

**RURAL MUNICIPAL
ADMINISTRATORS' ASSOCIATION OF
SASKATCHEWAN**

96th

**A N N U A L
C O N V E N T I O N**

PROGRAM

2016

**DELTA REGINA HOTEL
REGINA, SASKATCHEWAN**

MAY 16th – 19th, 2016

2016 R.M.A.A. CONVENTION AGENDA:

MONDAY, MAY 16

- AM**
- 11:00 Bus Leaves Delta Regina Hotel for Royal Regina Golf Course.
(See brochure for more details)
- 11:00 Bus Leaves Delta Regina Hotel for the 'Women on the Go' tour
(See brochure for more details)
- PM**
- 1:00 **Annual RMAA Golf Tournament**
- Royal Regina Golf Course (See Golf Brochure)
- Sponsored by the 'Gang of Three' - **Canada Culvert Ltd.**
- **Finning Canada**
- **Signal Industries Ltd.**
- CHANGE At approx. 5:30 pm a barbeque supper will be served at the Golf Course Club House and will be immediately followed by the presentation of golf awards and door prizes (non-golfers also eligible for door prizes). **Non golfers are welcome to attend the free barbeque supper at the golf course, however you must register for the meal.** Please look at the golf brochure for details and the registration form.
- 7:00 Bus Returns from the Royal Regina Golf Course to Delta Regina Hotel.
- 7:30 Registration - Convention Lobby
Carried out by the Staff of
Saskatchewan Municipal Hail Insurance Association
- Umbria Room**
- 8:00 to 8:00 to
?? Wine & Cheese Reception and Social Evening
- Compliments of **Maxim Chemical, AMEC Earth and Environmental & Fosters Wine Estates**

TUESDAY, MAY 17

- AM**
- Starting at 8:30 Registration – Convention Lobby
*Early Morning Coffee Courtesy of **Anderson Paving & Rental**
& **Brandt Tractor Ltd.***
- NOTE: THERE ARE THREE SEMINARS AVAILABLE THIS MORNING. YOU MAY ATTEND ANY TWO OF THE THREE**
- 9:00 to 10:15 **Campania A & B Room**
Seminar conducted by Clint Krismer
– Gord Krismer & Associates Ltd.
Municipal Assessment Appeals
- Tuscany A & B Room**
Seminar conducted by: **Cindy Schreiber**
R.M. of Wilton No. 472
Construction Procedures
- Trentino Room**
Seminar conducted by: Denise Harry
Supervisor, Records Management, SGI Canada
Records Management
- 10:15 to 10:30 *Coffee Courtesy of **20/20 Geomatics***
- 10:30 to 11:45 Above 3 seminars repeated.
PLEASE NOTE: You will be required to change rooms for each seminar and the presenters will remain in their respective rooms.
- 11:45 Adjourn for Lunch.

AM
11:50

TUESDAY, MAY 17

Umbria/Lombardy Room

OFFICIAL OPENING OF CONVENTION:

Call to Order: Wendy Gowda, **President**
Rural Municipal Administrators' Association

'O Canada'
- led by **Glenda Giles**, Administrator, R. M. of Kindersley #280

Blessing, followed by Meal

Moment of Silence
- in remembrance of members who have passed away during past year.

Opening Address: Rick Kindrachuk
Retired Rural Administrator, R. M. of Fish Creek No. 402

Greetings: **Hon. Jim Reiter**
Minister, Saskatchewan Ministry of Government Relations

Greetings: **Ray Orb**,
President, Saskatchewan Association of Rural Municipalities

Greetings: **Representative from the City of Regina**

Reply: **Darren Elder**
Vice-President, Rural Municipal Administrators' Association

INDUCTION OF NEW MEMBERS

President Wendy Gowda, Vice-Pres Darren Elder and Ex-Dir. Kevin Ritchie

<u>NAME:</u>	<u>MUNICIPALITY:</u>
Jennifer Ernst	Parkdale No. 498
John Morris	Caron No. 162
Kathleen Collins	Wise Creek No. 77 & Grassy Creek No. 78
Shannon Andersen	Spalding No. 368
Cheryl Barrett	Martin No. 122
Jennifer Robinson	Piapot No. 110
Judy Lychak	Leask No. 464
Kayla Krusky	Browning No. 34
Natasha Brown	Carmichael No. 109
Margaret Jacquemart	Clayton No. 333
Petra de Winter	Cymri No. 36
Brenda Thiessen	Baildon No. 131
Carma Dilts	Pense No. 160
Heather Elmy	Kelvington No. 366
Marcy Johnson	North Qu'Appelle No. 187
Patti Gurskey	Norton No. 69
Lydia Boyes	Mount Pleasant No. 2
Lindsay Hargrave	Mariposa No. 350
Katherine Wurz	Village of Vanguard
Madsine Madsen	Hoodoo No. 401
Moe Rotsey	Frenchman Butte No. 501
Daphne Brady	Maryfield No. 91

TUESDAY, MAY 17

PM

2:00 'Sharp' **Trentino Room**

2:00 Executive-Director Report: **Kevin Ritchie**
- Auditor's Report
- Appointment of Returning Officer
- Outline of Election Procedures
- Convention Announcements

2:10 Introduction of Executive: **President Wendy Gowda**

2:15 President's Address:
Wendy Gowda, Administrator, R. M. of Leroy #339

2:45 **PRESENTATION OF 25 YEAR MEMBERSHIP PINS:**
- Pres. Wendy Gowda, Vice-Pres. Darren Elder & Ex-Dir. Kevin Ritchie

Darren Elder	Wilton	No. 472
Todd Steele	Sliding Hills	No. 273
Lorelei Theaker	Indian Head	No. 156

2:50 **Board of Examiners - Presentation of Advanced Certificates**
- Rural Board of Examiners Rep. Darren Elder, Pres. Wendy Gowda
& Rural Board of Examiners Secretary Kevin Ritchie

*Coffee Courtesy of **Ducks Unlimited** & **Plains Midstream Canada***

2:55 Energy Break – Wilma Moen

3:00 **S.A.R.M. UPDATE:**
Ray Orb, President of S.A.R.M.
Jay Meyer, Executive Director of S.A.R.M.
Laurel Feltin, Director of Programs and Operations

4:00 **Presentation: Jeff Mulligan**

5:00 Adjourn.

"FREE EVENING FOR DELEGATES"

WEDNESDAY, MAY 18

AM

Starting at 8:30 Registration – Convention Lobby
Early Morning Coffee Courtesy of W.F. Botkin Construction

Trentino Room

9:00 **Saskatchewan Ministry of Government Relations**
to
10:15 **Advisory Services Branch Staff**

10:15 to *Coffee Courtesy of Delta Regina Hotel*
10:30 Energy Break – Wilma Moen

10:30 **Saskatchewan Ministry of Government Relations**
to session resumes
11:45

Adjourn for Lunch (Pizza Buffet lunch)

Trentino Room

PM

12:30 **Round Table begins at 12:30 p.m.**
To **and Continues until 1:15 p.m.**
1:15

1:15 **Saskatchewan Municipal Retirees Association (SMRA)**
Presentation

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NOTE: Nominations for President of the Association will be received by the Secretary of the Convention (Kevin Ritchie) until 2:00 P.M. Nominations must be submitted on Nomination Forms available from the Secretary of the Convention.
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1:45 **Rodney Schoettler, CEO, Saskatchewan Municipal Hail Insurance Association**

2:00 to **Saskatchewan Municipal Hail Insurance Presents:**
3:45 **'KEYNOTE PRESENTATION'**
Al Kehler

*Coffee Courtesy of Resource Management International Inc.
& Prairie Steel Products*

Adjourn.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 18

PM

6:00 **Umbria Lombardy Room** (Doors open @ 6:00, Dinner @ 6:30)

CONVENTION BANQUET

Courtesy of **Saskatchewan Municipal Hail Insurance Association**

- Presentation of Service Awards to Retired Administrators by
President Wendy Gowda, Vice-Pres Darren Elder & Ex-Dir. Kevin Ritchie

NAME

Rhonda Bellefeuille
Betty Ann Bjarnason
Terry Bohn
Ron Gasper
Quinton Jacksteit
Collette Jones
Tim Leurer
Wilma Moen
Darcy Olson
Lowell Prefontaine
Marie Steiner
Sandra Thatcher
Art Thompson
Glen Thompson
Linda Van Den Bosch
Kim Waddell

R.M. NAME & NO.

Grassy Creek No. 78 & Wise Creek No. 77
Lakeview No. 337
Mariposa No. 350
Marquis No. 191
Big Stick No. 141
Carmichael No. 109
Kelvington No. 366
Lacadena No. 228
Britannia No. 502
Pleasantdale No. 398
Stanley No. 215
Caron No. 162
Lawtonia No. 135
Elfros No. 307
Coteau No. 255
Wallace No. 243

TOWN

Shaunavon
Wadena
Kerrobert
Marquis
Golden Prairie
Gull Lake
Kelvington
Lacadena
Lloydminster
Naicam
Melville
Caron
Hodgeville
Elfros
Birsay
Yorkton

- **Introduction of Head Table guests**
- **Kevin Ritchie, 2016 Lou Jacobs Award Winner**
- **Saskatchewan Municipal Hail Insurance Association
Presentations by SMHI President Wayne Black**
- **Prize draws courtesy of Saskatchewan Association of Rural Municipalities
will be made during the banquet. You must be present to win (for active members only).**

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9:00 **Free Evening for Delegates.**

THURSDAY, MAY 19

AM Trentino Room

*Early Morning Coffee Courtesy of **Redhead Equipment Ltd.**
& **Crescent Point Resources***

- 9:00 to Election for President of the Association. (If required)
9:30 - carried out by Returning Officer

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NOTE: Nominations for Vice President will be received by the Secretary of the Convention
(Kevin Ritchie) during a stated 15 minute period immediately following the election for
President. Nominations must be submitted on Nomination Forms available from the
Secretary of the Convention.
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9:00 **SASKATCHEWAN ASSESSMENT MANAGEMENT AGENCY (SAMA)**

- 9:30 Energy Break – Wilma Moen

9:30 **COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

- By your R.M.A.A. Board Members
- Update on Committee Activities on your behalf over the Past Year!

10:30 **DIVISIONAL MEETINGS:**

NOTE: Elections will be held in Divisions 1, 3 & 5

Division 1	-	Tuscany A Room
Division 2	-	Tuscany B Room
Division 3	-	Lombardy A Room
Division 4	-	Lombardy B Room
Division 5	-	Campania A Room
Division 6	-	Campania B Room

11:15 **Trentino Room**

- Introduction of New RMAA Executive
- RESOLUTIONS
- S.A.R.M. Door Prizes: **Amanda Kozak**
- Set of LUGGAGE DRAW
 - Sponsored by **CAA Travel** (must be in attendance to win)
- Any other Business.
- Adjourn.

*Coffee Courtesy of **SaskTel and Sask Energy***