

Small Communities Committee

Report to AUMA Convention

Wednesday, September 28, 2011

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Small Communities Presentation Outline

- Committee Members
- Committee Mandate
- Key Activities
- Panel presentation: The Infrastructure Deficit in Small Communities



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Committee Members

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| Mayor Anita Gillard | Village of Clive |
| Mayor Jenelle Saskiw | Village of Marwayne |
| Mayor Barb Sjoquist | Village of Edgerton |
| Councillor Mark Watson | Town of Smoky Lake |
| Councillor Dell Wickstrom | Village of Alliance |
| Ms. Sylvia Roy | Pigeon Lake Summer Villages |
| Ms. Lynn Horbasenko | Village of Bawlf |



Committee Mandate

The Small Communities Committee is a unified voice, advocate and resource, focusing on urban municipal governments with populations of 2,500 or less.





Key Activities

- Recommended content for under 2500 Mayors' Caucuses
- Reviewed status of Municipal Sustainability Projects
- Reviewed the Municipal Sustainability Strategy
- Reviewed the Local Authorities Election Act (LAEA) recommendations
- Provided feedback into rural development initiatives



Panel: The Infrastructure Deficit in Small Communities

James Marr, Engineer with Banner Environmental Engineering Consultants

Andy Pfeifer, Public Works Manager, Town of Black Diamond

Mayor Jenelle Saskiw, Village of Marwayne





Closing



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