

Municipal Viability through Community Sustainability

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The challenge of today's municipal issues will be to find solutions that are attainable and reasonable for everyone

What **tools** can we use to assess and support municipal **sustainability**?



What restructuring processes can be used to address municipal viability?



Can we measure how our decisions impact our municipalities sustainability?

What are the broad topic areas addressing municipal viability and sustainability?

What are the three interrelated bases of sustainability?

How can we sustain financial stability?



How can we bridge the Rural – Urban divide?

How can we develop sustainable governance?



What characteristics contribute to the vitality and long-term viability of your municipality?



Attend this webinar to learn how to build a viable and sustainable community.

Registration Details:

GFOA Alberta | Website: <https://www.GFOA.AB.CA/events.php>

Webinar Host



TAMARA SLOBODA is a Chartered Professional Accountant (CPA, CGA) and former Municipal Financial Advisor for Alberta Municipal Affairs.

Tamara has a passion for people and communities.

POSITIONS THAT TAMARA HAS HELD:

- *CAO for the Town of Thorsby – current*
- *Municipal Financial Advisor - Municipal Affairs*
- *Director of Finance - Senior Long-Term Care Facility*
- *Corporate Treasurer – School District*
- *Director of Finance - BC Treaty Commission*

Tamara has led numerous improvements to both reporting and finance processes in her career and has a strong history of challenging the process to initiate innovation, creativity, and improvement.

Implemented fully integrated budget and financial reporting software

Developed municipal tools for Tax and Assessment (tax rate by-law), Annual Report, Budget Operations 3+ and 5+

Increased efficiency, and profitability, by managing team productivity, costs and budgets.

Implemented full set of policies, internal controls and accounting systems

Developed financial plans, budgets (Operating & Capital), forecasts and analytics

Developed and presented Strategic Planning for Council and Administration



EDUCATION AND AFFILIATIONS:

- *Chartered Professional Accountant at **CPA, CGA***

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