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# Integrated Community Sustainability Plan Template

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## Introduction

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- ICSPs are part of the Canada-Alberta Agreement on the Federal Gas Tax.
- Deadline for ICSPs is March 31, 2010.
- Many Alberta municipal governments have chosen to follow the MSP process developed by AUMA.
- A few municipalities still have to develop an ICSP or MSP. AUMA developed the ICSP Template for purposes of the Federal Gas Tax requirement.

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## What is an ICSP?

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- From the **Canada-Alberta Agreement** for the Federal Gas Tax:
  - “ **Integrated Community Sustainability Plan**” means any existing or new long-term plan, developed in consultation with community members, for the community to realize sustainability objectives it has for the environmental, cultural, social and economic dimensions of its identity”.

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## What is an ICSP? (cont.)

An ICSP is an existing or new long-term plan that includes:

- community consultation;
- environmental, cultural, social and economic dimensions;
- Encouragement for the implementation of environmentally friendly municipal infrastructure;
- Multi-Year Capital Infrastructure Plan (MYCIP)
- Linkage or integration of the Municipality's Multi-Year Capital Infrastructure Plan (MYCIP).

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## Template Components

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| <b>1. Sustainability Vision</b>     | <b>6. Link To Multi-Year Capital Infrastructure Plan</b> |
| <b>2. Sustainability Dimensions</b> | <b>7. Link to Other Municipal Plans</b>                  |
| <b>3. Actions</b>                   | <b>8. Community Consultation</b>                         |
| <b>4. Timeline</b>                  | <b>9. Attachments</b>                                    |
| <b>5. Lead</b>                      |  |

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## ICSPs and MSPs

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- AUMA's ICSP template is a tool to help municipalities, who have not taken part in an MSP, fulfill the federal gas tax grant.
- The ICSP template and Municipality Sustainability Plan (MSP) are substantially different exercises.
- AUMA unequivocally encourages the development of a comprehensive and long-term MSP which includes extensive citizen engagement.

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## Thank you and Questions

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