



'Asset Management Continuum for Sustainable Service Delivery'

As understanding grows, local governments will progress incrementally along the 'Continuum'

GROUND ZERO: In the beginning, there was no Asset Management Plan and a consequence is the 'unfunded infrastructure liability'

STEP ONE: They will embrace the BC Framework, with an initial focus on core engineered assets (water supply, sewage, roads, etc.) and embark on an Asset Management Strategy / Plan / Program process

STEP TWO: They will think holistically and implement a life-cycle approach to infrastructure decision-making so that Sustainable Service Delivery for engineered assets is standard practice

STEP THREE: For the drainage function, they will integrate natural systems thinking and account for the Water Balance Services provided by watershed systems

