B13	Provincial Funding of 211	City of Red Deer
E1	Tax Exemption for Municipal Elected Officials	Town of Penhold
E2	Provincial/Municipal Working Group on Opioids	City of Grand Prairie
E3	Need for Hospital Expansion	City of Red Deer
E4	Support for Trans Mountain Expansion Project	City of Spruce Grove

## Join Infrastructure Canada for the Smart Cities Challenge announcement

Monday, November 27, 2017  
8:45 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

Canada Place  
9700 Jasper Avenue NW, Edmonton, AB

## Don't take me with you



Your voting pad will not turn on your television, mute the presenter, or open your garage door. So please don't take it with you!

Once voting concludes today, please drop off your voting pad in one of the drop off boxes outside Macleod Hall before noon. If you are departing earlier, please return your voting pad to the convention registration desk.

Do not leave voting pads in your hotel room! Your municipality will be charged \$300 for each unreturned voting pad! 🚫

## It's Election Day!

The following Board positions have been filled by acclamation:

- President:  
Barry Morishita, Mayor, City of Brooks
- Director, Villages South (two-year term):  
Bruce McLeod, Mayor, Village of Acme
- Director, Villages East (one-year term):  
Ed Sosnowski, Mayor, Village of Myrnam
- Director, Summer Villages (two-year term):  
Peter Pellatt, Mayor, Summer Village of Sundance Beach
- Vice President, Towns:  
Maryann Chichak, Mayor, Town of Whitecourt
- Vice President, Villages and Summer Villages:  
Charlene Smylie, Mayor, Village of Wabamun

Elections will be held on Friday, November 24, for the following positions:

- Vice-President, Cities up to 500,000 (one year term)
  - BUCHANAN Buck, Councillor, City of Red Deer
  - HERON Cathy, Mayor, City of St. Albert
- Director, Towns East (two year term)
  - HARVEY Allan, Councillor, Town of Lamont
  - JONES Trina, Deputy Mayor, Town of Legal
  - RUDYK Taneen, Councillor, Town of Vegreville
- Director, Cities up to 500,000 (two positions available for two-year terms, one position available for a one-year term)
  - ANDERSON Dave, Councillor, Strathcona County
  - BROWN Peter, Mayor, City of Airdrie
  - BUCHANAN Buck, Councillor, City of Red Deer
  - GIVEN Bill, Mayor, City of Grande Prairie
  - HERON Cathy, Mayor, City of St. Albert

The election for Directors will take place this morning immediately following the Annual General Meeting, followed by the election for Vice-President.

Please note that all candidates nominated for Director positions are asked to be at the front of the convention hall at the time of the Returning Officer's report during the Annual General Meeting to draw for speaking order. 🚩