

Urban Update



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New Building Canada Fund

We are still waiting to hear when applications for provincial/territorial and small communities projects will be accepted to the New Building Canada Fund (NBCF). Though it launched on March 28, the NBCF is only accepting applications for the national infrastructure component. The application process and funding agreements for the other two components are still under negotiation.

More details on what we know is available [on our website](#), and information on the application process for national projects is available on [the Infrastructure Canada website](#).

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MMRP Information Session

Multi-Material Stewardship Western is hosting an information session on their plan for the upcoming province-wide recycling program (also known as the MMRP). You can attend in person at the Radisson Saskatoon, or watch a webinar online. The session is scheduled for 10:00 a.m. on **April 15**. Either way, you can [register online now](#).

The session will cover:

- the recycling program regulations, and how they impact Saskatchewan municipalities and First Nations;
- an overview of the program plan;
- how Multi-Material Stewardship Western will work with you to implement and operate the recycling program;

SUMA Classifieds

POSITIONS AVAILABLE

[City of Lloydminster: Project Technicians](#) (April 9)

[Town of Dalmeny: Recreation Manager](#) (April 25)

[Town of Ituna: Administrator](#) (April 30)

[Village of Prud'homme: Village Works Superintendent](#) (When Filled)

and

- next steps.

Renew Your Municipal World Subscription

SUMA offers exclusive pricing for subscriptions to *Municipal World* magazine. If you already subscribe, renew your subscription now for uninterrupted service - your subscription will expire soon! If you don't subscribe to *Municipal World* yet, sign up today.

More information and the subscription form are [available on our website](#). Your form must be submitted to SUMA by **April 30**.

More Time to Save on Tires!

Bid good riddance to the snow by preparing to crush it next winter with Michelin X SNOPLUS tires. Michelin has made this easier by extending the sale on tires until **April 30**. You can get a \$100 rebate *per tire* on:

- 14.00R24 X SNOPLUS
- 17.5R25 X SNOPLUS
- 20.5R25 X SNOPLUS
- 23.5R25 X SNOPLUS

All the information you need to make SUMAdvantage your first call for savings on Michelin X SNOPLUS tires is [available on our website](#).



PDAP at UMAAS Convention

The Provincial Disaster Assistance Program (PDAP) will have officials at the UMAAS Convention in Saskatoon this June. If

[Town of Wainwright: Public Works Foreman](#) (When Filled)

[Town of Gull Lake: Water Treatment Plant Operator](#) (When Filled)

[Town of Wolseley: Town Foreman](#) (When Filled)

[Town of Spiritwood: Assistant Foreman](#) (When Filled)

[Village of Caronport: Public Works Superintendent](#) (When Filled)

For Sale

[Ambulance](#) (April 21)

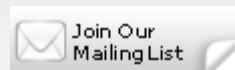
For a full listing of ads, visit the [SUMA Classifieds](#) under the Urban Marketplace tab.

Upcoming Grant Deadlines

[Building Community through Arts and Heritage](#) (April 30)

[Community Demonstration Grant](#) (April 30)

For a full listing of grants, check the Grants section on [our website](#) under the Resources tab.



About Us

We'd like to thank you for

you are an administrator attending the convention and would like to arrange a meeting during the convention, contact Dawnelle McDougall at 306-798-8463 or Dawnelle.McDougall@gov.sk.ca.

(Don't forget to register for the convention, happening June 3-6, 2014! More information and the registration form are [available on the UMAAS website.](#))

Finance Managers Meeting

The Saskatchewan Government Finance Officers Working Group (SK GFOWG) is holding its annual meeting in Melville on June 19 and 20. This meeting welcomes all finance managers to discuss issues of mutual interest to urban municipalities throughout Saskatchewan.

If you want to attend, don't forget to book a hotel room for June 18 and 19 at Reservations@sigmahotels.ca and be sure to tell them the reservation is for the Sask Government Finance Officers.

reading the Urban Update this week and we welcome your comments.

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Did You Know...

Two of the most complete fossilized skeletons were found in Saskatchewan. Scott the T-Rex, and Big Bert the Telorhinus (a pre-historic crocodile).