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MUNICIPAL RELATIONS

Important Notice to all Chief Administrative Officers

Municipal Enforcement Support Program Second Intake

A second intake for the Municipal Enforcement Support Program (MESP) is now open. This program provides municipalities with training, financial and other supports to enable successful local enforcement of public health orders related to COVID-19, recognizing that one of municipalities' primary purposes is to maintain safe communities. Local leaders are well placed to take meaningful action to protect their residents throughout COVID-19, and the second intake builds on interest from over 40 municipalities that have already joined the MESP program.

Any municipality that is interested in enforcing public health orders should apply to the program. Municipalities that applied to the first intake may also submit an additional intake form if there is interest in expanding their enforcement activities beyond those initially identified.

Please complete the attached intake form and submit it by email to mmca@gov.mb.ca before Friday, December 11. Intake forms will be assessed as received on a weekly basis, with training for by-law enforcement officers available at the next scheduled opportunity.

Please see attached the Program Guidelines as well as a Frequently Asked Questions document to help facilitate the completion of the Intake Form.

A supporting council resolution is required.

For general inquiries, please call 204-945-2572 or email mmmca@gov.mb.ca.

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