

Municipal Governance Support Resources

Resource	Contact	Service Available
Municipal Peer Network	Website: https://www.saskpeernetwork.org/	<p>Municipal officials may contact a mentor guide to help them resolve issues at a local level. Peer mentors, who are senior municipal administrators and elected officials, can provide coaching and advice on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interpersonal conflict • Governance practices • Service provisions • Public issues • Roles and responsibilities <p>Any conversation between a mentor and peer is confidential, and there is no cost to the service.</p>
Advisory Services (part of the Ministry of Government Relations)	Inquiry line – 306-787-2680	Advisors available for training, resources and technical advice for municipalities on roles, responsibilities and other legislated requirements.
Community Planning (part of the Ministry of Government Relations)	Regina Office – 306-787-2725 Saskatoon Office – 306-933-6937	Technical and process advice under the Planning and Development Act and questions related to planning and development.
Dispute Resolution Office (part of the Ministry of Justice)	Regina Office – 306-787-8714 Saskatoon Office – 306-933-7767	Provides mediation, facilitation and training services available (fee for service). Initial consultation to discuss services and assess options is free of charge.
Municipal Administrator Resources	Website: https://www.saskatchewan.ca/government/municipal-administration/tools-guides-and-resources/municipal-administrator-resources	Provides resources for municipal government administrators.
Office of the Saskatchewan Information and Privacy Commissioner	Website: https://oipc.sk.ca/ Phone: 1-877-748-2298	The OIPC website has information about their processes and the Local Authority Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (LA FOIP), which may be helpful to council members in determining their role.

Ombudsman Saskatchewan

Website: <https://www.ombudsman.sk.ca/>

Phone: 1-800-667-9787

The Ombudsman takes complaints against municipal governments. The website has a lot of good information about people resolving their problem themselves, which may have some skills for council members to utilize.

Rural Municipal
Administrators' Association
(RMAA)

Website: www.rmaa.ca

Phone: 306-823-4321

Fax: 306-823-4477

Email: rmaa@sasktel.net

Rural municipalities may request assistance from the RMAA in writing at the invitation of both the RM Council and the RM Administrator. The RMAA will provide an individual to assist mediating with both parties in order to resolve issues at a local level.

*Please note this list is not
exhaustive