

## **Bulletin #2020-43**

### **MUNICIPAL RELATIONS**

#### **Important Notice to all Chief Administrative Officers**

#### **ISSUING HOLIDAY EVENT PERMITS**

At this time of year, municipalities may receive applications for event permits, such as for fireworks displays of a large or commercial nature, in accordance with municipalities' by-laws and local permitting frameworks.

Because current public health orders restrict large gatherings, any organization applying for such a permit must review and understand the public health orders and ensure that their event remains compliant.

Municipalities should either not issue permits where large gatherings are expected, or when issuing a permit:

- a. Inform the organization receiving the permit that they will need to follow current public health orders.
- b. Provide the organization with a copy of the current public health orders.
- c. Inform the organization that enforcement officers may attend any events under the permit to ensure compliance.
- d. Provide a copy of the permit to local enforcement personnel for their awareness.

If you have any inquiries, please contact a Municipal Services Officer or email [mrmca@gov.mb.ca](mailto:mrmca@gov.mb.ca).