

- (c) on receiving a sufficient petition from the electors of the municipality requesting the appointment of an auditor.
- (2) The municipality is liable to the Minister for the costs of the audit as determined by the Minister.
- (3) The auditor must submit the auditor's report to the Minister and to council.

1994 cM-26.1 s282

Access to information by auditors

283(1) An auditor appointed by the council or the Minister is at all reasonable times and for any purpose related to an audit entitled to access to

- (a) the records of the municipality, and
- (b) data processing equipment owned or leased by the municipality.
- (2) A councillor, chief administrative officer, designated officer, employee or agent of, or a consultant to, a municipality must give the auditor any information, reports or explanations the auditor considers necessary.
- (3) An auditor who receives information from a person whose right to disclose that information is restricted by law holds that information under the same restrictions respecting disclosure that govern the person from whom the information was obtained.

1994 cM-26.1 s283

**Financial Plans and
Capital Plans****Required plans**

283.1(1) In this section,

- (a) "capital plan" means a plan referred to in subsection (3);
- (b) "financial plan" means a plan referred to in subsection (2).
- (2) Each municipality must prepare a written plan respecting its anticipated financial operations over a period of at least the next 3 financial years.
- (3) Each municipality must prepare a written plan respecting its anticipated capital property additions over a period of at least the next 5 financial years.
- (4) The 3 financial years referred to in subsection (2) and the 5 financial years referred to in subsection (3) do not include the

financial year in which the financial plan or capital plan is prepared.

(5) Council may elect to include more than 3 financial years in a financial plan or more than 5 financial years in a capital plan.

(6) Council must annually review and update its financial plan and capital plan.

(7) The Minister may make regulations respecting financial plans and capital plans, including, without limitation, regulations

- (a) respecting the form and contents of financial plans and capital plans;
- (b) specifying the first financial year required to be reflected in a financial plan;
- (c) specifying the first financial year required to be reflected in a capital plan.

2015 c8 s40

Part 9

Assessment of Property

Interpretation provisions for Parts 9 to 12

284(1) In this Part and Parts 10, 11 and 12,

- (a) “assessed person” means a person who is named on an assessment roll in accordance with section 304;
- (b) “assessed property” means property in respect of which an assessment has been prepared;
- (c) “assessment” means a value of property determined in accordance with this Part and the regulations;
- (d) “assessor” means
 - (i) the provincial assessor, or
 - (ii) a municipal assessor,and includes any person to whom those duties and responsibilities are delegated by the person referred to in subclause (i) or (ii);
- (e) “council” includes