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Welland Councillor Paul Grenier Re-elected to the AMO Board of Directors

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Welland – Welland City Councillor Paul Grenier was re-elected to the Board at this week's Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) conference.

AMO represents hundreds of member municipalities across Ontario and supports and enhances strong and effective municipal government in Ontario by promoting the value of the municipal level of government as a vital and essential component of Ontario and Canada's political system.

Ward Three Councillor Paul Grenier sits on the AMO Board of Directors as a member of the Small Urban Caucus for his third consecutive year.

In addition to the duties on the Board, Grenier was also elected as Vice-Chair of Ontario Small Urban Municipalities (OSUM), a small urban municipal voice of the Province and an integral part of AMO. OSUM is involved in policy and research activities that affect small urban communities and ensures that their voice is heard at the provincial and federal levels of government.

"I am looking forward to bringing the perspective of small urban municipalities and their unique needs to the attention of the Province of Ontario and, through that, be able to bring the benefits and outcome of that consultation back to the City of Welland", says Grenier.

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