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#	Resolution Title	Municipality	Active Clause(s)	Musical selection	Status
A1	Alberta Municipal Benchmarking Initiative (AMBI)	City of Lethbridge	<p>IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT the AUMA encourage municipalities to participate and collaborate, utilizing the AMBI grant from Alberta Municipal Affairs for ongoing benchmarking comparisons; and</p> <p>FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT the AUMA lobby the Government of Alberta to provide funding for the Alberta Municipal Benchmarking Initiative program.</p>	1234 by Fiest –Sesame Street version	Adopted
A2	Provincial Government Consultation and Communication Protocol with Municipalities	Town of Falher	<p>IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT the Alberta Urban Municipalities Association (AUMA) advocate for the Government of Alberta to engage municipalities in establishing and implementing a consultation and communication protocol, which recognizes and acknowledges the legislated significance of municipal elected officials.</p>	Communication breakdown by Roy Orbison	Adopted
A3	Designated Industrial Property Requisition Tax Rate	Town of Penhold	<p>IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT the Alberta Urban Municipalities Association request that the Government of Alberta amend the <i>Municipal Government Act</i> to enable municipalities to cover the value of the requisition as they see fit, rather than requiring them to carry out a prescribed requisition process.</p>	Think by Aretha Franklin	Adopted
A4	Paying for Highway Improvements Caused by Development	Town of Edson	<p>IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT the Alberta Urban Municipalities Association urge the Government of Alberta to consider review and</p>	Highway to Hell by ACDC	Adopted

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			amendment of Policy Number TCE-TS 509 in order to produce a policy that is more equitable to all municipalities, taking into consideration their size and proximity to a Provincial Highway.		
A5	New regulated rate schedule for low wattage devices	Town of Taber	IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT the Alberta Urban Municipalities Association request that the Alberta Utilities Commission work proactively with wire service providers to develop a new regulated rate schedule for low wattage devices on streetlights.	Electric Avenue by Eddy Grant	Adopted
A6	Financial Assistance For Electric Vehicle Fast-Charging Stations	Municipality of Jasper	IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT the Alberta Urban Municipalities Association request that the Government of Alberta expand the offer of programs funded by the carbon tax to include financial assistance to municipalities for capital and operating costs of EV charging stations.	Electric Feel by MGMT	Defeated
A7	Alberta Historic Resource Foundation Funding	City of Lethbridge	IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT the AUMA request the Government of Alberta to increase funding for the Alberta Historical Resources Foundation's Historic Resource Conservation Grants.	History Repeating by the Propellerheads featuring Shirley Bassey	Defeated
A8	Equitable Provincial Charitable Gaming Model	City of St. Albert	IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT the Alberta Urban Municipalities Association (AUMA) request that the Alberta Gaming and Liquor Commission (AGLC) expeditiously implement a more equitable provincial charitable gaming model to promote the long-term competitiveness and sustainability of charitable organizations across Alberta.	The Gambler by Kenny Rogers	Adopted

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A9	Victim Services Units Funding	Town of Falher	THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that AUMA lobby the Government of Alberta to use the monies from the Victims of Crime Fund to adequately fund provincial victim services units so they can provide the staffing levels required to assist victims of crime.	I'll Stand by You by the Pretenders	Adopted
A10	Provincial Police Act Overhaul	City of Calgary	<p>IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT the Alberta Urban Municipalities formally request that the Government of Alberta commit to a comprehensive review of the Alberta Police Act by:</p> <p>a) Immediately engaging with policing agencies and key stakeholders to identify and address major changes required to the Police Act to enhance and preserve public confidence and transparency in Alberta policing to better reflect current community and police officer standards and expectations and,</p> <p>b) Overhauling the Police Act to reflect but not be limited to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Civilian Oversight of Police Professional Conduct 2. Effective, Transparent and Accountable Criminal Investigations 3. Public Complaint Process 4. Fair Complaint Adjudications 5. Indigenous Peoples and Policing 6. Enhanced Professionalization of Alberta Police 	Hawaii 5-0 theme song	Adopted

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A11	STANDATA Process in Alberta	City of Lethbridge	<p>IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT AUMA request that Alberta Municipal Affairs and the Safety Codes Council determine a more effective means of advising municipalities of matters being evaluated by the Sub-Councils; and</p> <p>FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT the AUMA requests that Alberta Municipal Affairs and the Safety Codes Council consider changes to the way upon which Sub-Council membership is selected to ensure representation from varying sizes of municipalities.</p>	Don't you (forget about me) – Simple Minds	Adopted
A12	Gas Fired Appliances STANDATA	City of Lethbridge	<p>IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT the Alberta Urban Municipalities Association (AUMA) request that Alberta Municipal Affairs rescind the STANDATA; and</p> <p>FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT the AUMA requests that Alberta Municipal Affairs works with industry and municipalities to arrive at alternative cost effective approaches to heating homes during and after construction.</p>	Ring of Fire by Johnny Cash	Defeated
A13	Senior Care	Town of Penhold	<p>IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT the AUMA encourage the Government to develop creative programs and solutions that will offer</p>	Forever Young by Rod Stewart	Withdrawn

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			family and extended family members the option to provide care for aging parents in a fashion similar to that offered through the “Kinship” Child Care Program.		
A14	Home Hemodialysis	Town of Strathmore	IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT the Alberta Urban Municipalities Association urge the Province of Alberta to provide a means by which home hemodialysis patients may offset the added utility (electricity and water) costs for patients who are conducting hemodialysis in their homes.	Home by Edward Sharpe and the Magnetic Zeros	Adopted
E1	Cannabis Assessment and Taxation	Town of Sundre	IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT the Alberta Urban Municipalities Association request the Government of Alberta to amend appropriate legislation and regulations to clearly enable municipalities to assess and tax cannabis grow operations at fair market value.	Roll Me Up and Smoke Me When I Die by Willie Nelson	Adopted
E2	Consumption of Liquor and Cannabis in Public Spaces	City of St. Albert	IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT the Alberta Urban Municipalities Association (AUMA) request that the Alberta Government amend the <i>Gaming, Liquor and Cannabis Act</i> to ensure the consumption of cannabis is provincially regulated the same as liquor is currently regulated in public spaces across Alberta.	Chorus of “you don’t know how it feels by Tom Petty and the Heart Breakers	Adopted
E3	New funding model to replace the Municipal Sustainability Initiative	AUMA Board of Directors	IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT the Alberta Urban Municipalities Association advocate that the Government of Alberta legislate and index annual funding under the new infrastructure program as a fixed	Brother can you spare a dime	Adopted

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			percentage of the province's total revenue excluding transfers from the federal government and that the annual funding amount be calculated based on the province's actual revenue from two years prior.		
E4	Support for World-Class Coastal Oil Spill Prevention, Preparedness and Response	AUMA Board of Directors	NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Alberta Urban Municipalities Association (AUMA) support the Union of British Columbia Municipalities (UBCM) in its call for the federal government to support a world-class marine oil spill prevention, preparedness and response system	Surfin Safari by the Beach boys	Adopted
E5	Protection of Local Democracy	AUMA Board of Directors	IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT the AUMA declare its support for the City of Toronto in its dispute with Ontario; FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT the AUMA consider applying to be an intervener in any further legal action taken by the City of Toronto in defense of their rights and the rights of their citizens; and FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT the AUMA cooperate with the Big City Mayor's Caucus, the Federation of Canadian Municipalities, other municipalities and municipal organizations to further the debate of modernizing Canada's municipal frameworks nationwide.	We're Not Gonna Take It by Twisted Sister	Adopted as Amended