

# MAMP UPDATE

Asset Management Capacity-Building Cohorts

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# THE PROGRAM

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## MUNICIPAL ASSET MANAGEMENT PROGRAM (MAMP) – ROUND 3

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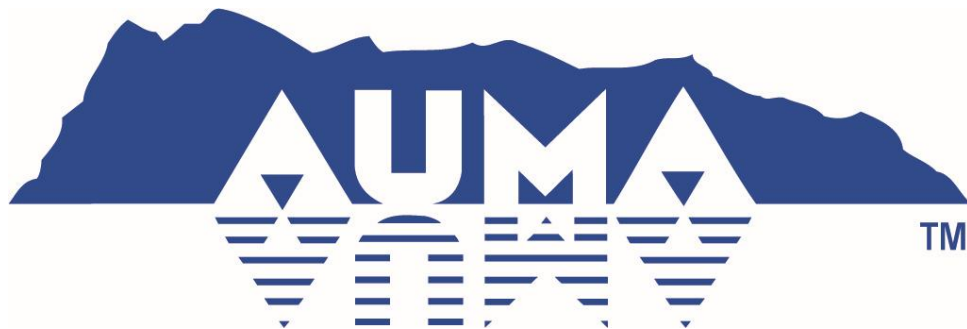
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# THE PARTNERSHIP

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## ROLES

IAMA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Provide subject matter expertise</li><li>• Review materials</li><li>• Support cohort discussion</li><li>• Provide post-cohort learning opportunities</li></ul>
AUMA/RMA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Administer cohorts</li><li>• Reporting to FCM</li><li>• Grant and consultant management</li><li>• Scheduling and logistics</li></ul>
Urban Systems	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Consulting services</li><li>• Develop and deliver learning opportunities</li><li>• Workshop facilitation</li><li>• Check-in support and participant document reviews</li></ul>

# THE PROJECTS

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## Level 1 Cohorts

- Topics: Asset management capacity-building, policy and strategy development
- Re-delivery of the Level 1 cohort from previous MAMP project
- ... for three cohorts!

## Level 2 Cohort

- The next step after Level 1
- Developed to target cohort interest from previous MAMP project
- Attended by “graduates” of the previous Level 1 Cohorts
- Topics: Defining levels of service, articulating the cost of service delivery for selected service areas

**Common to Level 1 and Level 2:** A focus on implementation of asset management, supported by technical assistance.

# THE COHORTS – LEVEL 1

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## CENTRAL

- Village of Acme
- Town of Didsbury
- Town of Drumheller
- Town of Hanna
- Town of Coronation
- Village of Beiseker
- Village of Carbon
- Village of Linden
- Town of Blackfalds
- Town of Sundre
- Village of Consort
- Town of Oyen
- Village of Youngstown

## “NORTH”

- Town of Coaldale
- Town of Bonnyville
- Special Areas Board
- Lac la Biche County
- MD of Smoky River
- Village of Breton
- Town of Falher
- MD of Peace
- Westlock County
- Village of Veteran
- Beaver County

## SOUTH

- MD of Willow Creek
- Town of Fort MacLeod
- MD of Pincher Creek
- Town of Nanton
- Town of Picture Butte
- Town of Pincher Creek
- MD of Ranchland
- Cardston County
- Town of Magrath
- Town of Claresholm
- Town of Cardston
- Village of Rockyford
- Village of Hussar
- Wheatland County

# THE COHORTS

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## LEVEL 2

- Town of Black Diamond
- Town of Turner Valley
- Village of Delburne
- County of Forty Mile
- Village of Foremost
- MD of Taber
- Town of Taber
- Brazeau County
- Town of Drayton Valley
- Town of Olds
- Village of Elnora
- Town of Penhold
- Village of Warburg
- Town of Devon
- Town of Raymond
- Red Deer County

# THE PROCESS

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## LEVEL 1

- One to three staff per municipality (even one Councilor in attendance)
- Three workshops, all virtual
  - Timing of workshops adjusted to suit virtual delivery

## LEVEL 2

- One to three staff per municipality (though we always welcomed more!)
- Three workshops, all virtual
  - Workshops 1, 2A, 2B, 3
  - Timing of workshops to suit virtual, and promote implementation
- Highlighted case studies of cohort participants
  - County of Forty Mile: What does it cost to operate and maintain our roads?



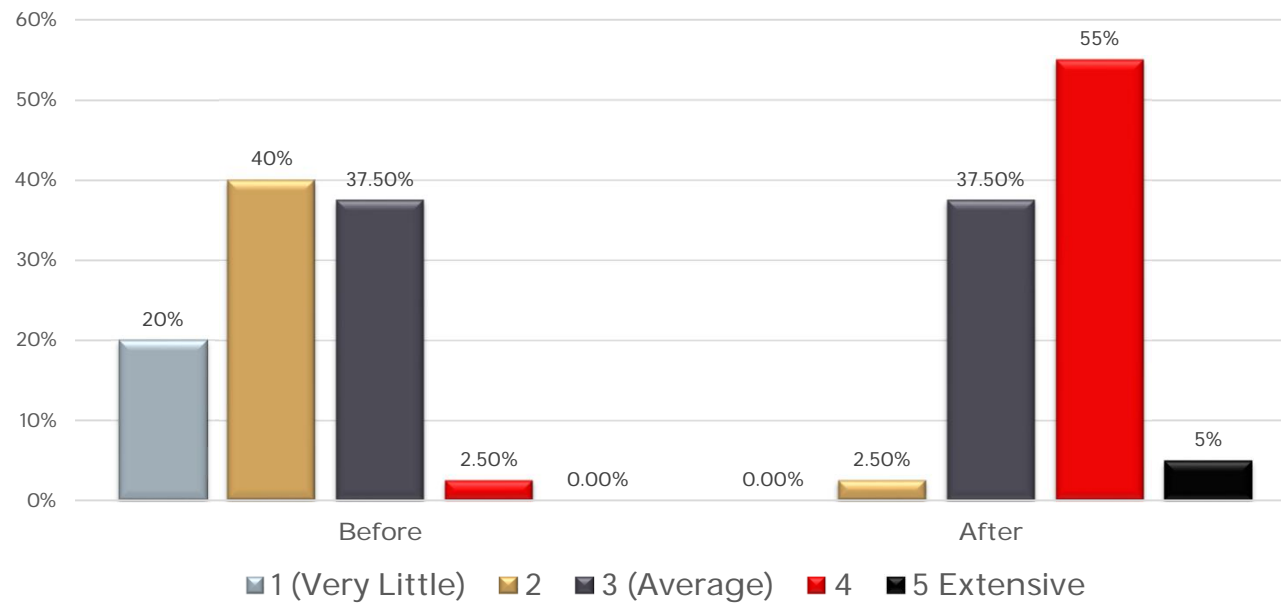
# THE LESSONS LEARNED

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- Management of four cohorts all running at the same time
- Transition to virtual workshops
  - Zoom facilitator
  - Time, and timing
- Balance between group learning format and individual, tailored support
- Cohort format promotes small communities of practice, focused on implementation
- Check-ins between workshops helped to maintain momentum
- Start where you are and take small steps

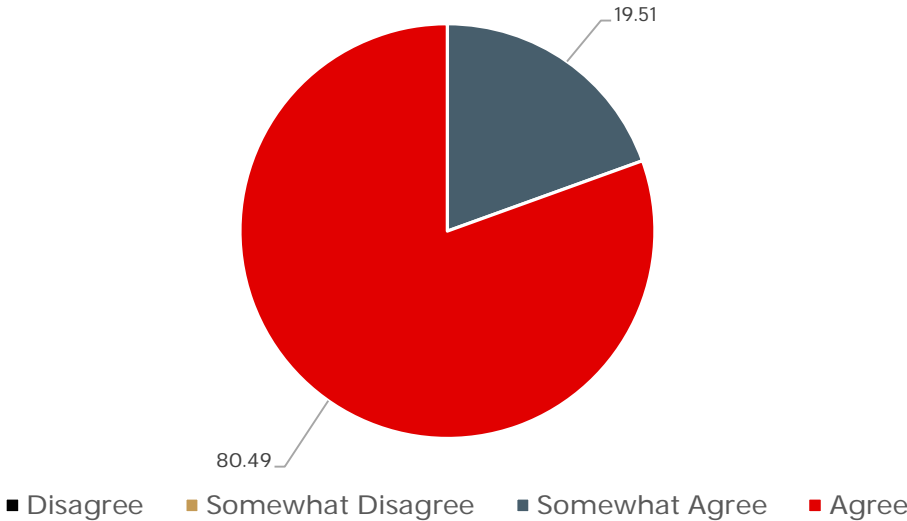
# THE RESULTS (LEVEL 1)

Level of Understanding  
Asset Management



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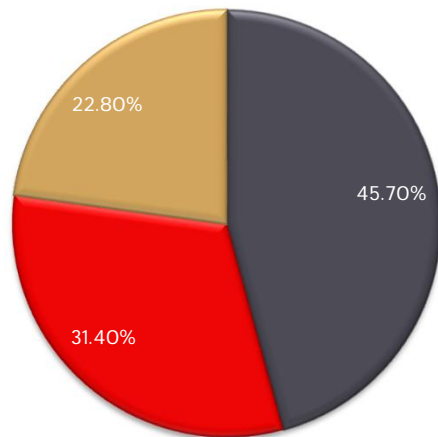
My municipality improved its asset management capacity as a result of attending this program



# THE RESULTS

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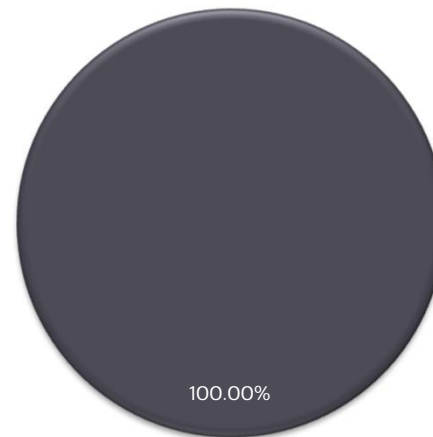
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## LEVEL 2

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# WHAT'S NEXT?

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## MAMP... 4!

- AUMA/RMA/IAMA are applying for the next round of MAMP funding
- They're looking for your input!
- Head to [www.menti.com](http://www.menti.com), use code **1983 1458**

# Warm up: My asset management theme song is...

Mission Impossible

back in black

Here I go again

One day at a time Sweet Jesus, One day at a time

Taking Care of Business - Bachman  
Turner Overtime

Just getting started

if i was a rich man

Rock you like a hurricane - Scorpions

We are the Champions - Queen

# Warm up: My asset management theme song is...

Another one bites the dust

we are the champions, my friend

No time to die

Never gonna give you up- Rick astley

Mo Money Mo Problems

Eye of the Tiger

Beat it

everbody wants to rule the world

# The most significant barriers to implementing asset management in my municipality are:





# How could MAMP help you address these implementation challenges?

Education is a wonderful thing.

more training, templates, etc

-Provide guidance-Give examples of how others have been successful

Support for additional funding for additional asset management staff.

Provide funding to implement policy and standards

Free workshops and one on one mentoring opportunities

Focus on financial planning

When TCA was implemented, the government had grants available to hire extra staff specifically for doing it. So funding for MAMP staff would help

List of software capabilities.

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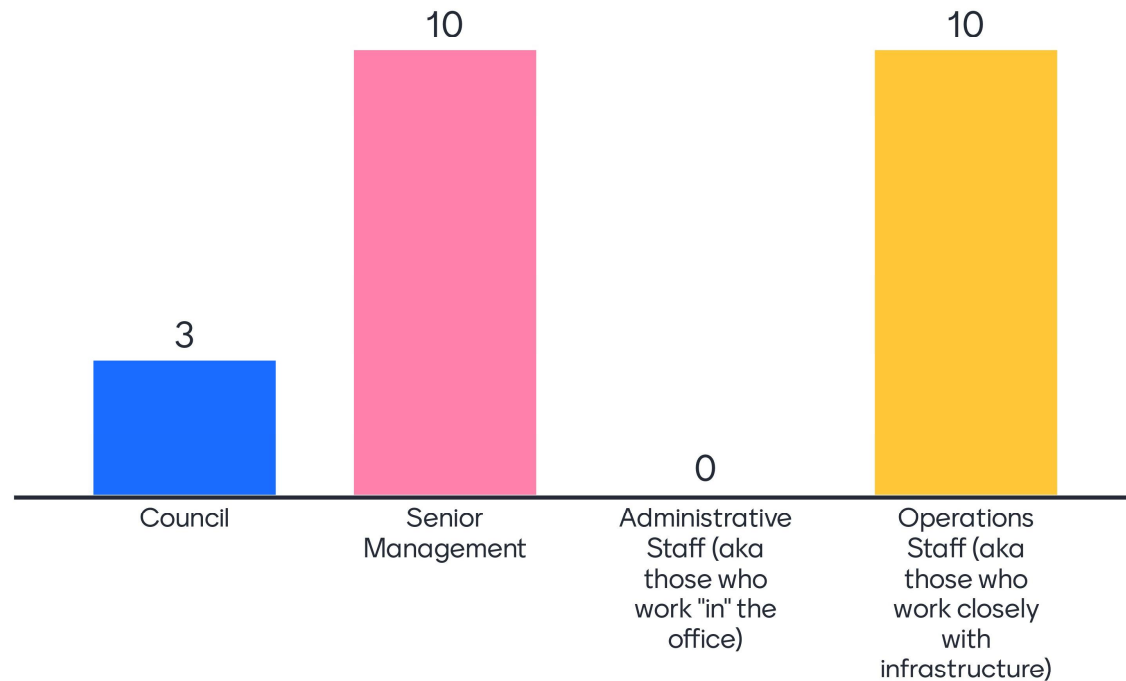
Knowledge sharing - so we're not starting from scratch.

Inform the various levels of our organization how AM would make our job easier.

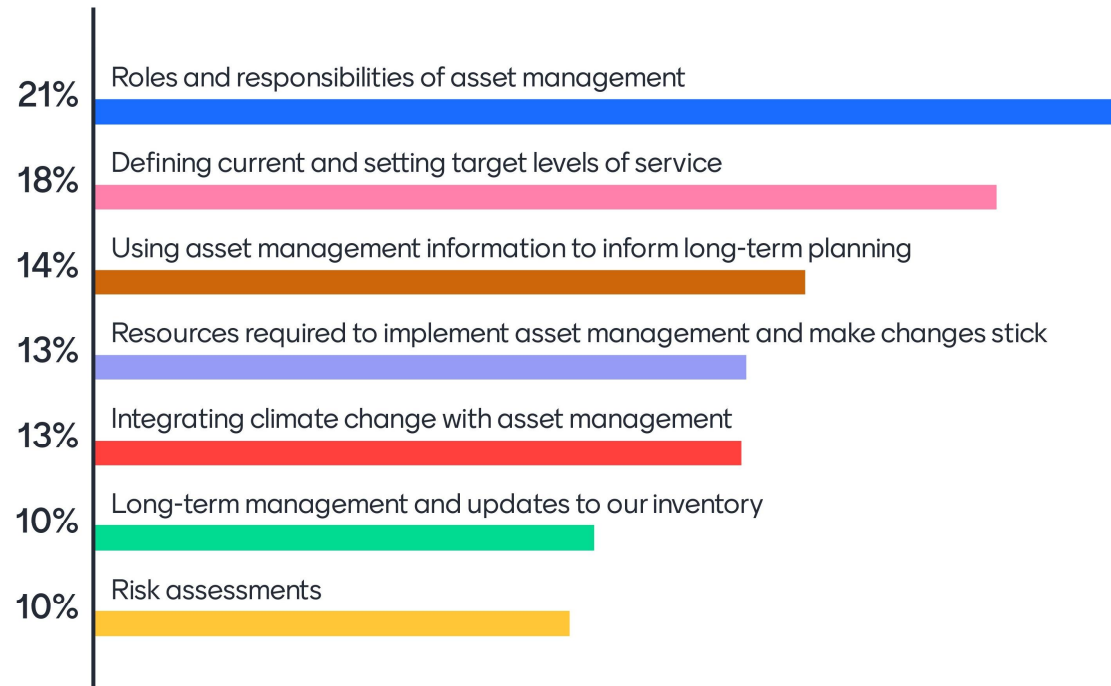
Having an example project to show the skeptics should reduce the resistance.

Educate councillors and High level stakeholders

# The group would most benefit from asset management education in my municipality is

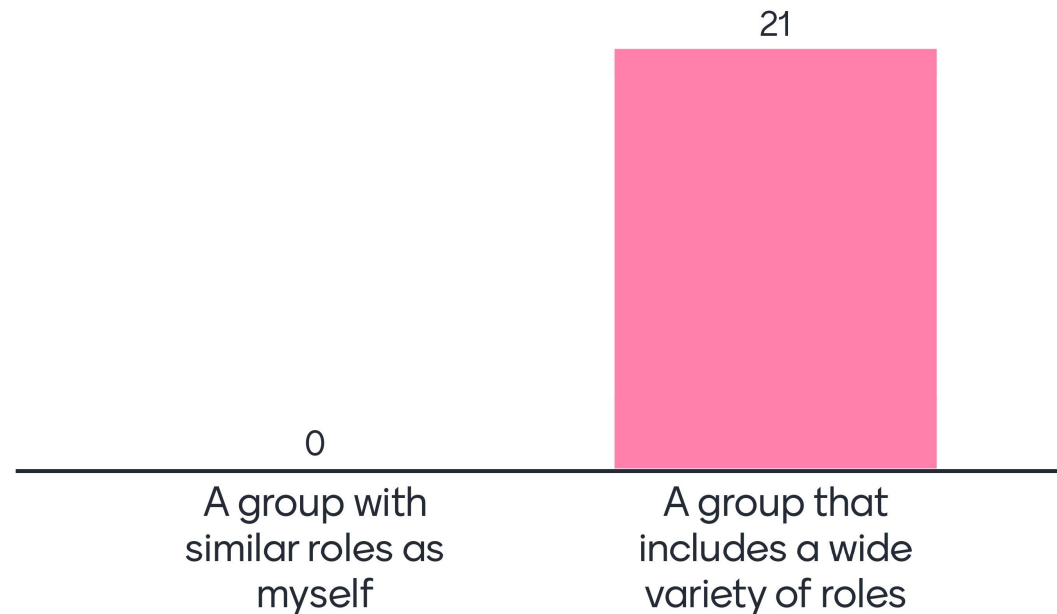


# The areas of asset management that are least understood in my municipality are



# The training group that would work best for me is

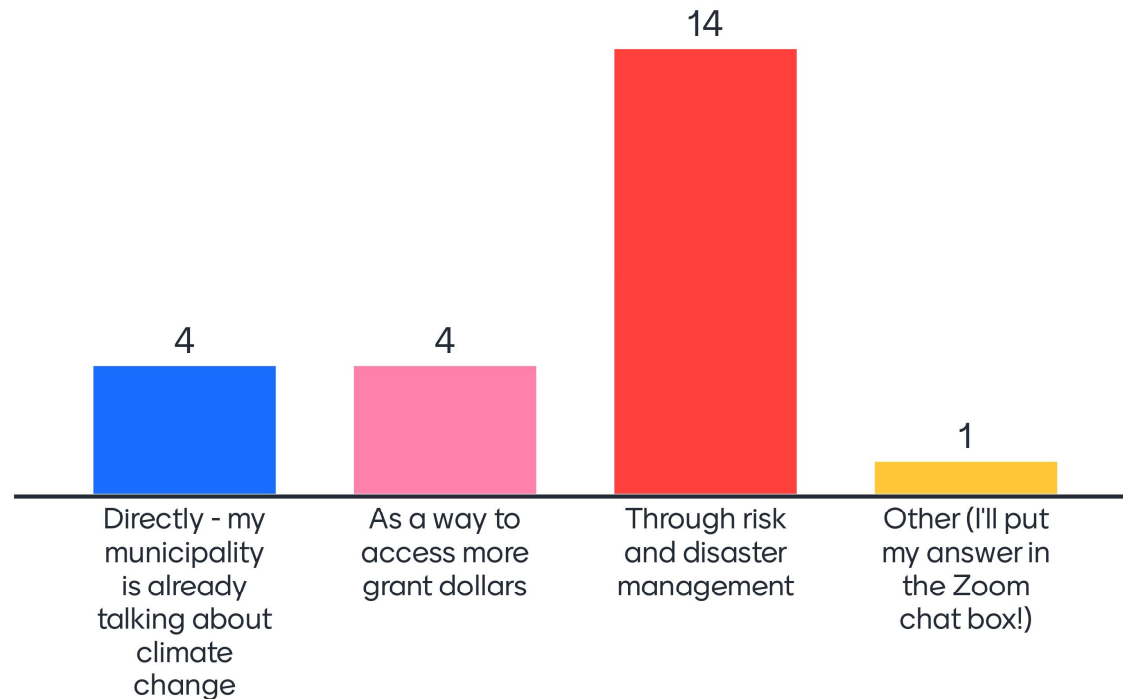
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# The best way to talk about climate change and asset management with my municipality is



# I would be most likely to participate in/take advantage of

