

Municipal Asset Management Mentorship and Training Program Update

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No two municipalities are alike. Communities across Canada require different asset management training options that are close to home and specific to their needs.

To address these needs, FCM's 16 partner organizations are delivering 38 local asset management training activities, including group learning, hands-on and online training opportunities, in Canadian communities of all sizes.

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Activity 1:
Introductory
Cohorts

Activity 2:
Advanced
Cohorts

Activity 3:
Elected Officials
Workshops

Activity 4:
Group Learning
Communities

- Focus on the basics of asset management and implementation.
- Intended for small urban and rural communities (population below 10,000) with little or no asset management experience.
- Focus on policy and governance and people and leadership competencies.
- Participant deliverables include:
 - Draft AM policy
 - Draft AM strategy
 - Draft AM team terms of reference



Activity 1: Introductory Cohorts

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Recruitment
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July

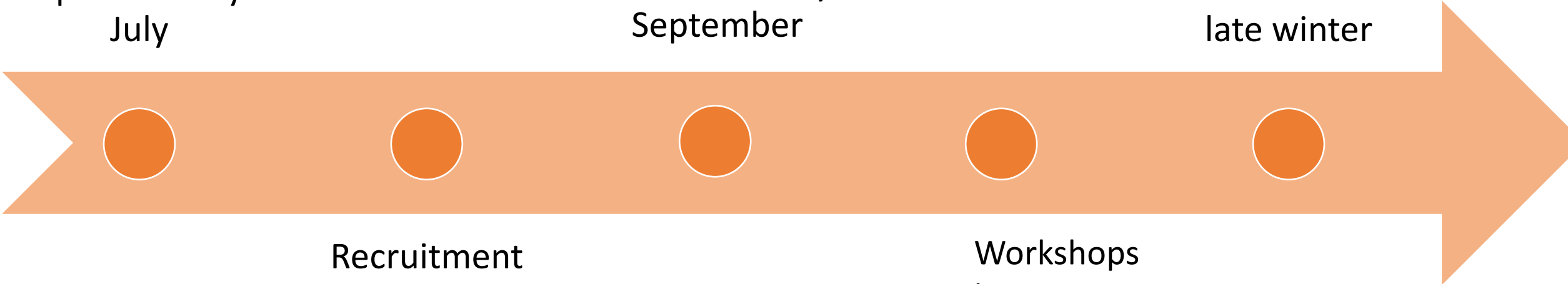
Cohorts
formed – early
September

Workshops
conclude –
late winter



Recruitment
closes – late
August

Workshops
begin –
early fall



- Focus on data collection, service level definition, and communicating AM concepts.
- Intended for small urban and rural communities (population below 10,000) with some asset management experience or completion of introductory cohort.
- Focus on data and information and planning and decision-making competencies.
- Participant deliverables include:
 - Draft LOS template
 - Draft AM communication plan



Activity 2: Advanced Cohorts

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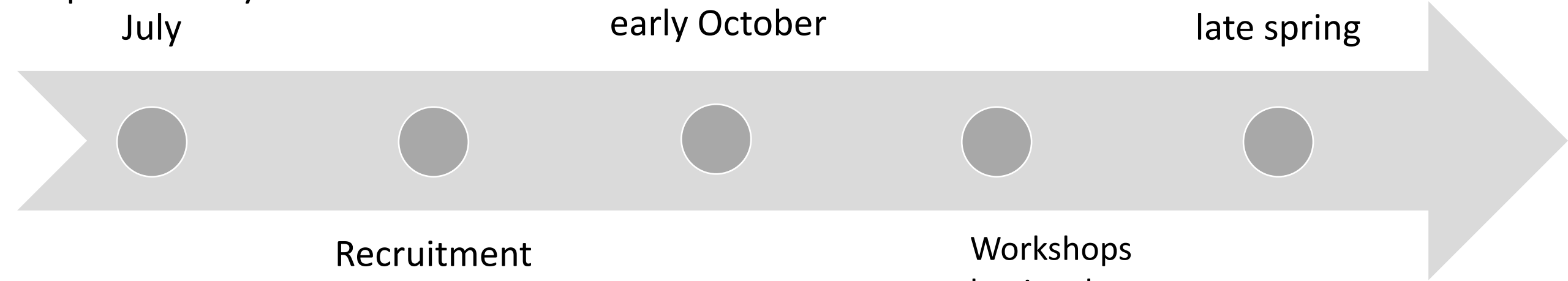
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July

Cohorts
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early October

Workshops
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late spring

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- Focus on the basics of asset management from the elected official's perspective.
- Intended for all municipal elected officials, but especially those with little or no asset management experience.
- Focus on building awareness of the value and importance of AM and its role in good decision-making.
- No specific participant deliverables.



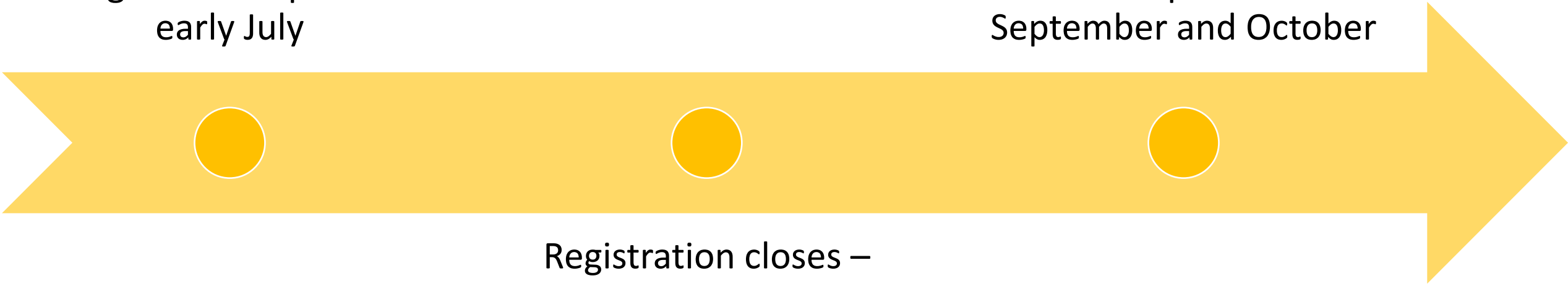
Activity 3: Elected Officials Workshops

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Workshops

Registration opens –
early July

Workshop offered –
September and October

Registration closes –
August



- Focus on finding solutions to common AM gaps or barriers.
- Intended for small urban and rural communities (population below 10,000) with varying levels of AM experience.
- Focus on self-direction, including identifying themes, sharing challenges and solutions, etc.
- Goal will be for communities to become self-sufficient and exist beyond MAMP program.

Activity 4: Group Learning Communities

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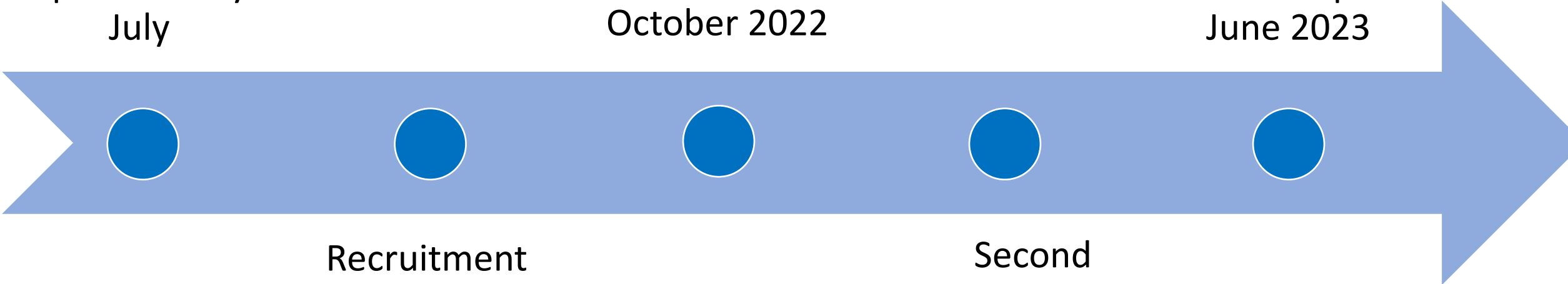
Recruitment opens – early July

First workshop – October 2022

Third workshop – June 2023

Recruitment closes – September

Second workshop – February 2023



How to register/apply

- Expressions of Interest for municipality Cohort 1 & 2
 - received through all three partner associations' websites starting in July 2022.
 - More information will be provided in each association's respective newsletter.
- Registration for the Elected Officials Workshops
 - will be open through RMA & Abmunis websites in July 2022.
- Recruitment for the Group Learning Communities
 - will begin in August managed by IAMA, with support from RMA and Abmunis



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