

The official newsletter of the Msunduzi Municipality

More foundations needed to build a better SA

State President Jacob Zuma has expressed confidence about the prospects of the Truman Magubane Family Foundation, saying it has an important role to play in fostering a better society.

He was delivering the keynote address on July 22 at the City Hall to mark the launch of the foundation that is named after Magubane - the current Chief Whip at the Msunduzi Municipality.

Magubane spent 15 years on Robben Island and shared a cell with former president Kgalema Motlanthe.

President Zuma said it was important to have organisations that would help with educating and promoting the culture of reading among young people, and expressed hope that the foundation would stick to its founding principles.

“We have too many challenges and we need structures by influential names to help work on solutions to the country’s problems,” said Zuma.

The foundation has identified the preservation of heritage,



State President Jacob Zuma enjoying a light moment with Msunduzi Council Chief Whip Truman Magubane at the launch of the Truman Magubane Family Foundation

education and sports support, and the promotion of the culture of reading as some of its targets.

The launch of the foundation was attended by, among others, former KZN Premier Dr Zweli

Mkhize, former African Union Commission Chairperson Dr Nkosazana Dlamini-Zuma,

Education MEC Mthandeni Dlungwane, councillors, and members of the Magubane family.

Zuma told the audience that much could be learned from Magubane who was committed to serving the people without expecting personal gain.

Speaking to Msunduzi News after the launch, Magubane said he was humbled by the large turnout and the presence of top leaders. “For us, as the Magubane family, to have the president of the country attending the launch makes us feel really special. We are committed to making the foundation work,” said the Chief Whip. He stressed the importance of preserving culture and heritage, saying there are important lessons in such areas.

“If we record our history in all available forms, the mistakes that would have been made in the past cannot be repeated again,” said the chief whip.

In addition to this, leading figures in business, academia and civil society, also attended the launch.

For more pictures from the launch turn to page 4.

Hygiene clampdown for street traders



Msunduzi Municipality Security checking whether street traders are operating with legal permits as part of the clampdown to make sure that trading in the city streets is carried out legally.

The Msunduzi traffic department and security division recently conducted an operation along Church Street aimed at ensuring that street trading entrepreneurs were compliant with Msunduzi bylaws.

The operation was part of a clampdown against illegal trading within the City. The presence of the security personnel helped in enforcing the bylaws and providing safety to consumers and

entrepreneurs within the city.

Part of the operation included:

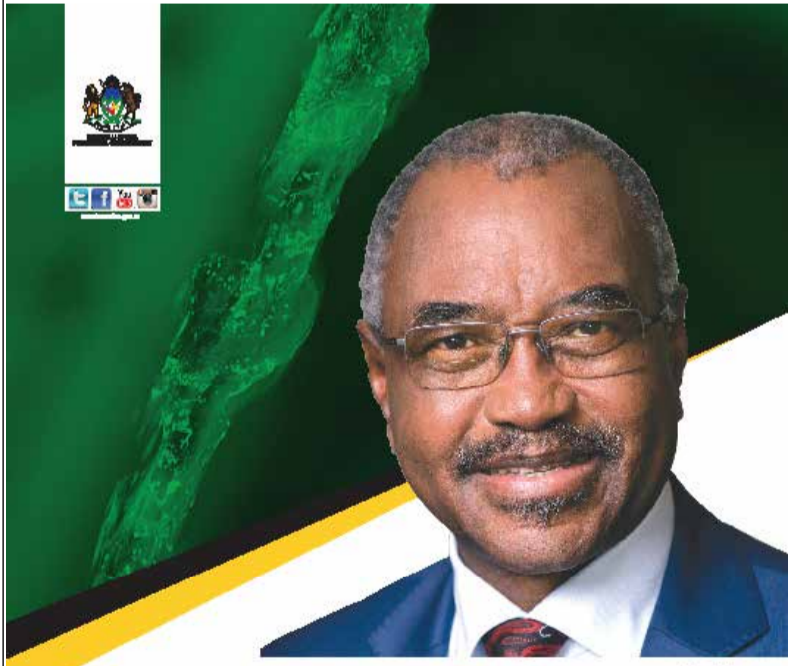
- Checking of goods.
- Checking of valid permits.
- Checking the perimeter of the stands.

Throughout the operation it was stressed that street traders who did not follow the requirements as laid out by the Msunduzi bylaws, would have their goods confiscated by security officers. Aside from this,

traders face the prospect of being fined by the municipality.

The removal of illegal street traders on Church Street has made the pavement more accessible and enabled people to move freely.

Chairperson of the Community Services Committee Sphamandla Khumalo welcomed the clampdown, saying it served as an indication of the municipality’s intention to deal with illegal trading.



UKWEMBULWA KOMFANEKISO WESISHOSHOVU SOMZABALAZO UBABA HARRY THEMBA GWALA

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05 August 2017

10:00

Caluza Sports Ground • Pietermaritzburg

Isidima zokuthembisa zikhinikwe. Kuzomandlisa nangomculo ngabaculi abadumile ngabandakayo.
Through unity in action we can move KZN to a prosperous future

Mayor's Message *Themba Njilo Msunduzi Mayor*



is the home of the Comrades Marathon, the Duzi Canoe Marathon, the Royal Agricultural and Garden Shows. Its location has a strong influence on regional channels of investment, movement and restructuring of the Provincial Spatial Framework for growth and development.

Despite all the above competitive advantages, the City is challenged with growing unemployment, poverty and uneven development and infrastructural backlogs owed to apartheid spatial planning in the urban, peri-urban and rural areas.

I urge all our residents to be patient as we undertake these projects that will be to our benefit when concluded and let us remember that Rome was not built in a day.



meet with Senior citizens and community members

The crèches were visited in ward 34

500 t shirts were distributed to the community of ward 34

Deputy Minister provided The JC Joshua with a media centre, donated books, tables and chairs and a cheque

She also donated a flat screen TV and a cheque to the Senior Citizens, she donated soccer and netball kits to ward 34 youth

SASSA distributed food parcels to 23 needy families

Clean up campaign was conducted by volunteers in ward 34. EDTAE donated trees that were planted for Mandela day

Northdale Hospital distributed food parcels and planted vegetables for needy families in Cinderella Park. They also donated school uniforms, blankets, clothes and toiletries.

Like Rome, our city cannot be built in a day

The city has increasingly become an attractive investment destination due to its proximity to the Durban Port, its rapidly growing airport and its strategic location on the N3 corridor.

This is borne out by the number of development projects on the cards in the Ashburton area south east of the municipality, which has been identified in the city's Spatial Development Framework as an economic opportunity node. The predictions of significant growth on the N3 corridor between the eThekweni

and Msunduzi municipalities are becoming a reality, and the municipality is currently making an assessment of the bulk infrastructure requirements in the node for future development.

Within the ambit of a developing city there are a number of projects that are underway and they include:

- The expansion of the Pietermaritzburg Airport and associated Technology Hub.
- The renovation of the Municipal Fresh Produce Market in Mkondeni
- The Integrated Rapid Passenger Transport Network to revitalise public transport in the city.
- The Imbali Education Precinct and Edendale Town Centre plans
- Major upgrades to the electricity network and other infrastructure,
- The Leather Hub project

• Hulamin Aluminium hub and ICT/broadband rollout.

The Msunduzi Municipality, affectionately known as Pietermaritzburg or the City of Choice, is located along the N3 at a junction of an industrial corridor from Durban and Pietermaritzburg and an agro-industrial corridor stretching from Pietermaritzburg to Escourt. Regionally it is identified at the cross section of the N3 corridor and Greytown Road corridor to the north, a tourist route to the Drakensberg and Kokstad Road to the south. Its location in the Midlands rests as the umbilical cord of the Province of KwaZulu-Natal where 'all roads lead to the City of Choice'.

The Msunduzi Municipality is the second largest municipality in KwaZulu-Natal, and is the proud Capital of the Province. The capital city status of Msunduzi has entrenched its role and position as the administrative and

political hub of KwaZulu-Natal. The Municipality is moving in the direction of achieving Metropolitan status.

The Municipality covers an area of approximately 630 km² and consists of 39 wards. It is predominantly urban to peri-urban in nature, with areas of rural residential. Pietermaritzburg is a vibrant South African city in the breath-taking Kingdom of the Zulus. It is rich in history and heritage, with South Africans mainly speaking IsiZulu, Afrikaans, English and Indian influences. It covers a range of architectural heritage sites and has a close association with highly respectable individuals such as Mohandas Gandhi, Nelson Mandela, Chief Albert Luthuli, Alan Paton and many more.

The City is a cultural treasure-trove brimming with diversity and boasts some of the best academic institutions in South Africa. It

ABOUT US

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City on my mind

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Vulindlela 2017 Mandela Day activities report

Every year on 18 July — the day Nelson Mandela was born — the UN asks individuals around the world to mark Nelson Mandela International Day by making a difference in their communities. For 67 years, Nelson Mandela devoted his life to the service of humanity — as a human right's lawyer, a prisoner of conscience, an international peacemaker and the first democratically elected president of a free South Africa. In November 2009, the UN General Assembly declared 18 July "Nelson Mandela International Day" in recognition of the former South African President's contribution to the culture of peace and freedom.

The General Assembly resolution A/RES/64/13 recognizes Nelson Mandela's values and his dedication to the service of humanity, in the

fields of conflict resolution, race relations, the promotion and protection of human rights, reconciliation, gender equality and the rights of children and other vulnerable groups, as well as the fight against poverty and the promotion of social justice. It acknowledges his contribution to the struggle for democracy internationally and the promotion of a culture of peace throughout the world. In this light, listed below are the activities that took place in the area of Vulindlela, ABM (****WHAT IS ABM***) provided refuse bags, cleaning material, paint and gloves and Parks and Recreation provided trucks.

ABM CENTRAL- MANDELA DAY REPORT

Ward 26: Clean up of Napierville by the ward Councillor and volunteers

Ward 33: Clean up of the

Jika Joe informal settlement by volunteers from Financial Services Business Unit. About 110 staff members turned up and about 200 bags of litter was collected. The Business unit also visited households in the Fitzsimonns Road area to do Indigent Applications.

Ward 35: The ward Councillor and volunteers undertook a clean-up of Sobantu.

MANDELA DAY REPORT

Ward 32- Water Affairs Minister Nomvula Nkonyeni visited City Hall on Mandela day. They did a clean-up campaign in town. Councillor for ward 32 and his team visited Happy Valley flats where they did a clean-up campaign

Ward 34- Mandela day celebration took place in ward 34

Deputy Minister of Environmental Affairs (Barbara Thompson) visited ward 34 to

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Mayor, minister in CBD clean-up for Mandela Day



“We will never defeat unemployment without small business” – Mazwai

Msunduzi Mayor Themba Njilo with Water and Sanitation Minister Nomvula Mokonyane and Member of the Provincial Legislature Nomagugu Simelane- Zulu participating in the cleanup of city streets on Mandela Day.

Msunduzi Mayor Themba Njilo together with Water and Sanitation Minister Nomvula Mokonyane rolled up their sleeves as part of the team that carried out a clean-up in the central business district for Mandela Day.

During their stint, they urged members of the public to play their part in having and maintaining clean surroundings. Addressing members of

the public on Mandela Day at Carbineers Garden, Mokonyane said it was important for everyone to work towards helping others, as this was in line with Mandela's principle of selflessness.

She welcomed the move where the last day of the month would be set aside for the cleaning of the city.

“Let us make sure that our cities and towns are clean, because none of us want to be

associated with filth,” said the minister.

The Mandela Day 67 minutes campaign was attended by volunteers and municipal staff.

In addition both mayor and minister visited Ward 2 and 32 for a handover of blankets to senior citizens, microwaves for old age homes and a day care centre.

For more pictures from Mandela Day turn to page 5.



Thami Mazwai who called on South Africans to embrace working together through networks in the business world at the second Truevine Business Network Annual Business Conference held at the Golden Horse Casino in Pietermaritzburg recently.

Renowned businessman Thami Mazwai has called on South Africans to embrace working together through networks in the business world, saying this was the only way to be successful.

Mazwai - who is a special advisor to Small Business Development Minister Lindiwe Zulu - was speaking at the Truevine Business Network's 2nd Annual Business Conference held at Golden Horse Casino in Pietermaritzburg on Saturday. He said successful countries had a large number of small businesses who succeeded because of networking, and urged locals to follow the examples of other nationals.

“When you look at African nationals you will note that they team up, and put all their resources in one pool and this in turn gives them the buying power when approaching producers or wholesalers. Why can't we do that as township folk?” he questioned.

Mazwai added that functional and successful small businesses would help in dealing with the scourge of unemployment in the country, and called on the

audience to stop undermining small businesses.

“There is a misconception that world economies were built by big industries, but even if you go to the USA today you will find that 60% of the businesses are those that employ between 1-10 people,” said Mazwai, who is a former journalist.

He encouraged networking sessions, adding that in structures such as churches it is important for church members to acquire business skills.

“When I see this turnout by members of the church I am convinced that things will get better,” said Mazwai.

The annual business conference which is in its second year was started by Truvine founding leader Bishop Nathi Zondi and his wife Pastor Thobi Zondi with the aim of addressing unemployment by encouraging youth and aspiring business people to start their own businesses.

Bishop Zondi said he was encouraged by the large turnout from church members, government departments and individuals who wanted to be part of the network.

City congratulates Mandela walkers



Seen at the Mayor's parlour is Msunduzi Deputy Mayor Thobani Zuma who welcomed the walkers who participated in the 67 kilometre Nelson Mandela Tribute walk from Durban to Pietermaritzburg.

Msunduzi Deputy Mayor Thobani Zuma congratulated Sbusiso Sangweni, Michael Nhlapho, and Thami Mbele, who participated in a 67 kilometre Nelson Mandela Tribute walk From Durban to Pietermaritzburg.

The walk was part of honouring former President Nelson Mandela for the many years that he gave to the struggle for a free South Africa. The walk took place on July 18 – Mandela's birthday and which is now observed as Mandela Day – where

there is a call for everyone to set aside 67 minutes of their time to help those who are in need.

According to the deputy such acts serve as a reminder to young people about the role played by Mandela in making South Africa a better country for everyone.



Launch of the Truman Magubane Family Foundation

The launch of the Truman Family Foundation was well attended with figures from different walks of life in attendance. As expected and given Truman Magubane's political background political figures from different levels were in attendance.



President Jacob Zuma with Mavis and Truman Magubane.



Former KZN Premier Dr. Zweli Mkhize at the main table with Mavis Magubane, Truman Magubane, President Jacob Zuma and Health MEC Dr. Sibongiseni Dhlomo.



Left: President Jacob Zuma delivering the keynote address at the launch of the Truman Family Foundation.



Right: Msunduzi Chief whip Truman Magubane delivering the vote of thanks at the end of the launch.

Young entrepreneurs applaud city's youth summit

Youth in business took centre stage on June 29 when the city hosted the inaugural Youth Summit aimed at encouraging young entrepreneurs to develop their skills in order to exploit opportunities in the business sector. Msunduzi Mayor Themba Njilo, himself an entrepreneur and philanthropist of note, encouraged young people of the city to become "more active and ambitious" in their quest to become successful entrepreneurs.

"Achievement will only come once you endure struggles and know that there is no quick fix to being successful in business. This I know myself as a seasoned business man," Njilo shared. Other local entrepreneurs such as media personality Bonang Matheba, music mogul DJ Tira, Ilawu Hospitality group owner Simphiwe Ngcobo, Capital Media managing director Riquadeu Jacobs, and Ukhozi FM's Bonga Mpanza shared their trials and tribulations on their journey to

becoming successful brands and entrepreneurs. Their message to the youth was clear – "hard work, persistence and education definitely pays off". Sensational TV personality Bonang urged youngsters to have a clear idea of where they were going in life. "My journey was not an overnight success. When I was 14, I knew what I wanted to become and it took me years to cultivate my brand. You need to be open to starting from

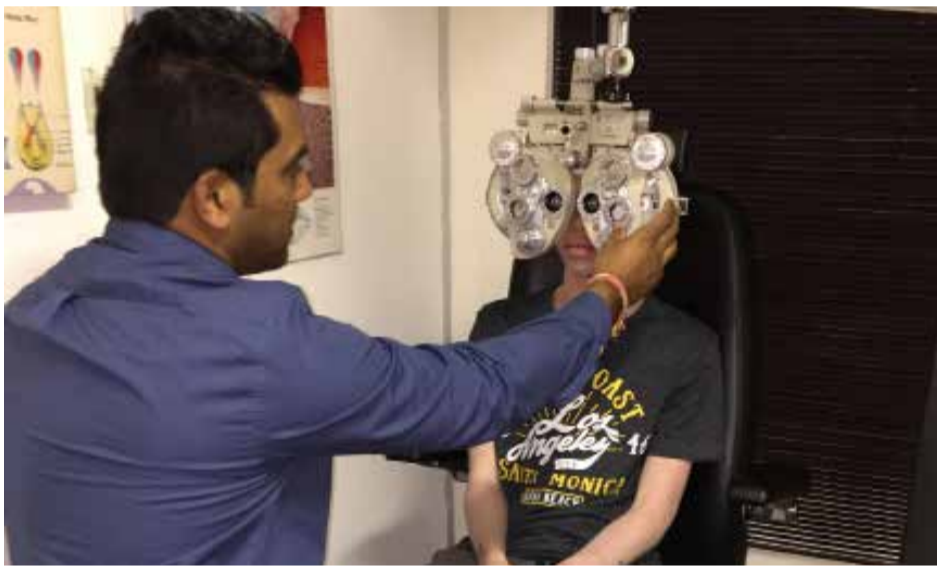
the bottom. I am now a 30 year old woman. It took a lot of rejection and a lot of persistence on my part," explained Bonang about her path to success. Last week's youth summit was a culmination of a city-wide programme of action educating youth about skills development opportunities whilst providing practical support and advice to emerging young entrepreneurs. With the theme "Encouraging the spirit of entrepreneurship",

the Msunduzi Youth Summit included an outreach programme: designed to highlight available opportunities for the youth in order to address poverty and create jobs; the provision of entrepreneurial skills training: aimed at empowering youth already in business with skills that will heighten their competency levels in order to engage in the mainstream economy; capacity building and Mentorship and leadership development.



Imbali honours Madiba

Imbali community members and local leaders took a leaf from others and decided to clean their neighbourhood to commemorate their 67 minute participation on Mandela day. Local youth in ward 19 said the clean-up initiative was the first building block in making their area a clean and safe environment. Local youth leader Thulebona Maphumulo emphasised that through the clean-up action, the main aim was to mirror Madiba's honourable service to the country. "We will rebuild our community and make Imbali one of the most beautiful areas in Pietermaritzburg if we utilise the mind-set of Nelson Mandela," said ward 19 councillor Sipiwe Ndawonde. Imbali, like many townships faces the problem of illegal dumping, but the councillor believes that through such cleaning campaigns on a regular basis, the township will become a better place.





THE MSUNDUZI MUNICIPALITY

VACANCY NOTICES



THE MSUNDUZI MUNICIPALITY

TENDER NOTICE SUPPLY AND SERVICE CONTRACT NO. 76 OF 2017

MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS OF OVERHEATED POWER SYSTEMS IN MUNICIPAL FACILITIES

The Municipal Municipality hereby invites tenders for the above work for a three (3) year period. Only tenders with a CIDB Contractor grading of 11M5HE3 or higher, who have the relevant expertise, capacity and experience, shall be eligible to submit tenders.

Tender documents can be downloaded and printed at the Tenderer's cost from the National Treasury e-Tender Publication Portal at www.etenders.gov.za. Printed copies of the tender document shall also be available from the Supply Chain Management Unit Offices, 6th Floor, A & B Chetty Centre, 333 Church Street, Pietermaritzburg, from 14h00 on Wednesday, 19 July 2017. A non-refundable tender fee in the amount of R770.00 (two hundred and seventy seven Rand) per document shall be levied. Only cash or bank guaranteed cheques will be accepted.

A compulsory Tender Briefing Meeting will be held at 10h00 prompt on Thursday, 28 July 2017, in the Board Room, 4th Floor, A & B Chetty Building, 333 Church Street, Pietermaritzburg. Only one Tender Briefing Meeting will be held for the above contract. Tenderers arriving at the meeting after the stipulated starting time mentioned above will be disqualified. Further to this, all Tenderers attending the meeting must be in possession of a Tender Document filling which the Tenderer shall be disqualified. Only one (1) Representative per Company or Joint Venture or Consortium will be allowed to attend the above meeting. No Tenderer will be allowed to represent more than one (1) Company at the meeting. No Tenderer will be allowed to purchase or collect tender documents after 14h00 on 19 July 2017, and the Msunduzi Municipality will not be held liable for any loss or damages sustained by the Tenderer in this regard.

Sealed tenders enclosed on the envelope "SUPPLY AND SERVICES CONTRACT No. 76 OF 2017" with the Contract Description to be placed in the Tender Box located in the Foyer, Ground Floor, City Hall, 199 Chief Albert Lutuli Street (Commercial Road), Pietermaritzburg, not later than 12h00, on Tuesday, 4 August 2017, when they will be publicly opened. Only tenders placed in the Tender Box shall be accepted.

Tender Validity Period: Thirty (30) days commencing from the closing date of tender.
Tender Adjudication/Evaluation Criteria: The tender shall be evaluated on a Two Stage Evaluation System – Stage One being Functionality and Stage Two being either the SOCS or SOFS Preference Point System in accordance with the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017, issued in terms of section 8 of the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act, Act No. 8 of 2002. The Functionality for Stage One shall be evaluated on the following criteria:

- Functionality for Stage 1 shall be as follows:
 - Points Allocated
 - 1 Number of successfully completed projects / contracts related to installation / establishment / modification and/or maintenance of urban planning systems. 20
 - 2 Total number of years that the Site Agent / Senior Technician / Engineer / Team Leader have in terms of similar work or experience in this contract. (Detailed certified Curriculum Vitae to be attached): 20
 - 3 Locality of company: 10
 - Total Functionality Points 50 Points
 - Threshold to Qualify For Stage 2: 80% / 38 Points
- For technical related information, please contact Mr. Benjamin Mathye at Tel. No. 033 - 362 2178 or email: benjamin.mathye@msunduzi.gov.za. For Supply Chain Management related information, please contact Aengus Pilly at either Tel. No. 033-362 2866 or e-mail: aengus.pilly@msunduzi.gov.za.
- The Municipal Municipality does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves the right to accept the whole or any part of a tender. Each tenderer will be informed of the tender result. The Msunduzi Municipality expects businesses within the Pietermaritzburg and Midlands Region to support its contract and BEE/B-BBEE initiatives.
- MR. SCOTT HADZIM (ACTING MUNICIPAL MANAGER)**



THE MSUNDUZI MUNICIPALITY

TENDER NOTICE SUPPLY AND SERVICE CONTRACT NO. 89 OF 2017 SECTION 2

SUPPLY & DELIVERY OF STEEL STREET LIGHTING POLES & ACCESSORIES

The Msunduzi Municipality hereby invites tenders from suitably qualified and experienced Contractors for the above work for a three (3) year period. Only Boreas Providers with B-BBEE levels of 1 and 2 will be considered.

Tender documents can be downloaded and printed at the Tenderer's cost from the National Treasury e-Tender Publication Portal on www.etenders.gov.za. Printed copies of the tender document shall also be available from the Supply Chain Management Unit Offices, 6th Floor, A & B Chetty Centre, 333 Church Street, Pietermaritzburg, from 14h00 on Wednesday, 19 July 2017. A non-refundable tender fee in the amount of R670.00 (two hundred and seventy Rand) per document shall be levied. Only cash or bank guaranteed cheques will be accepted. Sealed tenders enclosed on the envelope "SUPPLY AND SERVICES CONTRACT No. 89 OF 2017" with the Contract Description must be placed in the Tender Box located in the Foyer, Ground Floor, City Hall, 199 Chief Albert Lutuli Street (Commercial Road), Pietermaritzburg, not later than 12h00, on Thursday, 13 August 2017, when they will be publicly opened. Only tenders placed in the Tender Box shall be accepted.

Tender Validity Period: Four (4) months commencing from the closing date of tender.
Tender Evaluation Criteria: The tender shall be evaluated on a Two Stage Evaluation System – Stage One being Functionality and Stage Two being either the SOCS or SOFS Preference Point System in accordance with the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017, issued in terms of section 8 of the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act, Act No. 8 of 2002. The Functionality for Stage One shall be evaluated on the following criteria:

- Functionality for Stage 1 shall be as follows:
 - Points Allocated
 - 1 Previous experience of the Bidder: 20
 - 2 Locality of Business – Main Contractor: 18
 - Total Functionality Points 40 Points
 - Threshold to qualify for Stage Two: 75%
- For technical related information, please contact Benette Ketelewa at Tel. No. 033 - 362 2067 or email: benette.ketelewa@msunduzi.gov.za or Shabane Mthethwa at Tel. No. 033 - 362 2862 or email: shabane.mthethwa@msunduzi.gov.za.
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THE MSUNDUZI MUNICIPALITY

TENDER NOTICE SUPPLY AND SERVICE CONTRACT NO. 88 OF 2017 SECTION 2

APPOINTMENT OF ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS FOR THE CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE OF VENTILATION IN CLOSE PROXIMITY OF ELECTRICAL HV, MV AND LV OVERHEAD LINES AND SUBSTATIONS UP TO AND INCLUDING 40kV

The Municipal Municipality hereby invites tenders from suitably qualified and experienced Contractors for the above work as and when required for a three (3) year period. Only Service Providers with a Contractor CIDB grading of 2EP or Higher with B-BBEE levels of 1 and 2 will be considered.

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A compulsory Tender Briefing Meeting will be held at 10h00 prompt on Thursday, 28 August 2017, in the Electricity Department's Boardroom, 111 Havelock Road, Pietermaritzburg, 3201. Only one Tender Briefing Meeting will be held for the above contract. Tenderers arriving at the meeting after the stipulated starting time mentioned above will be disqualified. Further to this, all Tenderers attending the meeting must be in possession of a Tender Document filling which the Tenderer shall be disqualified. Only one (1) Representative per Company or Joint Venture or Consortium will be allowed to attend the above meeting. No Tenderer will be allowed to represent more than one (1) Company at the meeting.

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Tender Validity Period: Four (4) months commencing from the closing date of tender.

Tender Evaluation Criteria: The tender shall be evaluated on a Two Stage Evaluation System – Stage One being Functionality and Stage Two being either the SOCS or SOFS Preference Point System in accordance with the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017, issued in terms of section 8 of the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act, Act No. 8 of 2002. The Functionality for Stage One shall be evaluated on the following criteria:

- Functionality for Stage 1 shall be as follows:
 - Points Allocated
 - 1 Previous experience of the Bidder: 28
 - 2 Locality of Business – Main Contractor: 16
 - 3 Number of Teams: 30
 - Total Functionality Points 70 Points
 - Threshold to qualify for Stage Two: 75%
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THE MSUNDUZI MUNICIPALITY

TENDER NOTICE SUPPLY AND SERVICE CONTRACT NO. 8CM 6 OF 17/18

CONSTRUCTION OF PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE OVER MSUNDUZI RIVER-WATERWORKS ROAD, SHEROESHODINI, PIETERMARITZBURG

Tenders are hereby invited from suitably qualified and experienced Tenderers for the above work. Only Contractors who have a CIDB Grading of 3CE or Higher and are B-BBEE Level 1 and 2 Contributors will be considered for appointment.

Tender documents will be available to Tenderers from 10h00 on Monday, 17 July 2017.

Tender documents can be downloaded and printed at the Tenderer's cost from the National Treasury e-Tender Publication Portal on www.etenders.gov.za. Printed copies of the tender document shall also be available from the Supply Chain Management Unit Offices, 6th Floor, A & B Chetty Building, 333 Church Street, Pietermaritzburg, on the date and time mentioned above at a non-refundable tender deposit fee of R788.14 (including VAT) per each document drawn. Only cash, bank guaranteed cheques or BPT payments will be accepted.

For technical related matters, please contact Mr. Mark (Boris) of Merion Singh and Associates upon Call No. 033 778 6161 or e-mail: mark@merion.co.za or Merion Singh (Project Manager) at Tel No. 033-362 219 9, Call No. 072 501 781 1 or e-mail: m.singh@merion.co.za.

For Supply Chain Management related matters, please contact Vinesh Govender at either Tel. No. 033- 362 282 7 or e-mail: vinesh.govender@msunduzi.gov.za.

A compulsory Tender Briefing Meeting will be held at 10h00 prompt on Wednesday, 2 August 2017, in the Roads Department's Boardroom, 4th Floor, A & B Chetty Building, 333 Church Street, Pietermaritzburg. Only one Tender Briefing Meeting will be held for the above contract. Tenderers arriving at the meeting after the stipulated starting time mentioned above will be disqualified. Further to this, all Tenderers attending the meeting must be in possession of a Tender Document filling which the Tenderer shall be disqualified. Only one (1) Representative per Company or Joint Venture or Consortium will be allowed to attend the above meeting. No Tenderer will be allowed to represent more than one (1) Company at the meeting.

No Tenderer will be allowed to purchase or collect tender documents after 14h00 on 1 August 2017, and the Msunduzi Municipality will not be held liable for any loss or damages sustained by the Tenderer in this regard.

Sealed tenders enclosed on the envelope "Contract No. 6 of 17/18" must be placed in the Tender Box located in the Foyer, Ground Floor, City Hall, 199 Chief Albert Lutuli Street, Pietermaritzburg, not later than 12h00 on 8 August 2017, when they will be opened in public. Only tenders placed in the tender box shall be accepted. Under no circumstances whatsoever will any extension of time be allowed for submission of tenders.

Tender Validity period: Three (3) months commencing from the closing date of the tender.

Tender Adjudication/Evaluation Criteria: The tender shall be evaluated on a Two Stage Evaluation System – Stage One being Functionality and Stage Two being the SOCS Preference Point System in accordance with the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017, issued in terms of section 8 of the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act, Act No. 8 of 2002.

- The Functionality for Stage One shall be evaluated on the following criteria:
 - Description Mainman Points
 - No. of Successfully Completed Structural Steel & Reinforced Concrete Bridge Projects: 15
 - Company's Structural Steel and Reinforced Concrete Bridge Construction Experience for Projects Over R1 million: 10
 - Experience of Project Manager/ Site Agent: 10
 - Locality: 10
 - Total Points: 45
 - Threshold: 80%
- The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender and reserves the right to accept the whole or any part of a tender. Each tenderer will be informed of the tender result. The Council expects businesses within the Pietermaritzburg and Midlands Region to support its contract and affirmative action programmes.
- MR. SCOTT HADZIM (ACTING MUNICIPAL MANAGER)**

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The park which serves as headquarters of Ezemvelo KZN Wildlife also contains numerous indigenous and exotic plants. Several cycad species and



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The reserve offers visitors picnic areas with braai and ablution facilities.

Within the reserve you will find a small resource centre that offers regular environmental education

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Kuchushiswe abesifazane abasemabhizinisini eMgungundlovu

Thina sikhule kubanjiswa kumele sikhuthazane sibuyele kwizinto esasizenza kudla. Lawa ngamazwi kaDkt Gcina Mhlophe eluleka ngawo abantu besifazane abasemabhizinisini emcimbini obizwa nge- my business indaba obusudonse izinsuku ezimbili eCity Hall ngeledule.

Lokhu ukusho ngesikhathi eyisikhulumi esiqavile kumcimbi obuhlanganisa izinhlelo ezintathu okubalwa Inkunzi isematholeni Youth Business competition, Siyasebenza Entrepreneur Development Consultation kanye neMbokodo iyazenzela Women in SMMEs Workshop.

“Ngithokoza ngaphakathi uma ngisezindaweni ezinje lapho abantu bezama ukuzithuthukisa. Sebenzelani ukwenza amagama enu athembeke.

Akumele nijahe ukuthumela izimpahla zenu kude kumele niqale lapha ekhaya kuze kubonakale ikhono lenu,” kusho yena.



Lomcimbi ubuhanjelwe nawumsakazi woKhozi Fm uVukile Nongcebo Mckenzie inhloso yawo ukuthi abantu besifazane bathuthukisane. UMaria Ngubane (72) Sweetwaters owenza umsebenzi wokuthunga uthe imicimbi efana nalena ibasiza kakhulu ngoba bathola ukwazana nalabo

abebengawazi umsebenzi wabo bawubone.

USthandiwe Dimba oyi-Corporate Social Investment Co-Ordinator eThala uthe bafuna ukuhalalisela abesifazane abasazibambe zaqina emabhizinisini nokuthi izinto zibashaya kodwa baqhubeka nokuyibamba.

Inkampani enkulu isize isikole



Itholwe ukwesekwa okukhulu inhlangano elekelela abafundi ngemfundo engeziwe ezifundweni ezaziwa ngokuthi zinzima ezikoleni zamabanga aphezulu.

Ithulwe ngokusemthethweni i-ABERDARE CABLE, ngoLwesihlanu esikoleni eSinqongweni Secondary. I-ABERDARE yinhlangano elekelela abafundi bebanga lesi-8 (Grade 10) ezifundweni ze sayensi, mathematics kanye nesingisi ezikoleni eziyi-7 ezakhele ilokishi lase Mbali, eMgungundlovu.

Le nhlangano iqale ukufundisa ngo April, ifundisa njalo ngemgqibela abafundi abazizwayo. Uthishanhloko wase sikoleni iFundokuhle Secondary obeyingxenye yalomcimbi, uBongani Mnikathi, uthe u-ABERDARE uwenzile umehluko ezikoleni amazing okuphasa abafundi akhuphukile.

“Bayasizakala kahulu abafundi ngoba bathola ukuchazeleka kabanzi uma bengazwanga kahle hle ekilasini,” kusho uMnikathi.

Bebephume ngobuningi babo nabafundi ba ABERDARE yize bekungamaholide.

Okhulumela i-ABERDARE, uJyoshtie Dhunes, uthe bayayijabulela impumelelo yabafundi ngenhlangano yabo.

“Siyajabula uma sibona abafundi bephumelela ezifundweni zabo. Isifiso sethu ukuthi sikwazi ukulekelela isifundazwe sonke,” kubeka uDhunes.

Izikhulu zika Masipala uMsunduzi ziyisukumele phezu le nhlangano zayeseka ngokuba khona emcimbini, singabala obemele iMeya, uKhansela Jabu Ngubo, uNobhala we-ANC Moses Mabhida Region, Mdumiseni Ntuli, uMxhumanisi wakwa Masipala Thobeka Mafumbatha kanye nabanye.

Indondo eyigolide kwisibhedlela Edendale



Bakhombise enkulu injabulo abasebenzi besibhedlela i-Edendale ngesikhathi bemenezwa ngengabavelele kwizinhlelo zikahulumeni eziqhuba phambili umthetho obeka abantu phambili ‘Batho Pele Principle’ emcimbini ka Ndunankulu wokuklomelisa obizwa nge-KwaZulu-Natal Premier’s Service Excellence Awards.

UNgqongqoshe wezeMpilo KwaZulu-Natal, uDkt Sibongiseni Dhlomo, uchaze lesi sibhedlela njengesibonelo esiqhakazayo esizinikele ekuletheni izidingo zomphakathi, wathi siyisibonelo esihle esifundazweni.

Lesi sibhedlela siwine ngemikhankaso esesiyenzile yokuhambiza izinsisa kusebenza ezindaweni ezinabantu,

isezindaweni ezidayisa ngotshwala, amasonto, amarenki, inxanathela yezitolo, isemanyuvesi kanye nokuhambela abantu emakwabo, behamba begqugquzela ukuhlolwa kwezifo.

Isikhulu esiphezulu esibhedlela i-Edendale, uZanele Ndwandwe, uthe lokhu kuphumelela kuyinjabulo enkulu.

UNgqongqoshe uhalalise wathi, “Ngifisa ukubongela i-Edendale Hospital ngokunqoba. Siyathemba izogqugquzela nezinye izinhlelo zezempilo ukuthi zisebenze ngokuzikhandla.

Njengodokotela ogunyaziwe kwezempilo, kuletha injabulo kumina ukubona ozakwethu endimeni, benza umsebenzi wabo ngokuzimisela, nokubeka abantu phambili.”

Ulibangise phesheya owe jazz

Uphelezwe ngesidlo sakusihlwa umculi we jazz wase Mgungundlovu uNkanyezi Cele ozolibangisa kwelaphesheya kwezilwandle nethimba lakhe lapho beyonandisa khona. Lo mculi uzobhekisa amabombo e-Europe kuleli sonto nacula nabo bazohambela izwe lase Netherlands nelase Denmark. Uzobe eshiyelana inkundla nabanye bakuleli, uPrince Bulu, Lungelo Ngcobo wase Port Shepstone, Thobeka Langa wase Mgungundlovu kanye noSiphelele

Nyide.

“Sizobe sidlala eKwaku Festival e-Amsterdam ngomgqibelo mhlaka 15 no 16, ihanjelwa abantu ababalelwa kabangu 200 000 minyaka yonke,” kusho uCele.

Izolo kusihlwa iMeya ka Masipala uMsunduzi iphelele uCele ngesidlo sakusihlwa emfisela uhambo oluhle.

UCele ungumsunguli womcimbi we Pietermaritzburg Jazz Festival eyenzeka minyaka yonke.



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