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June SUMA Board Meeting Highlights

The June 2011 meeting of the SUMA Board of Directors was a busy one. The Board's activities included formulating provincial election issues and strategy; providing direction for SUMA's ongoing advocacy files and discussing some board governance processes. To learn more, please visit [our website](#).

Regional Watershed Group Membership

At the June Board of Directors meeting, a motion was passed encouraging all SUMA members to join their local watershed group. Currently, there are 13 associations created based on major watersheds in the province. Local watershed groups work with diverse stakeholders to develop source water protection plans and to educate the public on watershed protection and planning.

For more information on local watershed groups, please visit the [Saskatchewan Watershed Authority](#).

SUMAdvantage Offers

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Quote of the Week:

"It is never too late to be what you might have been."

-- George Eliot, author

Have you looked at SUMA's list of available grants lately?

To access a current list of grants available to

Supplies for Mosquito Control Program

With mosquito season upon us, here is a reminder that SUMA Advantage offers a mosquito control program. In partnership with Evergo (formally Westgro Horticultural Supplies), member municipalities can purchase Vectobac, Altosid or Vectolex CG at special member pricing. The program was designed specially for smaller municipalities whose purchase requirements are less than the price advantage offered by full pallet pricing.

For more information and product pricing, please click [here](#) or contact Evergo at 800-661-2991.

Reminder: SUMA Annual Golf Tournament

This is a friendly reminder that the deadline to register for this year's SUMA Golf Tournament is July 31st. This year's event is being hosted by the City of Melfort and will be held on August 18th & 19th. Golfing will take place at the Melfort Golf and Country Club and the Thursday evening social will be held at the new Kerry Vickar Centre (KVC), the pride of the City.

Click [here](#) for more details from the Melfort Organizing Committee. Click [here](#) for the registration form.

2011-2012 Saskatchewan Community Economic Development Apprenticeship Program

municipalities and communities, see [the SUMA grants page](#).

SUMA Classifieds:

Positions Available:

Town of Carlyle: Public Works Superintendent (09/15/2011)

Resort Village of Etters: Maintenance Manager (08/15/2011)

City of Humboldt: Director of Finance (08/05/2011)

Town of Choceland: Foreman/woman (07/31/2011)

Woodlands County, AB: Director, Corporate Services (07/22/2011)

Town of Cupar: Administrator Assistant (07/13/2011)

Town of Unity: Public Works Director (07/08/2011)

Resort Village of Kannata Valley: Administrator (06/30/2011)

Village of Chaplin: Public

Sponsored by Enterprise Saskatchewan, the apprentice program is designed to assist in recruiting, training and retaining competent employees to assist with business of community economic development initiative in Saskatchewan. The program is open to any economic organizations (independent or operating with a municipality or First Nations community) in the regions supported by Enterprise Saskatchewan.

For more information about the program, please click [here](#).

Kick-Start Your Brownfield Project with a Green Municipal Fund Loan

The Green Municipal Fund (GMF) of the Federation of Canadian Municipalities offers loans for brownfield remediation projects at rates far lower than any municipal government can get on the market. GMF also provides grants for brownfield action plans, such as community improvement plans (CIPs); grants for site testing and remediation plans, including Phase II environmental site assessments; remedial action plans and risk assessments; and educational and training resources.

For more information on the GMF loan, please visit [their website](#).

2011 Municipal Recycling Bridge Funding Program Website Now Online

We are pleased to announce that the [Bridge Funding website](#) has been updated.

All the information you need, including the declaration and

Works Maintenance Person (06/30/2011)

Town of Kamsack: Water Treatment Plant Operator (06/17/2011)

City of Lloydminster: Senior Development Officer (When Filled)

Resort Village of Candle Lake: Public Works/Maintenance Manager (When Filled)

Town of St. Walburg: Administrator (When Filled)

Did you know...

Famed theorist/physicist Albert Einstein played goal for the Canwood, Sask. Canucks one winter while sojourning north to Canada to 'find peace and silence' for his work on the Theory of Relativity. He had played hockey in his younger years in Germany.



About Us

We'd like to thank you for reading the Urban Update this week and we welcome your comments.

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receipt submission forms, can be found on the website. As a reminder, the submission deadline for the first payment is **July 28, 2011**. The first payment is based on the actual tonnage for the January to June 2011 period. The rate for the first payment is \$25.00 per MT. In order to receive your funds, we require the following documentation:

- [Declaration Form](#);
- January-June 2011 tonnage receipts; and
- January-June 2011 [Receipt Submission Form](#).

Only municipalities that received bridge funding in 2010 are eligible for this year's program. Please note that we are not accepting new program participants.

Should you have any questions, please contact recycle@suma.org or Mr. Che-Wei Chung at (306) 525-4389.

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