



Treasurer: Gina van den Burg, MA, MPA

Biography

Before entering municipal government, Gina van den Burg was a frequent visitor to Queen's Park advocating on behalf of Professional Engineers as Manager of Government & Stakeholder Relations for the Ontario Society of Professional Engineers. Looking to escape the long commute to Toronto, Gina joined the municipal world 12 years ago to coordinate a number of legacy projects from the Smart Cities Challenge to Municipal Utility Mergers.

Now, Gina has combined her passion for advocacy and municipal government as Niagara Region's Government & Stakeholder Relations Specialist. She holds Master's degrees in Political Science from McMaster University and Public Administration through Western's Local Government Program.

Gina has been an active member in the Association of Municipal Clerks, Treasurers and Managers, and has supported Western's Local Government Alumni Society in preparing three annual conferences. In addition, Gina provides Regional representation on the Association of Municipalities of Ontario's Indigenous Relations Task Force.