

Asset Management Ontario

The vision of AM ONT is to be the multi-disciplinary center of excellence and innovation for public sector asset management in the Province of Ontario.

“Making a Difference for our Citizens”

Newsletter & Agenda

February 2017

Message from the Chair

The whirlwind of change continues, in our industry and for us as an asset management community of practice. Your new leadership committee has been working hard to ensure the sustainability and positioning of our organization as both a resource, and influencers in public sector asset management in Ontario.



As Asset Management Ontario, we represent a cross-section of public sector infrastructure practitioners from Ontario that meet to share information and best practices to satisfy the growing needs of the asset management profession. Members span a variety of expertise and backgrounds.

AM ONT strives to make the connections amongst all professions to advance the field of asset management and enhance decision making. Supporting and increasing the maturity of asset management practices across all public infrastructure

We have taken a lot of steps to formalize our group and are excited to be having our first AGM this June, when we will be opening up elections for a new Vice-Chair, and I will be passing the baton on to Curtis Ching as our incoming Chair. There is much progress to share at our February meeting and I am looking forward to seeing you all there, in the wonderful City of Guelph!

Leanne

About the Host: City of Guelph

Guelph was founded on St. George’s Day, April 23rd, 1827 with the ceremonial felling of a large maple tree. Guelph is considered to be one of the first planned towns in Canada and was chosen as the headquarters of a British development firm known as the “Canada Company”. The location was picked by the Company’s Superintendent in Canada, a popular Scottish novelist named John Galt who designed the town to attract settlers to it and to the surrounding countryside.



Galt’s plan was quite imaginative, based on a series of streets radiating from a focal point at the Speed River, and resembles a European city centre, complete with squares, broad main streets and narrow side streets, resulting in a variety of block sizes and shapes. Galt chose the name “Guelph” for the new town because it was one of the family names of the British royal family, and it had apparently never been used as a place name before. Hence the current use of the term “The Royal City” for Guelph.

Working Group Agenda

February 14, 2017

Start time: 10:00am sharp

Welcome & Introduction

Leanne Brannigan
Chair AM ONT

LUNCH & NETWORKING

Thank you to the City of Guelph

Presentation: Rural Ontario Challenges of AM

Mike Hausser
Manager of Public Works, Huron County

MOI – Asset Management Regulation Update

Vanessa Chau
Manager, Corporate Asset Management, City of
Brampton

Presentation: Establishing a Corporation-Wide Asset Management Program

Daryush Esmaili Manager of Corporate Asset
Management, City of Guelph

Roundtable Discussion

Metrics and KPI's

Leanne and Mike

Asset Management Ontario Governance and Announcements

Leanne Brannigan
Chair AM ONT

Housekeeping and Next Meeting

Leanne Brannigan
Chair AM ONT

Upcoming Events

- OGRA Conference Feb 27/28
- AMO Asset Management Symposium, April 4/5
- AM ONT April Meeting TBA
- CNAM Conference, Calgary Alberta May 15-18
- AM ONT 1st Annual AGM June 6/7

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