

Local Authorities Election Act (LAEA) Consultation Code of Conduct Consultation

2022 July 5



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Overview

- Municipal Affairs is conducting consultation on specific aspects of the LAEA and Code of Conduct
- Election reform was identified as a Council priority
- Due to Municipal Affairs on July 11
- Municipal Affairs may use feedback received from municipalities to inform further consultation on "local elections and councillor accountability" this summer



Process

Discussion at IGA on June 15. Committee expressed concern over:

- Narrow scope of questions
- Short time frame to respond
- Other topics that should also be addressed

Draft letter to Minister expressing these concerns

- More time
- Broader scope



What Questions Did We Hear?

 Alberta Municipalities and Rural Municipalities of Alberta have requested detailed engagement regarding a re-write to LAEA and detailed engagement on Code of Conduct



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