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**NWTAC E-News Flash** 

"Working together to achieve all that our communities want to be"

# **NWTAC Highlights**

Our NWTAC 54th AGM is coming up February 27- March 1, 2020 in INUVIK!



Deadline for Early Bird Registration is December 27th.

You can change names on registration if needed at no charge before the **AGM. SO Register NOW!** 

Go to our website for all AGM details.



The NWT Association of Communities is very pleased to announce, that in collaboration with CIRNAC and MACA's School of Community Government we will be offering our second Chiefs & Mayors Bootcamp!

You will network with other Chiefs and Mayors, reflect on the challenges and opportunities in your community and explore ways to foster relationships with Council and your SAO or Band Manager.

WHEN: Feb 25, 2020 to end of day Wednesday, Feb 26, 2020. This workshop ties in to the NWT Association of Communities Annual General Meeting. We will start on Tuesday after the flights from Yellowknife arrive.



### **Community Builder Awards Nominations**

The aim of the Community Builder Awards is to celebrate excellence among elected officials, honour long-serving members of the NWTAC, and recognize individuals and organizations that have contributed to and improved the well-being of residents within our Member Communities.

AON's kind sponsorship of these awards goes a long way in assisting the NWTAC to recognize leadership and innovation across the NWT.

#### **Link to all Information**



### **Feature Toolkit**

### **Tender Templates for NWT**

We have a host of templates and information for community administrators to use for various project agreements:

- Independent Contractors Agreement
- Instructions: Independent Contractors Agreement
- Sewage Pump-Out Contract
- Solid Waste Collection Contract
- Water Delivery Contract
- Tender: Advertisement
- Tender: Instructions to Bidders

**Link to Toolkit** 

### **Focus on Healthy Communities**



#### **Alcohol Moderation**

With the holiday season approaching we should all be mindful of the effects that alcohol has on us, our families and community. Check out the links below for helpful information.

**Link to Low Risk Alcohol Guidelines** 

More information on Alcohol at Events

### **Highlight Members Program**

The NWTAC's insurance professionals provide a variety of services in support of the Loss Prevention Incentive Program



Northern Communities Insurance Program

For more information about the Program, please email NCIP Manager Karen Kuronen or call the NCIP office at 867 873 8359, Toll Free 1-866-973-8359.

For a list of Support Services view here



**NWT & National Bulletin** 

SCC and CSA Group deliver new standards and guidance for northern infrastructure



Building in the far north has always presented unique design challenges. But now, with the increase in annual average temperatures being felt particularly strongly in the north, the challenges are even greater. To help address the growing need, three new documents developed by CSA Group with support from the Standards Council of Canada are now available.

Together, these documents will help infrastructure developers deliver more sustainable and resilient infrastructure in Canada's north.

#### **Link to Information**



# **Funding Opportunities**

### **Volunteer Recognition Funding**

The Volunteer Recognition Policy allows community governments to promote and encourage community volunteerism through planned community volunteer recognition events. Community governments can apply for contributions up to one thousand dollars (\$1000) per year for eligible costs related to hosting community recognition events.

For more information please contact: youth\_and\_volunteer@gov.nt.ca

**Link to information on MACA Funding** 

#### PUBLIC SECTOR DIGEST

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#### **Municipal Grant Inventory Service**

The MGIS assists Canadian municipalities with their grant application search, helping them stay on top of grant opportunities and pressing deadlines. The service includes:

- Weekly customized emails notifying communities of newly available grants
- Enterprise-wide access to the web-based Municipal Grant Inventory
- Access to timely PSD briefings and webinar recordings
- Discounted rates on PSD's grant application services

Contact you SAO for sign up information. You can get updates on grants each week!

**Link to information** 

## More from the NWTAC.....

Supportive Member of the Month





School of Community Government Calendar October 2019 Schedule



**NWTAC Tool-Kits** 



NEW website coming soon!







