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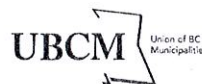
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2016 Resolutions Released

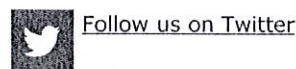
The [resolutions to be considered at the 2016 UBCM Annual Convention](#) are now available online. This includes all resolutions submitted by UBCM member local governments. Resolutions endorsed by the membership are conveyed to other orders of government or organizations involved in local affairs, as appropriate. Hard copies of the *2016 UBCM Annual Report and Resolutions Book* will be mailed to each member local government.

August 17, 2016



Funding for Local Emergency Preparedness

Disability Alliance BC has received funding from Emergency Management BC to work with local authorities to meet the objectives of the Province's Accessibility 2024 initiative. DABC will be working with local authorities to ensure the needs of people with disabilities are met during emergencies and disasters. [Read more](#)



And the Nominations Are In!

A Call for Nominations by UBCM's Nominating Committee has resulted in a full slate of candidates running for the 13 elected positions on the UBCM Executive. Profiles of the candidate can be found in the Nominating Committee report, which will also be mailed out to members before the end of August. [Read more](#)



Input Sought on Urban Aboriginal Strategy

The Government of Canada is [seeking input](#) on how the Urban Aboriginal Strategy (UAS) can better meet the needs of urban Indigenous peoples. Funding for the current program was extended until March 2017 and the program will continue to operate while this engagement takes place.

Interested in Community Energy Management?

The Community Energy Association (CEA) has partnered with BC Institute of Technology (BCIT) to deliver six online courses that qualify students to write CEA's Community Energy Management certification exam. [Read more](#)

New Factsheet on Burning

The Ministry of Environment has developed a factsheet that outlines the environmental laws that apply to burning in BC. This factsheet may be useful to local government and fire department staff, in responding to the public on this topic. [Read more](#)

Provincial C2C Forum: Date Change

Local government and First Nation elected officials and senior staff are asked to note the *postponement* of the Provincial Community to Community Forum (PC2C) originally slated for October 18, 2016, to early 2017. Additional information will be provided via *The Compass* as it becomes available. Those with questions or comments are asked to contact us.

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