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Check Out the Government of Alberta's Municipal COVID-19 Factsheets

The factsheets provide answers to frequently asked questions on how municipalities are impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic

For the past several weeks, Alberta Municipal Affairs has developed a [weekly factsheet](#) to provide municipalities with updated information on legislative, operational, financial, and other impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic. The factsheets are a helpful resource to find answers to common questions municipalities may have related to municipal operations during the pandemic and are emailed directly to municipalities. The following factsheets are currently available, and new versions are expected to be provided weekly as the pandemic continues:

April 24 edition

- Planning and development
- Assessment and tax recovery
- Municipal enforcement
- Education property tax deferral

April 17 edition

- Time extensions
- Property tax deferrals
- Emergency management
- Municipal cash flow issues
- Shovel-ready projects

April 9 edition

- Planning and development
- Emergency management

April 3 edition

- Municipal cash-flow assistance
- Tax deferral initiatives
- Deficits and debt limits

March 27 edition

- Electronic council meetings
- ICF and IDP extensions

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March 20 edition

- Business continuity
- Tax recovery
- Municipal Affairs support

Please note that some information in past editions may no longer be accurate. For example, the April 3 edition focuses on Ministerial Order MSD:022/20, which extended a range of municipal deadlines to October 1, 2020, and was later rescinded due to the unintended consequences of some deadline extensions. RMA members are encouraged to seek answers to their questions in older editions of the factsheets but should be advised not all information is current.

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