

Infrastructure

Additional Resources for the *Municipal Growth Readiness Checklist*

Municipalities must meet their existing infrastructure needs and have the capacity available to accommodate future growth needs.

It is important that municipalities consider the impact of developments and a growing population on a municipality's infrastructure requirements for:

- Water treatment
- Waste water treatment and solid waste facilities
- Transportation

It is also critically important that municipalities understand how long their new and existing infrastructure will last. Asset management provides the foundation for detailed, consistent information to improve infrastructure need projections and ensure the most efficient use of limited financial resources.

Related legislation

Visit Publications Saskatchewan (<https://publications.saskatchewan.ca/#/categories/1505>) to search and refer to the following publications:

- *The Local Improvements Act, 1993*

General administration information

Visit www.saskatchewan.ca and search for the terms listed below to find additional information.

- Municipal Information Dataportal
- Road Maintenance Agreements
- Utility and Waste Information
- Local Improvements Manual
- Integrating Asset Management into Official Community Plans
- Asset Management

Suggested external sites to visit:

- **Saskatchewan Asset Management** <https://www.assetmanagementsk.ca/>
Site has material to help municipalities become compliant with the Public Sector Accounting Board's PS3150 Tangible Capital Assets reporting requirements.

- **SaskH₂O** <http://www.saskh2o.ca/foroperators.asp>
Download resources and forms required by operators of water and wastewater treatment plants in Saskatchewan.
- **SaskWater** <http://www.saskwater.com/>
Delivery of potable and non-potable water, wastewater treatment and certified operations and maintenance services information for Saskatchewan municipalities.
- **Canadian Mortgage and Housing Corporation (Lifecycle Costing Tool for Community Infrastructure Planning)** http://publications.gc.ca/collections/collection_2008/cmhc-schl/nh18-23/NH18-23-108-001E.pdf
A method for establishing the long-term costs of alternative planning approaches.