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Communications and Technology / Communication et technologie				
City announces an upgraded Council meeting streaming program	Red Deer (Alberta : City)	2020-07-10	AB	Red Deer
Central Huron to look into hybrid meetings	Clinton News Record	2020-07-10	ON	Central Huron
COVID-19 virtual assistant launched on Access Markham mobile app	Markham (Ontario : City)	2020-07-08	ON	Markham
City of Toronto launches online business licensing and permit application	Toronto	2020-07-08	ON	Toronto
Neighbourhood traffic reviews moving online in 2020	Saskatoon (Saskatchewan : City)	2020-07-10	SK	Saskatoon
COVID-19 could accelerate government adoption of AR, VR tech	Government Technology	2020-07-09	USA	
Economics, Trade and Economic Development / Économie, commerce et développement économique				
APEX Alberta, Medicine Hat and District Chamber of Commerce, Invest Medicine Hat and Google Canada collaborate to help local businesses get online for free	Medicine Hat (Alberta : City)	2020-07-13	AB	Medicine Hat
Whitecourt partnership receives provincial support to complete a COVID-19 Impact Assessment Project for the region	Whitecourt (Alberta : Town)	2020-07-08	AB	Whitecourt
City of Colwood economic recovery plan	Colwood (British Columbia : City)	2020-07-08	BC	Colwood
Colwood economic recovery plan: promoting prosperity throughout our community	Colwood (British Columbia : City)	2020-07-08	BC	Colwood
City makes more streets people friendly: Additional pop-up plaza and temporary patios approved	Vancouver (British Columbia : City)	2020-07-10	BC	Vancouver
Harmony Eats: Enjoy outdoor dining on West Vancouver's waterfront	West Vancouver (British Columbia : District)	2020-07-10	BC	West Vancouver
#SupportLocalCW	Centre Wellington (Ontario : Township)	2020-07-10	ON	Centre Wellington
New pop-up shops now available in Cornwall	Cornwall (Ontario : City)	2020-07-08	ON	Cornwall (City)

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Rediscover Grey and support local businesses	Grey (Ontario : County)	2020-07-10	ON	Grey County
Leamington supports local business community with Temporary Outdoor Patio Program	Leamington (Ontario : Municipality)	2020-07-09	ON	Leamington
Recover Richmond Hill action plan	Richmond Hill	2020-07-10	ON	Richmond Hill
Richmond Hill drives economic recovery through innovation: Plan focuses on entrepreneurship and partnerships to help local businesses thrive	Richmond Hill	2020-07-10	ON	Richmond Hill
City to launch a CaféTO blitz tomorrow to accelerate curb lane patio installations	Toronto	2020-07-11	ON	Toronto
City temporarily closing part of Princess Street to facilitate street dining	Waterloo (Ontario : City)	2020-07-07	ON	Waterloo (City)
Gatineau octroie 500 000 \$ pour dynamiser les artères commerciales et encourager l'achat local	Gatineau (Québec : Ville)	2020-07-07	QC	Gatineau
Optimism buoys City of Laval's economic recovery plan: City focuses on key industries and businesses in post-COVID-19 strategy	Laval News	2020-07-10	QC	Laval
Executive committee votes in favour of \$2M relief for Regina businesses	Regina Leader-Post	2020-07-09	SK	Regina

Finance, Taxation and Revenue / Finances, taxation et revenu

COVID-19 financial impact update	Brooks (Alberta : City)	2020-07-06	AB	Brooks
City looking at framework for COVID-19 funding requests from community groups	Grande Prairie Daily Herald-Tribune	2020-07-08	AB	Grande Prairie
Okanagan cities short millions on delayed tax payments	Kelowna Daily Courier	2020-07-10	BC	Kelowna Penticton West Kelowna
Council asks for 2021 budget with tax increase of no more than 5%	Vancouver (British Columbia : City)	2020-07-09	BC	Vancouver
HRM lowers target amount of operating loan from province	The Chronicle Herald	2020-07-06	NS	Halifax Regional Municipality

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COVID-19 financial impacts: July update	Kitchener (Ontario : City)	2020-07-07	ON	Kitchener
Niagara mayors ask for emergency funding for 'impossible' COVID-19 financial crisis	The St. Catharines Standard	2020-07-07	ON	Niagara Falls St. Catharines
Owen Sound could see \$500,000 deficit due to COVID-19	Bayshore Broadcasting	2020-07-06	ON	Owen Sound
Financial impact on municipality includes \$60,000 loss in bookings	Strathroy Age Dispatch	2020-07-09	ON	Strathroy-Caradoc
City estimates \$29.7M financial loss due to COVID-19: Financial projection report going before council next Monday	CBC News	2020-07-07	ON	Windsor (City)
139 additional MEEP projects approved to move ahead: \$150 million program to benefit cities, towns, villages, RMs and northern communities	Saskatchewan. Ministry of Government Relations	2020-07-08	SK	

General / Général

Backgrounder: Ontario starting down the path to growth, renewal and economic recovery	Ontario. Office of the Premier	2020-07-08	ON	
Document d'information : L'Ontario s'engage sur la voie de la croissance, du renouveau et de la reprise économique	Ontario. Cabinet du premier ministre	2020-07-08	ON	

Housing / Habitation

Pandémie de la COVID-19 - La reprise des travaux de la Régie du logement se poursuit	Québec. Ministère des Affaires municipales et de l'Habitation	2020-07-07	QC	
Support program to help Yukoners pay rent extended	Yukon. Cabinet	2020-07-10	YT	

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Infrastructure / Infrastructures				
Asset management, service delivery, and the COVID-19 virus	Asset Management BC. Local Government Asset Management Working Group	2020-07-10	BC	Gibsons Golden Nanaimo North Vancouver (District)
Pandemic proves Canada desperately needs more public washrooms: Author	CBC News	2020-07-10	Canada	
Water sector needs in a post-COVID-19 world	Water Canada	2020-07-09	Canada	
City of Saint John kicks off uptown Open Streets for pedestrians with Canterbury Street and Grannan Lane this Saturday, July 11	Saint John (New Brunswick : City)	2020-07-09	NB	Saint John
La Ville de Saint John inaugure les Rues Ouvertes du centre-ville pour les piétons avec les rues Canterbury et Grannan Lane ce samedi 11 juillet.	Saint John (New Brunswick : City)	2020-07-09	NB	Saint John
Water Street Pedestrian Mall update	St. John's (Newfoundland and Labrador : City)	2020-07-10	NL	St. John's
St. John's pedestrian mall accessibility will change, vows mayor, after Facebook post highlights problems: Post of wheelchair user unable to navigate area shared almost 1,000 times	CBC News	2020-07-09	NL	St. John's
Municipal Economic Enhancement Program (MEEP): Eligible projects approved for provincial funding as of July 6, 2020	Saskatchewan. Ministry of Government Relations	2020-07-08	SK	
Municipal Governance and Administration / Gouvernance et administration municipales				
City unveils Reimagine plan to deal with financial impact of COVID-19	Edmonton	2020-07-08	AB	Edmonton
City Hall to begin easing restrictions Monday, July 13	Medicine Hat (Alberta : City)	2020-07-07	AB	Medicine Hat
Wetaskiwin City Hall and Public Works Office now open to public	Pipestone Flyer	2020-07-13	AB	Wetaskiwin

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Burnaby expected to delay council byelection until COVID guidelines finished: The province is currently developing guidelines for holding votes during the pandemic, but it's still not clear when those guidelines will be completed	Tri-City News	2020-07-06	BC	Burnaby
Port Moody moves forward with in-person service and Council meetings at City Hall	Port Moody (British Columbia : City)	2020-07-10	BC	Port Moody
City Council meetings resume at Miners' Union Hall on July 13, 2020	Rossland (British Columbia : City)	2020-07-07	BC	Rossland
Summerland to allow in-person attendance at July 13 council meetings: Two meetings will be held at Summerland Arena Banquet Room to accommodate public	Vernon Morning Star	2020-07-10	BC	Summerland
City of Winnipeg recalling additional employees in preparation for resumption of more services	Winnipeg (Manitoba : City)	2020-07-07	MB	Winnipeg
Resumption of in person municipal meetings	Guysborough (Nova Scotia : District Municipality)	2020-07-06	NS	Guysborough
Staff recommend October byelection to fill vacant Cumberland seat	580 CFRA	2020-07-12	ON	Ottawa
City of Pickering reopens select City facilities for appointment only	Pickering (Ontario : City)	2020-07-08	ON	Pickering
Seasonal city staff refusing to return to work at CampTO over COVID-19 safety concerns	Toronto Star	2020-07-08	ON	Toronto
City updates procedures to issue marriage licences by appointment	Welland (Ontario : City)	2020-07-13	ON	Welland
COVID-19 - Reopening of Accès Montréal offices and permit counters	Montréal (Québec : Ville)	2020-07-10	QC	Montréal
COVID-19 - Réouverture des Bureaux Accès Montréal et des comptoirs de permis	Montréal (Québec : Ville)	2020-07-10	QC	Montréal
City Hall reopening July 13th	North Battleford (Saskatchewan : City)	2020-07-10	SK	North Battleford

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Mail-in ballots on the table for municipal voters in Regina with coronavirus concerns	Global News	2020-07-08	SK	Regina
Preparing for a COVID-19 municipal election	Swift Current Online	2020-07-07	SK	Swift Current
Planning and Development / Aménagement et développement				
What Bill 197 means for planning, deal-making, and cities in Ontario: TVO.org speaks with Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing Steve Clark about the COVID-19 Economic Recovery Act, the government's policy changes — and how the Tories see their relationship with municipalities	TVO	2020-07-10	ON	
New zoning order allows local restaurants to use more available space for outdoor dining in Toronto	Toronto	2020-07-09	ON	Toronto
Protective Services and Emergency Management / Services de protection et gestion des situations d'urgence				
Nenshi says Calgary could implement mandatory mask bylaw	Calgary Herald	2020-07-08	AB	Calgary
Province should make decision on mandatory masks, not municipalities: Iveson	CTV News	2020-07-08	AB	Edmonton
Nearly all businesses and public spaces to reopen in stage 3: Public gatherings will increase in size as the province continues its path to economic recovery	Ontario. Office of the Premier	2020-07-13	ON	
La majorité des entreprises et des espaces publics de l'Ontario pourront rouvrir à la troisième étape du déconfinement : Pour continuer de progresser sur la voie de la reprise économique, la province assouplira les restrictions relatives aux rassemblements publics	Ontario. Cabinet du premier ministre	2020-07-13	ON	

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Orillia, local leaders explore methods to motivate mask-wearing	Orillia Matters	2020-07-06	ON	The Blue Mountains Clearview Meaford Orillia Wasaga Beach
Brampton City Council approves Mandatory Face Coverings By-law: One million non-medical masks to be distributed to Brampton residents	Brampton	2020-07-08	ON	Brampton
Grey Bruce Health Unit media release: Wearing of face coverings in certain indoor public spaces	Hanover (Ontario : Town)	2020-07-10	ON	Bruce County Grey County
Non-medical masks to be mandatory in the Town of Caledon	Caledon (Ontario : Town)	2020-07-07	ON	Caledon
Mandatory masks in city facilities and Cornwall Transit	Cornwall (Ontario : City)	2020-07-06	ON	Cornwall (City)
Researchers study municipal resiliency in pandemics	University of Windsor	2020-07-09	ON	Essex County Windsor (City)
Bruce Power supports Essex County with pop-up isolation centre to help in COVID-19 fight	Leamington (Ontario : Municipality)	2020-07-08	ON	Essex County
COVID-19 update: Face coverings required at city facilities and on GOVA Transit	Greater Sudbury	2020-07-07	ON	Greater Sudbury
Town Council passes Mandatory Mask/Face Covering By-Law	Halton Hills (Ontario : Town)	2020-07-09	ON	Halton Hills
Health Unit issues requirement for mask use in commercial establishments in Kawartha Lakes	Kawartha Lakes (Ontario : City)	2020-07-08	ON	Kawartha Lakes
Ontario mask bylaws could be difficult for businesses to enforce, legal experts say: On Tuesday, Toronto and Ottawa joined Kingston in making masks mandatory in indoor public spaces	CBC News	2020-07-09	ON	Kingston Ottawa Toronto
Leamington and Kingsville to join rest of Ontario in Stage 2 of reopening	CTV News	2020-07-07	ON	Kingsville Leamington

COVID-19 News (July 6–13, 2020) Revues de presse - COVID-19 (du 6 au 13 juillet 2020)

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Lambton County rejects call for mandatory masks in public	Sarnia Observer	2020-07-08	ON	Lambton
Milton Council requesting region-wide approach to temporary mask by-law	Milton (Ontario : Town)	2020-07-09	ON	Milton Halton
Town of Milton Recovery Program Strategy and Framework	Milton (Ontario : Town)	2020-07-09	ON	Milton
COVID-19: Mississauga strong and ready with four pillar recovery plans – corporate, financial, economic and community	Mississauga (Ontario : City)	2020-07-09	ON	Mississauga
COVID-19 response continues: Call for funding, temporary patios, active transportation recovery framework, deferral of Municipal Accommodation Tax and new Mandatory Face Covering By-law	Mississauga (Ontario : City)	2020-07-08	ON	Mississauga
Mandatory Face Covering By-law for indoor public spaces	Mississauga (Ontario : City)	2020-07-08	ON	Mississauga
Public notice - Requirement for visitors to County facilities to wear a mask or face covering	Northumberland (Ontario : County)	2020-07-10	ON	Northumberland County
Oakville Council passes motion supporting mandatory region-wide mask by-law: Halton Region considers by-law July 15. Town's proposed by-law to be considered July 16	Oakville (Ontario : Town)	2020-07-09	ON	Oakville
City's mandatory mask bylaw calls for fines up to \$400: Bylaw officers 'won't be out patrolling,' emergency and protective services GM says	CBC News	2020-07-10	ON	Ottawa
Council brief: City Council to examine mandatory-mask bylaw	St. Catharines (Ontario : City)	2020-07-07	ON	St. Catharines
Masks will soon be mandatory inside Stratford businesses: Bandanas, scarves or fabric that covers nose and mouth will be required as of July 17	CBC News	2020-07-10	ON	Stratford (City) Huron Perth County

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City's authority to mandate masks unclear: While other Ontario municipalities press ahead with mandatory mask rules, Thunder Bay says it doesn't have the power to do the same - turning instead to its medical officer of health	TBNewswatch	2020-07-12	ON	Thunder Bay
Thunder Bay, Ont., mayor calls on health unit to consider mandatory mask measure: Bill Mauro to table resolution at July 20 meeting of city council	CBC News	2020-07-07	ON	Thunder Bay
Mandatory masks or face covering bylaw in effect today	Toronto	2020-07-07	ON	Toronto
Region of Waterloo Council adopts mask by-laws	Waterloo (Ontario : Regional Municipality)	2020-07-06	ON	Waterloo (Region)
Masks will be mandatory in York Region starting July 17	Toronto Star	2020-07-10	ON	York Region
Masks mandatory in Quebec's indoor public spaces as of July 18: Legault announces new rules will apply even in restaurants and to everyone aged 12 and up	CBC News	2020-07-13	QC	
Québec confirme que le masque sera obligatoire dans les lieux publics intérieurs : Québec rendra les masques obligatoires dans tous les espaces intérieurs publics de la province dès le samedi 18 juillet, pour les personnes de 12 ans et plus	La Presse	2020-07-13	QC	
Quebec town imposes masks after COVID-19 outbreak; province reports 3 new deaths	La Presse	2020-07-10	QC	Saint-Chrysostome
Le masque obligatoire dès maintenant à Saint-Chrysostome	The Province	2020-07-10	QC	Saint-Chrysostome
No plans for Saskatoon mandatory mask bylaw: Clark	Saskatoon StarPhoenix	2020-07-08	SK	Saskatoon
How [U.S.] cities are taking action on COVID-19	Planning	2020-07-08	USA	

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Recreation and Culture / Loisirs et culture				
Calgary to reopen 4 pools by appointment only this week: City implementing new COVID-19 safety measures at each facility	CBC News	2020-07-09	AB	Calgary
Recreation fees reduced to offer affordable activities	Red Deer (Alberta : City)	2020-07-08	AB	Red Deer
Peace Island Park announcement	Taylor (British Columbia : District)	2020-07-10	BC	Taylor
City taking steps to keep our waterfront safe and beautiful	Barrie (Ontario : City)	2020-07-07	ON	Barrie
Cities in northeastern Ontario to start reopening public facilities: North Bay, Sault Ste. Marie planning to re-open arenas, ice pads	CBC News	2020-07-09	ON	North Bay Sault Ste. Marie
Town to allow permits for small weddings, photography and fitness training: Large events cancelled until October 31; Oakville Centre for the Performing Arts closed until December 31	Oakville (Ontario : Town)	2020-07-10	ON	Oakville
Toronto authorities cracking down on illegal beach parties, restricting parking due to COVID-19: Parking at 3 Toronto beaches will be restricted after 7 p.m. starting Friday	CBC News	2020-07-10	ON	Toronto
Lévis annonce la réouverture de nouvelles installations municipales et le retour de la grande roue au quai paquet !	Lévis (Québec : Ville)	2020-07-09	QC	Lévis
Rural and Agricultural / Milieu rural et agricole				
Premier Ball announces Pandemic Relief Grant for households in isolated Labrador communities	Newfoundland and Labrador. Executive Council	2020-07-09	NL	Hopedale Nain Postville Rigolet
Smart Cities initiative evolves to adapt to COVID crisis	Wellington Advertiser	2020-07-12	ON	Guelph Wellington

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Committee relaxes patio regulations to foster economic recovery	Ottawa	2020-07-08	ON	Ottawa
Le Comité assouplit la réglementation relative aux terrasses afin de favoriser la reprise économique	Ottawa	2020-07-08	ON	Ottawa
Pickering City Centre Farmers' Market returns	Pickering (Ontario : City)	2020-07-10	ON	Pickering

Service Delivery / Prestation de services

Burnaby Public Library expanding access and going fine free	Burnaby (British Columbia : City)	2020-07-08	BC	Burnaby
Vaughan Public Libraries continues to launch new virtual programs: No fines, online summer reading club, extended Wi-Fi, curbside pickup and more!	Vaughan (Ontario : City)	2020-07-07	ON	Vaughan
COVID-19 - réouverture des bibliothèques	Gatineau (Québec : Ville)	2020-07-08	QC	Gatineau
Réouverture des bibliothèques municipales à la population	Rimouski (Québec : Ville)	2020-07-09	QC	Rimouski
Regina Public Library begins opening branches, rest to open Monday	Regina Leader-Post	2020-07-09	SK	Regina

Social Issues / Questions sociales

Consumption of alcohol in designated public spaces extended to October 15	Penticton (British Columbia : City)	2020-07-08	BC	Penticton
Recent decrease in kids' healthy movement linked to neighbourhood built environment	Ryerson University. Ryerson City Building Institute	2020-07-10	ON	Greater Toronto Area Hamilton

Tourism / Tourisme

City of Kawartha Lakes focusing on recovery of tourism sector	Global News	2020-07-07	ON	Kawartha Lakes
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Resort municipality mayor calls on feds to waive national park fees: Matthew Jelley says fees a barrier to some who want to visit the area	CBC News	2020-07-08	PE	Stanley Bridge, Hope River, Bayview, Cavendish and North Rustico
Transportation / Transports				
City launches free two-hour parking to support businesses in London's core	London (Ontario : City)	2020-07-10	ON	London
City adopts new framework to keep pedestrians and cyclists moving safely	Mississauga (Ontario : City)	2020-07-10	ON	Mississauga
We've got you covered! Grand River Transit to distribute free masks as part of education campaign	Waterloo (Ontario : Regional Municipality)	2020-07-10	ON	Waterloo (Region)
Face masks now mandatory for Transit Windsor riders: Although ridership remains low, the city is slowly bringing back more service routes	CBC News	2020-07-09	ON	Windsor (City)
Transit Windsor recovery plan	Windsor (Ontario : City)	2020-07-09	ON	Windsor (City)
Masks mandatory on STO buses, with two-week transition period	CTV News	2020-07-13	QC	Gatineau
COVID19 - Une entente de stationnement avec le Palais des congrès et le Complexe Desjardins vient soutenir les commerçants et faciliter les visites au centre-ville de Montréal	Montréal (Québec : Ville)	2020-07-13	QC	Montréal
STM gradually resuming front-door boarding, ticket validation starting July 20: Masks will be mandatory on public transit starting Monday, but how that will be enforced is still unclear	CBC News	2020-07-10	QC	Montréal

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Urban / Questions urbaines				
'Get out of your condos': BIA hopes Bank Street closure will give businesses a needed boost: 15 blocks of Bank Street in Centretown to close to traffic Saturdays until at least Aug. 8	CBC News	2020-07-08	ON	Ottawa
Centre-ville partiellement piétonnier : La Ville de Victoriaville et la SDC centre-ville préparent un bel été	Victoriaville (Québec : Ville)	2020-07-09	QC	Victoriaville
Waste Management / Gestion des déchets				
Donation bins at Durham's Waste Management Facilities have now reopened	Durham (Ontario : Regional Municipality)	2020-07-13	ON	Durham