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FW: What to Watch: Code of Conduct Bill 9 Passes



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## New Code of Conduct Bill Passes Third Reading

This week, the legislature passed Bill 9, the *Municipal Accountability Act, 2025*.

Bill 9 provides the foundation for the much-anticipated new ethical framework governing the behaviour of elected municipal officials. This is a significant achievement for municipal governments and AMO.

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### AMO's Post-Election Local Leadership Foundations

The program complements local onboarding & covers essential areas through a series of modules delivered over the first year of a new term. For more information:

[Join the Waitlist](#)

### Time is Running Out: AMO Board of Directors Nominations

Interested in running for the AMO Board of Directors? Submit your nomination before June 22 at 12:00 p.m. Visit our webpage for more information.

[More Info](#)

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### What's New at the 2026 AMO Conference?

This year's AMO Conference brings new programming and an enhanced experience designed for today's municipal leaders. With sessions on housing, infrastructure, and local governance, and opportunities to meet face-to-face with key decision-makers, your participation matters. [If you haven't already, register now.](#)

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## Federal Matters

### Clean Economy Investment Tax Credits

Certain municipal-owned corporations are now eligible to apply to the CRA for a [15% refundable tax credit](#) for clean energy investments. The CRA is hosting webinars on June 9 and 11th [for more information click here.](#)

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## Provincial Matters

### Nominations Call: Medal of Distinction in Public Administration

Nominations for the Lieutenant Governor's Medal of Distinction in Public Administration, Ontario's highest honour for public servants, are [open until June 8.](#)

### Building Ontario Fund Market Sounding

The Building Ontario Fund has launched a market sounding seeking input on approaches to support the development of sports and recreation facilities. [Submit your feedback before June 5.](#)

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## Events & Education

- **JUN 2 - Youth Considering Running for Office**

Insights and strategies to build your understanding and confidence around how to become a candidate and run a campaign. [Register here](#)

- **JUN 3 - Urban Indigenous People Considering Running for Office**

Why increasing representation matters and understanding what it takes to become a candidate to build confidence and lead with cultural integrity. [Register here](#)

- **JUN 9 - Underrepresented Candidates Considering Running for Office**

What to expect as an underrepresented candidate, plus tips for developing effective messaging, utilizing community engagement & more. [Register here](#)

- **JUN 23 - Strengthening the Municipal Talent Pipeline**

Learn what draws students to municipal careers, practical ideas for creating meaningful placements that support recruitment, workforce planning, and long-term career pathways in local government. [Register here.](#)

[See the Full Event Calendar](#)

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## **LAS AMO Business Services**

### **New Invoicing Process for Canoe Purchases**

If you make purchases through the [Canoe Procurement Group](#), some invoices are now [sent via LBMX](#). Check there often to keep your Payables up to date. Not sure how to log in? [Contact Vicki Barton](#) at Canoe for more information.

### **Energy Reporting Made Easy with LAS**

LAS makes tracking energy projects and reporting your annual consumption easy with its [Energy Planning Tool](#), especially if you are part of our [Electricity](#) or [Natural Gas](#) programs. [Contact Christian for more info.](#)

### **Citizen Relationship Management Platform for AMO Members**

Deliver transparent, efficient, and citizen-friendly services with a unified platform built for the public sector. [Visit the AMO/LAS Citizen Relationship Management webpage](#) for more information.

### **Build your Community Faster with an Online Permitting Process**

Build your community faster with an online permitting process for both staff and the construction community. Learn how to accept, review, and issue building permits online with easy communication through the [Electronic Permitting Service](#).

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## **MUNICIPAL PARTNERS\***

### **Electrical Safety Authority: Stakeholder Advisory Council Vacancies**

The Electrical Safety Authority is seeking one representative with municipal management experience and other representatives for its Consumer Advisory Council and Electrical Contractor Registration Agency Advisory Council. [Learn more here.](#)

### **Every Second Counts: Know When to Call 9-1-1**

Up to half of all 9-1-1 calls are non-urgent (pocket dials, noise complaints etc), diverting critical attention from life-threatening situations. Ontario's Emergency Services Steering Committee has spearheaded a province-wide public information campaign to help. Please share the "When Every Second Counts" message with your community this June and [get the done-for-you social content](#).

### **Nominations Open – 2026 OHRC Human Rights Award**

Nominations are open for the 2026 Daniel G. Hill Human Rights Awards, recognizing individuals who have made significant contributions to advancing human rights in Ontario. [Submissions open until May 29](#).

### **IPC Transparency Challenge**

The IPC's third Transparency Challenge is now open. [Submit your institution's innovative projects](#) advancing government openness to be showcased in Ontario's online Transparency gallery.

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## **Careers**

[Superintendent, Investigations - Middlesex-London Paramedic Service](#). Closing Date: June 16, 2026.

[Chief Administrative Officer - Directeur administratif / directrice administrative Ottawa Police Service - Service de police d'Ottawa](#). Closing Date: June 22, 2026.

[Executive Director - Greater Sudbury Police Service Board](#). Closing Date: June 8, 2026.

[Manager, Fleet Safety - City of London](#). Closing Date: June 3, 2026.

[Executive Director of Pollution Control - City of Windsor](#). Closing Date: June 23, 2026.

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## **IN CASE YOU MISSED IT**

### **AMO's Pre-Election Workshops**

AMO is offering information sessions to support aspiring municipal candidates & help you move forward with confidence. [Register for these free workshops today](#).

### **AMO's Candidate Attraction Campaign**

AMO's [If You Believe. They Believe.](#) candidate attraction and voter turnout [campaign video](#) has reached more than 70,000 views across multiple platforms. Help spread the word about this Healthy Democracy Project campaign and [use our Campaign Toolkit](#) to keep the momentum rolling.

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