

Daily Schedule



7:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Registration

7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.
Hot Buffet Breakfast

8:30 a.m.
Morning Announcements

9:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.
Education Sessions

Beyond Viability: The Secret Sauce of Thriving Small Communities,
GLEN 201-204

Freedom of Expression and Public Safety: Balancing Rights and Duties,
HYATT IMPERIAL BALLROOM

The Future of Transportation and Impacts to Municipalities,
TELUS 104-106

Navigating Innovative Wastewater Infrastructure Upgrades,
GLEN 208-209

Empathy & Performance: Stronger Together,
GLEN 206

Council's Leadership Style and the Potential Impacts on Organizational and Economic Culture,
TELUS 101-102

Searching for Stability in Time of Uncertainty: How Alberta Municipalities Supports Members,
TELUS 108-109

The Weaponization of Social Media,
MACLEOD E1

11:00 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.
Education Sessions

Tips & Tools for Effective Council Meeting Participation,
GLEN 201-204

Housing for All: Panel Discussion on Affordable and Seniors' Housing Priorities,
HYATT IMPERIAL BALLROOM

Cost Escalation & Collaborative Responses,
TELUS 104-106

Understanding the S & G in ESG,
GLEN 208-209

Solving Municipal Broadband,
GLEN 206

Laughing Matters,
TELUS 101-102

Advancing Corporate & Community Solutions in Energy Efficiency & Renewable Energy,
TELUS 108-109

The Weaponization of Social Media,
MACLEOD E1

12:15 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.
Buffet Lunch
MACLEOD HALL PRE-FUNCTION

1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Opening Ceremonies

3:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.
Trade Show Dessert Reception
EXHIBITION HALL

6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
City of Calgary Reception
CALGARY CITY HALL

After 6:00 p.m.
Sponsors' Networking Events
VARIOUS LOCATIONS

Welcome to our
2022 Convention & Trade Show



ABmunis is back in the saddle again...

After a five-year hiatus, it feels great to be back in Calgary again for this year's Convention & Trade Show! More than 1,000 members and over 130 exhibitors have come together in the Stampede City to participate in three action-packed days of discussions, presentations and events.

To help you keep track of everything that's happening and make the most of your time, we recommend you download the 2022 Convention App. The App provides the full agenda, information about education sessions, all the resolutions, and more. If you prefer, Convention Guide books are available at the Registration desk.

This year's schedule is full of informative, interactive, and engaging education sessions. It also includes two Ministers' Dialogue sessions, an exclusive forum of UCP leadership contestants and speeches from Premier Jason Kenney and Opposition Leader Rachel Notley.

Also of note, three special resolutions will be proposed by the Board of Directors at our Annual General Meeting (AGM) on Friday. We encourage you to read through the details that can be found in our Convention Guide books and on the App. We encourage members to discuss these special resolutions with their council colleagues, attend the AGM, and vote. It is an opportunity to help propel Alberta Municipalities forward. If you have any questions, please reach out to our President or another Alberta Municipalities Board member.

Throughout Convention, we hope you learn lots, get up to speed on a wide variety of issues, grow your professional network and enjoy yourselves over the next three days. ■

Trade Show

The Trade Show opens today from 3:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. for a dessert reception and opens tomorrow from 9:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Trade Show booths include our valued vendors and business partners, government ministries, municipally-oriented businesses, and other organizations.

The Trade Show takes place in Exhibition Hall. While you're there, be sure to enter your name for the various prize draws!

Wednesday, September 21:
Opening and Dessert Reception
3:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

Thursday, September 22:
Trade Show Open
9:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Luncheon and prize draws
11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

VISIT ATCO

See how we are delivering inspired solutions for a better world



Important Information for Delegates

AM I REQUIRED TO WEAR MY NAME TAG?

Yes, your name tag gains you entrance into all Convention programs, including the Trade Show, so please wear it at all times. It also helps to remind you of the names of other members you haven't seen in a while.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO VOTE ON RESOLUTIONS?

In order to be eligible to vote, you must be an elected official from a regular member of Alberta Municipalities (city, town, village, summer village or specialized municipality), registered for Convention and be present, virtually or in-person, during voting.

WHEN DO RESOLUTIONS TAKE PLACE?

Resolutions take place in Macleod Hall on Thursday, September 22 starting at 9:00 a.m.

WHEN DO ELECTIONS TAKE PLACE?

Alberta Municipalities Board elections are taking place on Friday, September 23 during the AGM, starting at approximately 8:15 a.m. Times are subject to change, so we recommend you be in Macleod Hall for the entirety of the morning's program.

NEW

CONVENTION TRANSPORTATION

This year, should you require transportation to and from a hotel listed below, you will be provided a taxi chit. Taxi chits are available at the front desk of the listed hotels and are available to get you to and from Convention activities.

Westin Calgary Downtown

Delta Calgary Downtown

Hilton Garden Inn Calgary Downtown

Please note, the taxi chits will be filled in with hotel and Convention Centre information prior to you picking them up and will not be permitted for usage outside of Convention activities.

How to vote at Convention

Prior to the start of Convention, all registered elected officials from Regular member municipalities received voting credentials from DOTS Connect. These voting credentials are personalized to each elected official and grant access to vote only on items based on eligibility. For example, when you vote for an Alberta Municipalities Board of Directors position, you will only see and be eligible to vote on the position in your electoral zone.

The email you receive from DOTS Connect will look something like this:

You are registered to vote during the Alberta Municipalities Convention taking place September 21 – 23, 2022. Below, you will find your login credentials for the vote.

There is a test vote that is open now. Please check your credentials and cast a vote in the test question as soon as possible so that we can be sure you received your credentials.

If you need any assistance, please contact:
Brandon - credentials@dataonthespot.com

To vote, please visit: <https://abmunis.dotsconnect.com/>

Then enter:

Elector ID - *****
Password - *****

Or follow this link to access the ballot directly: <https://abmunis.dotsconnect.com/auth.php?e=032&mac=a788d661fb4c1d81eb85>

Please note that these are only the voting credentials. Further information will be sent out by Alberta Municipalities in the coming days.

Regards,
Alberta Municipalities

If you haven't completed the test vote, please do so as soon as possible to ensure that your credentials are activated.

Once Convention commences and we get to the resolutions and elections portion of our event, you will be asked to log in to the DOTS Connect website. Once the voting has started, you will hit the home button and see the next item that will be available to vote on. After you have cast your vote, you will receive confirmation that your vote has been counted.

Do you know someone who has made outstanding contributions to your community?

Recognize their contributions by nominating them for the **Queen's Platinum Jubilee Medal**.

Visit abmunis.ca for more information. Nominations must be submitted by **October 6, 2022**.

NEED A MEETING ROOM?

The Main Level Boardroom on the first floor of the North Building is available to book for meetings for 15 - 30 minute increments.

To book a meeting space, simply use the sign-up sheet outside the room, noting your municipality, contact name and cell phone number.

Spin to Win!

Visit our booth located in the centre of the Trade Show and spin our virtual wheel to win an Alberta-made product. Don't miss out — limited items are available!

And don't miss out on our water bottle giveaway or entering our grand prize draw – be sure to stop by!

WEDNESDAY: NETWORKING EVENT INFORMATION

Host:	Location:	Times:
Visit tonight's networking events, hosted by our sponsors.		
Fortis Alberta	Oak Room, Fairmont Palliser	6:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.
Reynolds Mirth Richards & Farmer LLP	Thomsons Kitchen & Bar, Hyatt Hotel	6:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.
ATCO	Crystal Ballroom, Fairmont Palliser	6:30 p.m. - 10:30 p.m.