



## YOUR LOCAL ASSET MANAGEMENT COMMUNITY OF PRACTICE IN BC

Enhancing communities through leadership in asset management

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# CALL FOR PRESENTATIONS

Submissions deadline: Friday, May 30, 2025, for the  
**9<sup>th</sup> Annual Asset Management BC Conference**

## *Advancing Asset Management in a Changing World*

**Radisson Vancouver Airport Hotel November 5-6, 2025**  
**Pre-conference training on November 4, 2025**

### **About our Conference Theme**

The concept of Asset Management has been around long enough for staff and elected officials to have an awareness of the issues. We are at the point where we need to move past concepts and truly begin addressing the problems. A large part of that involves re-evaluating services and better informing taxpayers on levels of service and costs, and making tough decisions on how to fund the services that communities deliver.

Costs are steadily increasing and the current tariff war has added more unexpected cost to materials and the delivery of our services. The taxpayers and users are also struggling to keep up with the cost and maintaining their standard of living, and public incivility seems to be growing.

Help us advance our collective asset management practices by sharing your knowledge, data, and experience with your colleagues from across the province in this call for presentations.

### **Submissions are welcome from:**

- Local Governments with a preference to BC communities
- First Nation Communities
- Not-for-profit, associations, and government agencies
- Academic Institutions and staff, including student presentations
- Private Sector (based on a case study with a local government or First Nations and includes a presenter or author from local government or First Nations)

### **Length of Presentation:**

Presentations for **Plenary Sessions** will be 45 minutes in length with approximately 40 minutes allowed for the introduction & presentation and 5 minutes for questions and answers.

Presentations for **Concurrent Sessions** will be 35 minutes in length with approximately 30 minutes allowed for the introduction & presentation and 5 minutes for questions and answers.



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### **Subject Matter:**

Most organizations have advanced beyond the simple introduction of asset management into their processes. As these processes advance, and the organization has a better understanding of their needs, asset management evolves into a process of sustainable service delivery, where elected officials, senior staff, and every employee has a focus on the services they provide.

We are looking for presentations that address solutions and the changing requirements of sustainable service delivery, and could cover any of the following topics listed below. Or, you can submit a presentation that you think addresses asset management problems in our changing world.

- An innovative or new approach to service delivery. This could involve new bylaws and charges for an old service, such as stormwater
- New tax rates or solutions to cover the cost of aging infrastructure and/or intergenerational equity
- The use of Artificial Intelligence to improve or speed up your workflows
- Communication, corporate culture, and change management, especially with a focus on elected official and public consultation
- Inclusion of full life-cycle analysis and risk assessment information in corporate asset management plans
- Long-term financial planning changes or service-based budgeting
- Asset management, climate adaptation, and community resilience
- Renewal or re-development and implementation of old AM strategies / plans
- Adaptation to the new world of tariffs and procurement

### **Written Submission Must Include:**

1. **Presentation Title**
2. **Presentation length** – (Preference for Plenary or Concurrent Session)
3. **Presentation Outline/Abstract (max 250 words)**
4. **Presenter(s)** (include full name(s), title(s), and organization(s) of all presenters)
5. **Main Contact Information (Name / Email / Phone)**

**Submissions are due Friday May 30, 2025**

**Please send your written submissions to:**

**[info@assetmanagementbc.ca](mailto:info@assetmanagementbc.ca)**

Successful submissions will be notified by **June 27, 2025**

### ***Please Note!***

***Selected presenters will be responsible for paying their own conference registration and expenses.***