

Session Name	Start Time
Sunday, March 29, 2026	
Registration	1:30 PM
Emerging Municipal Leaders Forum	2:00 PM
Cycling Tour: Waterfront and Bixiaasige Park - Presented by the City of Toronto	2:00 PM
Women in Politics & Municipal Leadership Forum (Invitation Only)	3:00 PM
Trade Show	3:00 PM
Free Support to Future-Proof Ontario Roadways: Climate Ready Infrastructure Service	4:00 PM
Getting Your Message Across to Government - Presented by Crestview	4:00 PM
Opening Reception	5:00 PM
Monday, March 30, 2026	
Breakfast	8:00 AM
Registration	8:00 AM
Trade Show	8:30 AM
Opening of 2026 Good Roads Conference	8:45 AM
Civic Greetings: Toronto Mayor Olivia Chow	8:55 AM
Dan Gardner: Getting Big Things Done On Budget & On Time	9:05 AM
Coffee Break	10:15 AM
Technical Briefing Seminar: The Road Salt Challenge – Understanding Its Use Through Technology and Ecosystems Experiments	10:45 AM
Hon. Jason Kenney, Former Premier of Alberta	10:45 AM
Panel: Canada's Place in a Changing World	11:20 AM
Study Tour: Miller Paving Asphalt Plant - Presented by Miller Paving	12:00 PM
Break	12:00 PM
Study Tour: An Elevated Tour of Union Station - Presented by Metrolinx	12:45 PM
AORS Annual General Meeting	1:30 PM
Municipal Concrete Award - Presented by Concrete Ontario	1:15 PM
Volunteer of the Year Award	1:20 PM
Hon. Greg Rickford, Minister of Indigenous Affairs and First Nations Economic Reconciliation	1:25 PM
Michael Lindsay, CEO, Metrolinx - Fireside Chat	1:35 PM
Modernizing Northern Ontario's Transportation Network	1:55 PM

Technical Briefing Seminar: OPS Update	2:30 PM
Taking the Pulse on Indigenous Canada	2:35 PM
Marit Stiles, Leader of the Official Opposition	3:05 PM
Time With Exhibitors	3:15 PM
Inside the MMS 3rd 5-Year Review: Proposed Amendments and Their Municipal Implications	3:45 PM
The Politics of Road Safety: Building the Case for Change	3:45 PM
Managing and Financing Your Infrastructure	3:45 PM
Building a Future-Ready Workforce: Training, Retention & Development Strategies	3:45 PM
Decarbonizing Ontario, One Road at a Time: How Cold In-Place Recycling Cuts Costs and Carbon - Presented by the Asphalt Recycling and Reclaiming Association	3:45 PM
Monday Night Reception - Presented by ATS	5:00 PM
Tuesday, March 31, 2026	
Registration	8:00 AM
Breakfast	8:00 AM
Trade Show	8:30 AM
Good Roads Annual General Meeting	8:45 AM
Abram Benedict, Ontario Regional Chief, Chiefs of Ontario	8:55 AM
Missy Cummings: Autonomous Vehicles & Artificial Intelligence: Shaping Tomorrow's Roads	9:05 AM
Hon. Todd McCarthy, Minister of Infrastructure	10:05 AM
Technical Briefing Seminar: Harmonization of Road Construction Standards	9:45 AM
Elections: Good Roads Board of Directors	10:00 AM
Coffee Break	10:15 AM
Navigating the New Rules: How Ontario's Civil Procedure Reforms Will Reshape Road-Related Claims	10:45 AM
Innovations in Asphalt Paving	10:45 AM
Building Bicycle Friendly Communities	10:45 AM
Building Better Rural Roads: Innovation, Safety, and Service on Rural and Low Volume Roads	10:45 AM
Pipeline Safety and Damage Prevention - Presented by Ontario Joint Pipelines Group	10:45 AM

Program at a Glance

Study Tour: Where River Meets Rail: Tour of the Don Yard and Future Corktown Station - Presented by Metrolinx	12:30 PM
Break	12:00 PM
Tim Tierney, FCM First Vice-President	1:30 PM
Technical Briefing Seminar: Ontario Phragmites Action Plan - Presented by Nature Conservancy of Canada	1:30 PM
Christa Lowry, Chair, ROMA	1:40 PM
Good Roads Product Guide	1:50 PM
Hon. Prabmeet Sarkaria, Minister of Transportation	2:00 PM
Innovations in Municipal Campaigning	2:10 PM
The State of Local Democracy	2:20 PM
John Fraser, Interim Leader, Ontario Liberal Party	3:00 PM
Good Roads Board of Directors Election Results	3:10 PM
Break	3:15 PM
Road Safety Audits: Municipal Case Studies	3:45 PM
From Data to Decisions: Enhancing Asset and Pavement Management Through Data, Programs and Safety/Risk Reduction	3:45 PM
Rural Transit: Models in Practice	3:45 PM
A Toolkit for Municipal Construction Procurement	3:45 PM
Ontario Underground Infrastructure Mapping Strategy - Presented by Ontario One Call	3:45 PM
xChange Reception - Presented by CAA	5:00 PM

Wednesday, April 1, 2026	
Registration	8:00 AM
Hot Breakfast	8:00 AM
Prize Draw #1 - Presented by Maximum Signs	8:45 AM
Installation of Good Roads President	8:50 AM
Municipal Paving Award	9:00 AM
Mike Schreiner, Leader, Green Party of Ontario	9:05 AM
CN: A Commitment to Safety	9:15 AM
Training is Risk Management: Protecting Your Municipality from Liability	9:30 AM
John Niedra Better Practices Competition	10:15 AM
The Final Word Panel	10:20 AM
Prize Draw #2 - Presented by Maximum Signs	11:20 AM
Closing Session	11:25 AM