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# Hawks seek public assistance to arrest G4S robbers



CASH: One of the alleged robbers was captured by cameras. Rob: The robbers went away with an undisclosed amount of money

## GA MASEMOLA

The Hawks' Directorate for Priority Crime Investigation is seeking the public's assistance to identify three men who robbed a filling station in Ga-Masemola.

"On May 2 at about 11:45, G4S security guards were collecting money from Global Filling Station at the Big Boy shopping complex when they were allegedly ambushed by three unknown men armed with firearms," said the Limpopo Hawks' spokesperson, Captain Matimba Maluleke.

It is reported that the suspects held the crew at gunpoint and took a money bag with an undisclosed amount of cash from the security guards before fleeing the scene. The suspects were allegedly using a grey Toyota Corolla as their getaway vehicle. Anyone who can identify the suspects or knows of their whereabouts, is requested to contact the Hawks on 071 481 2461/073 261 8784.

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## Suspect shot dead when exchanging fire with police during ATM robbery



The VW Polo that was abandoned by the suspects before they fled after exchanging gunfire with police.



The police in Sekhukhune are searching for a group of unknown suspects who bombed an ABSA ATM at a Shell Garage in Ga-Rancho Village.

## GA-RANTHO

The Police in Sekhukhune are searching for a group of suspects following an ATM bombing at Ga-Rancho Village that occurred on Thursday 4 May 2023.

According to Colonel Malesela Ledwaba, Limpopo Provincial Police Spokesperson, a group of heavily armed men entered at Shell Garage in the early hours of Thursday and blasted an ABSA ATM.

"Police preliminary investigation revealed that a group of unknown men armed with firearms entered the garage and started shooting at a security guard before proceeding to the ATMs, set their explosives and blasted one of them and got away with an undisclosed amount of money," he said.

Malesela said the police were immediately summoned to the scene and on arrival, the suspects, driving in a white Toyota Legend 45 and blue VW Polo noticed that the police have arrived and started shooting at them.

"The police retaliated and a cross fire ensued. One of the suspects of about 35-years of age was shot and fatally wounded in the process while his accomplices managed to evade arrest," he said.

Ledwaba said the police appeal to anyone with information that can assist in arresting the suspects involved in the incident to contact investigating officer, Lieutenant Colonel Tshinyadzo Ndou on 082 807 2666, crime stop number on 08600 10111, the nearest Police Station or make use of MySAPSApp. Ledwaba said police investigations are still ongoing.

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# Endless battle of drinkable water in Ephraim Mogale villages



Communities in EPMLM villages are subjected to drink dirty water from the nearest rivers and wells after SDM failed to provide clean drinkable water.



Residents from various villages in EPMLM during one of the water shortage marches organized earlier this year.

## EPHRAIM MOGALE

Residents of villages in Ephraim Mogale Local Municipality (EPMLM) say they will be calling the Minister of Water and Sanitation, Senzo Mchunu, to come and address their long-standing water shortages battles in the area.

The communities, leading by Batho Pele Development Forum and Sekhukhune Lepelle Development Forum, which seeks to raise water scarcity concerns in EPMLM villages, claim they have been surviving on river and stream water for a long time, despite millions of rands budgeted for water provision by the Sekhukhune District Municipality (SDM).

Kgobise Setlamorago, Batho Pele Development Forum Chairperson, said as winter approaches, they are worried because rivers and wells have dried up, leaving them with no other sources of water in the area.

"The situation is becoming worse because it is no longer raining these days. The water level is very low and leaving rivers and wells dried up," he said.

According to Setlamorago, the district municipality installed water storage tanks promising to provide drinkable water through water tanker trucks, which were left dry since they were installed about two years ago.

"We are tired of this situation, we want the minister to come and address our water shortages issues as the district municipality failed us," he said.

In March 2023, the forum marched to deliver their memorandum to SDM officials at the Flag Boshielo Water Purification Plant in Phetwane Village.

The forum demanded water authority to be given back to local municipalities and Lepelle Northern Water (LNW), citing that SDM has failed to supply them with drinkable water since taking over in 2010. The forum further demanded water personnel to be stationed at all reservoirs and develop a time table that

will be notifying with water reticulation in all villages.

They had also called upon SDM to cooperate with other stakeholders such as the local municipality and LNW for speeding up permanent solutions to their water problem.

In response to their grievances, the Executive Mayor of SDM, Cllr Maleke Mokganyetji, wrote a letter to the forum, stating that the process of devolution of power has been resume at SDM by circulating a draft Memorandum of Understanding (MoU), to all the local municipalities for their input. Mokganyetji indicated that it must also be mentioned that SDM has already resumed the process of section 78, whereby a study is being done on finding a permanent solution on devolution of power to the local municipalities.

The executive mayor committed that SDM leadership will try by all means to avail themselves when called upon on various legitimate community forums.

Mokganyetji informed that the district municipality has taken a decision to move all cluster managers from the head office to the station in all different clusters so as to respond probably to the water challenges in those clusters, as part of SDM's drive to meet all water challenges that are experienced by communities.

She said the current SDM organogram has no vacancy on pump operators due to budgetary constraints, however, the proposal will be sent to council during budget processes. Mogale Matsekoleng, Sekhukhune Lepelle Development Forum Chairperson, said they were not satisfied with Mokganyetji's response.

"We are not happy because the executive mayor's response is not directly addressing our water challenges we are facing currently, it instead, suggests a long-term solutions," he said.

Matsekoleng said they will be approaching the district municipality to try and get short-term water shortages solutions while waiting for permanent ones.



## EPMLM closes off IDP/Budget consultations



Some of the people at the Marble Hall Town Hall on Monday 08 May 2023 when the Ephraim Mogale Local Municipality completed its IDP/Budget consultation programme.

**MARBLE HALL** - To wrap up community engagements on draft Integrated Development Plan (IDP) budget, the Ephraim Mogale Local Municipality met with traditional leaders and people living with disabilities at the municipal town hall on Monday 08 May 2023.

During the local municipality's last 2023/2024 draft IDP/Budget consultations, Mayor Given Moimana presented the draft budget to the stakeholders and future planned infrastructure projects.

Moimana was joined by Executive Committee members (Exco), Municipal Public Accounts Committee (MPAC) Chairperson, Thabiso Mabaso, EPMLM Council Chief Whip, Itumeleng Magane, Municipal Manager, Mogobadi Moropa, Director of Corporate Services, Mmaphiri Rampedi, Chief Financial Officer, Thabo Modisane, Director for Community Services, Yvonne Maphutha-Mashaba and Director Planning and LED, Palesa Tjebane among others.

Percy Moagi, EPMLM

Communications Manager, said the inputs from all the participants will be considered by the council during the adoption of both the IDP and budget.

Through the consultations, communities are engaged on broader municipal draft plans for the year ahead.

They are aimed at soliciting inputs and comments on proposed projects that will change the livelihoods of communities for the better.

Local municipalities in South Africa have to use IDP as a method to plan future development in

their areas.

The Apartheid regime's planning left the country's cities and towns that have racially divided business and residential areas, are badly planned to cater for the poor –with long travelling distances to work and poor access to business and other services.

There remains a great difference in level of service between rich and poor areas and have sprawling informal settlements and spread out residential areas that make cheap service delivery difficult.

## Successful triplets and twins delivery at Jane Furse Hospital

**JANE FURSE**  
**D**octors and nurses at the Jane Furse Maternity ward celebrated a successful normal delivery of a set of triplets and a set of twins in one day.

The five healthy babies were delivered between Tuesday 9 May and Wednesday 10 May, safe through normal vaginal delivery.

Phina Manaleng, aged 22, delivered a set of triplets, two girls and a boy. The babies were delivered at 23:35, 23:41 and 23:44. During the delivery, the two girls weighed 2kg each and the boy was at 3kg. All the babies were delivered through normal vaginal delivery (NVD).

Another mother, Gladys Komane, aged 26, delivered two boys at 03:38 and 04:10. During the delivery, the first boy weighed 2.2 kg and the second one weighed 3kg and all

were delivered through normal vaginal delivery (NVD). MEC for Health Department in Limpopo, Dr Phophi Ramathuba, has congratulated Jane Furse Hospital midwives who supported their doctors for making sure that triplets and twins were delivered safe through normal vaginal delivery.

"We congratulate the two mothers for being blessed with triplets and twins. We are glad that the mothers and babies are well and in good health conditions. We applaud the midwives and doctors for helping the mothers during the delivery processes," she said.

Ramathuba said the province declared 2023 as a year of primary healthcare, mainly to improve access to quality healthcare to women and their unborn babies which will reduce their mortality.



Gladys Komane looking relieved after giving birth to two boys through normal vaginal delivery at Jane Furse Hospital.



Phina Manaleng with her three babies that were delivered normally by doctors and midwives at the Jane Furse Hospital.

## Ndalo pleads for financial assistance to represent SA in Bulgaria

### LONGTILL

Young talented model Ndaloenhle "Ndalo" Lethabo Sibanyoni (8) continues to fly the local flag high. The girl from Longtill is heading to Europe. Ndaloenhle was chosen to represent Mzansi at the Little Miss Planet International finals in Bulgaria in June this year.

The eight-year-old girl has always enjoyed modelling. Since the age of three, the young girl has been parading on the veranda, imitating top models. It does not come by surprise that she is heading abroad. In April 2022, she was the first princess in Little Mr and Miss Africa held at the Pearl of Africa Hotel in Uganda. Ndaloenhle said modelling has taught her to love and respect herself and other people around her.

"Modelling taught me to be able to share, forgive and be confident in myself and what I can achieve." She knows how to handle tricky interview questions and the pressure that comes with them.

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Ndaloenhle "Ndalo" Lethabo Sibanyoni



# Limpopo Road Safety Programme launched



Limpopo MEC for Transport and Community Safety, Florence Radzilani (left), Treasury MEC, Seaparo Sekoati (middle) and MEC for Agriculture and Rural Development, Thabo Mokone (right) during the launch of Limpopo Road Safety Programme in Polokwane on Tuesday 09 May 2023.

## POLOKWANE

The Limpopo Road Safety Programme, organized by the Impact Catalyst Limpopo to strengthen road safety and reduce fatalities, was on Tuesday 09 May 2023 launched in Polokwane.

The Roads Agency Limpopo, as a key role player in road infrastructure, RAL formed part of the panel discussions intended to unpack the strategies to approach road safety projects.

MEC for Limpopo Department of Transport and Community Safety, Florence Radzilani, MEC for Treasury Seaparo Sekoati and Department of Agriculture and Rural Development, Thabo Mokone were also part of the launch.

RAL's representative, General Manager Kishan Tulsi gave inputs, saying that collaboration and communication results in coordination.

Tulsi emphasized that to effectively eliminate road fatalities, concerned stakeholders should work together.

He further said revealed that RAL has intensified its road maintenance efforts in a quest to save lives that may perish as a result of poor road infrastructure.

Tulsi indicated the importance of forming partnerships with private sector to augment available resources to ensure road safety.

He cited the partnership RAL has with various mining houses and ZZ2, which have helped and continue to assist in implementation of road maintenance and building of new roads for the safety of road users.

"RAL will work on the layout of road designs by placing more signage, road marking, sufficient walkways, bicycles and other non-motorist routes. Effective ways to make an impact on road user safety is to ensure that there are signage and road markings on roads.

Sufficient walkways and bicycle routes would also make road usage safer because most roads are built to accommodate motorists' traffic and fewer pedestrians," said Tulsi.

On behalf of Premier Chupu Mathabatha, MEC Radzilani said "One life lost is one too many and the Limpopo Road Safety Programme was long overdue.

Radzilani pledged the Limpopo government will work with RAL to ensure maximum safety on roads.

# Business breakfast at Sekhukhune TVET College

**MOTETEMA-** Over a 100 business stakeholders including Sector education and training authority (Seta) municipalities, SMMEs, Sekhukhune Development agency (SDA) Mining Qualification Authority (MQA), banks, sectoral departments including the Department of Education, Health and Labour and college alumni gathered at Sekhukhune TVET College's CS Barlow Campus Hall on the Thursday 04 of May to engage at what it is called business round table breakfast.

According to Abicky Kgolane, Sekhukhune TVET College Assistant Director Marketing and Communications, the aim of the business breakfast was to nurture the industrial relations and partnerships and to reassure key stakeholders of the critical role they play in the college's WIL (Work Integrated Learning) placement in preparing the graduates for the workplace.

Kgolane's words were echoed by the College Principal, Tebogo Kekana, who reminded those in attendance that the event was taking place under the theme, "Pathways from education and training into the workplace".

Principal Kekana further said that they have carefully chosen the theme in their quest of ensuring that every workplace should also be converted into a learning place.

In his speech it was worth noting that despite fewer industries around the Sekhukhune district, the Sekhukhune TVET College managed to scoop a bronze award nationally competing with urban colleges across the length and breadth of the country in WIL placement programme for the year 2021/22.

The Mining Qualification Authority reiterated their commitment to support the College program and told stakeholders that WIL are purposefully designed learning programmes to integrate theoretical knowledge with practical work, predominantly to those doing Diploma, National Diploma, Higher certificates or Advanced Certificate as a Vocational qualification in line with Higher Education Qualifications Sub-Framework (HEQSF) stand to benefit more than the WIL programme.

In ensuring the continued support to the college, the Wholesale and Retail Sector Education and Training Authority (W&RSeta) representative announced their partnership with the college to build a new skills centre in Groblersdal town, which is currently beginning to benefit the students because workshops are already functional with students attending classes at the centre, and told the delegates that official grand open-



Sekhukhune TVET College Principal, Tebogo Kekana speaking during the business breakfast held at the CS Barlow Campus in Motetema Township on Thursday, 04 May 2023.

ing will take place this year in September with the President Ramaphosa handing over the multi-million rand worth facilities to the community of Sekhukhune.

The glittering event culminated in a campus tour to orientate and expose delegates observe the college readiness to deliver quality education and training by taking them through the college facilities including the practical workshops, centre of specialisation in carpenter and joiner, computer labs, business simulation and centre for entrepreneurship rapid incubator of the college.

# Cash-in-transit heist between Marble Hall and Settlers road

**MARBLE HALL-** The police in Tuinplaas, near Modimolle, Waterburg District have launched a manhunt for two suspects involved in a cash-in-transit heist along the R33 Road between Marble Hall and Settlers T-junction on Monday 08 May 2023 at about 18:30. Police said according to reports, the driver of the cash vehicle allegedly stopped at the T-junction with a view to turn to Marble Hall direction when suddenly, a silver grey Fortuner came from Settlers road and stopped in front of his vehicle. Two African males alighted from the vehicle and started shooting at him.

Colonel Malesela Ledwaba, Limpopo Provincial Police Spokesperson, said the driver continued towards Marble Hall direction but stopped a few meters away because his tyres were damaged from the shooting, and subsequently jumped out of the vehicle and ran into the bushes with his

crew.

Ledwaba indicated no one was injured in the incident and that further information is that a van was found burning on the same road not far from the cash-in-transit scene. "It is not known at this stage whether it is connected to the incident," said Ledwaba.

The Acting Provincial Commissioner of police in Limpopo, Major General Jan Scheepers urged the members of the public who might have witnessed the incident or have any information that can help police in apprehending suspects to come forward.

Anyone with information that can assist police in capturing the suspects is requested to contact Lt Col Justice Ngobeni on the number 082 565 8326 or crime stop number 08600 10111 or the nearest police station or the MysapsApp.

Police investigations continue.

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## Second Hlogotlou police station escapee re-arrested

**MONSTERLUS** - A 20 year-old, Thabang Mokoena, who was amongst the four suspects who escaped from police cells in Hlogotlou on Sunday, 07 May 2023, has been re-arrested.

According to police, the 20 year-old Thabang Mokoena escaped together with the other three from Hlogotlou police station's holding cells on Thursday, 04 May 2023 at about 18:00. Two of the escapees have since been re-arrested and the other two is still at large.

Colonel Malesela Ledwaba, Limpopo Provincial Police Spokesperson, said Mokoena was allegedly handed over to the police by a family member after they learned about his escape. "He will be facing charges of robbery with aggravating circumstances and escaping from lawful custody," indicated Ledwaba.

Ledwaba further said that the two remaining suspects were arrested for a series of crimes that were committed at different locations in Sekhukhune district between 2019 and 2023.

"Thabang Nzima (31) was facing charges of rape that he committed in Motetema policing area in January 2019 prior to his escape while Lewis Magoro (36) was facing charges of attempted murder and robbery that he committed in Motetema policing area in December 2022 and January 2023," explained Ledwaba. Anyone with information that can assist is urged to contact the investigating officer, Sergeant Rocco Given Morgan on 072 1141732, the crime stop number 08600 10111, the nearest police station or send information via MySAPSApp.

Police investigations continue.



Hlogotlou lawful custody escapee, Lewis Magoro and the re-arrested Thabang Mokoena who was handed over to the police by a family member after the four escaped from police cells on Thursday, 04 May 2023.

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This is all thanks to the modelling lessons she has taken at the Sekhukhune Pageantry and Modelling Academy.

The grade three pupil at Steelpoort Laerskool has won many crowns, including Miss Valentine at Tingeling School when she was four years old. Other accolades include Miss Spring Tiny Tots, Junior Miss Bopedi 1st princess, Miss United Limpopo, Tiny Miss Spring Burgersfort, Face of Atok 2nd princess, Miss Mafate, she was also in the top five of Little Miss South Africa.

Her mother, Poppy, said she is doing her best to make sure that her daughter's dream of representing South Africa in Bulgaria become a reality. "As a former model, I want her to achieve more than I did. She was born into a

modelling family and drew inspiration from her mother." The former model believes Ndaloenhle can bring the crown home and pleads for assistance from locals businesses, government departments and Good Samaritans. She, ask for donations to cover the trip to Europe, which will costs R120 000 for both of them

"If you could please help with any amount to help me and my guardian make this trip. We need to raise at the most R120 000. We know it's a lot of money but we believe it can be done. This amount covers accommodation, flights, meals outfits and all other things, this amount will cover us for the seven days we will spent in Bulgaria," added Ndaloenhle. To assist Ndaloenhle in her trip, contact the family on 071 421 7058 or 083 625 8332.

### Police need help to locate these young missing persons



The police in Lebowakgomo request the public to help find Matheba Ramatsobane Tshiamo (20), who has since disappeared with her three weeks old baby since Thursday 4 May 2023.



The police in Lebowakgomo appeal to the public to help locate the whereabouts of Kamogelo Monyela (15), from Mothiba-Ngwanamago Village in Ga-Maja, who went missing on Friday 5 May 2023.

### LEBOWAKGOMO

The Police in Lebowakgomo have launched a search operation following the disappearance of a 15-year-old girl, Kamogelo Monyela, residing at Mothiba-Ngwanamago Village in Ga-Maja outside Lebowakgomo.

According to the police report, the victim went missing since Friday 5 May 2023, at around 11:00 am.

"She left home wearing her school uniform and her mother assumed that she was going to school at Radikgomo Secondary, but she never returned home," said Sergeant Mienkie Ramakgoakgoa, Limpopo Provincial Police Spokesperson.

Ramakgoakgoa added that the teenager's mother visited a friend who explained that the she came to her and took off her school uniform and dressed in a pink and white jacket with a pair of black Jeans trousers and blue and white Puma sneakers. It is alleged that the victim thereafter took a taxi to Polokwane and that was when she was last seen.

"Preliminary investigations reveal that she requested R300-00 from other relatives through her Facebook account, claiming that she wants to go back home yet she never returned and her cellphone is currently on voicemail," explained Ramakgoakgoa.

She said searches were conducted from relatives and places she frequently visited with no success.

"Anyone with information

about the whereabouts of the missing teenager may contact investigating officer, Lieutenant Colonel Nyamanyayo Thomas Baloyi on 082 565 8234 or the nearest police station or the Crime Stop Line on 08600 10111 or share the information on MySAPSApp," she said.

Meanwhile, Ramakgoakgoa said the Police in Lebowakgomo have launched another search operation for a missing woman named, Matheba Ramatsobane Tshiamo (20) along with her three weeks old baby boy residing at Lebowakgomo Zone P.

"The victim was last seen by her aunt on Thursday 4 May 2023, at 07:00 am while she was going to work, the same day at around 15:00 when the aunt returned the victim and her baby were nowhere to be found," said Ramakgoakgoa.

She said the victim left without informing anyone of her destination and the clothes she was wearing are not known.

"A search operation was conducted from relatives and places she frequently visits with no success. Anyone with information about the whereabouts of the victims is requested to contact the investigating officer, Lieutenant Colonel Nyamanyawo Thomas Baloyi on 082 565 8234 or the nearest police station. Alternatively, the public may call the Crime Stop Line on 08600 10111 or share the information through MySAPSApp," concluded Ramakgoakgoa.



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## FETAKGOMO TUBATSE LOCAL MUNICIPALITY

# Maila updates local communities on acceleration of services in the FTLM

DRESDEN

**F**etakgomo Tubatse Local Municipality (FTLM)'s mayor Eddie Maila once again engaged local media houses to update them on services in the municipality.

The media networking session was held at Papa V Lodge at Dresden on Monday, May 8.

In the meeting, Maila was accompanied by council speaker Reneilwe Pholoane, chief whip, Vincent Shoba, Municipal Manager (MM) Mogaramedi Makgata and the communications team.

In his address, Maila emphasized spending on conditional grants before the end of the financial year. He thanked the administration for a sterling work which yielded R80 million additional allocation.

He assured the public that the municipality is in good hands and is determined to accelerate services within the FTLM.

Maila highlighted that his administration has earmarked on completing projects identified

as 'white elephants' and those left incomplete by previous councils.

"We are aiming at finishing projects that were left incomplete in the past years.

"Recently we completed and energized high mast lights at Ga Manyaka, just next to Smish, Ga Mphethi and Diphale villages.

"We are working hard to have most of high mast lights completed and energized before the end of our financial year."

He indicated that as the political leadership, they had several meetings with Eskom to persuade them

to speed up energizing of the

lights.

Maila said the Operation Mabone initiative was resurrected and two villages that were outstanding are soon going to be electrified.

"We have introduced contractors at the last remaining villages Mandela East, West, and Taung. By the end of June, we would have electrified 9965 homes."

Maila said people of Fetakgomo Tubatse, local contractors and the municipality are capable of delivering best services. To support his idea he applauded the projects being done at Mareseleng and Ga Tebeila.

"At Mareseleng we have two projects, a 9,4 kilometre road and an access bridge. Also at Ga Tebeila, there is a project for a 5.5 kilometre road as well as an access bridge. All these projects will be completed by end of June."

Maila said the municipality's interest is not to enrich the contractors but to achieve their objectives, which is to accelerate services.

He said within a period of 6 months, they had spent 100 per cent on their projects and that led to the additional R80 million granted on them.

"We are now pulling back projects that were supposed to be done in the next financial year, and we are doing them now. This includes the electrification of both Mandela and Taung"



Speaker of Fetakgomo Tubatse Council Mme Reneilwe Pholoane



Manager in Mayor's office, Thabiso Mokoena

Fetakgomo Tubatse Local Municipality (FTLM)'s mayor Eddie Maila during the media networking session at Papa V Lodge.





Vincent Shoba, The Chief whip of FTLM Council



Municipal Manager (MM) Mogaramedi Makgata



Eddie Maila mayor of Fetakgomo Tubatse Local Municipality(wearing black jacket) donated shoes at Marakabela Primary School in Dresden

Maila said the FTLM is moving into right direction in acceleration of services. He warned contractors who were not respecting contractual agreements.

"Nowadays, when we appoint a contractor, we convene a meeting and introduce them to the community. We also outline the process to be followed in order for the project to fully finish."

He said in all their latest completed projects, they never experienced instability, this as a result of proper engagement with stakeholders. As part of his Mayoral Flagship Programs, Maila recently launched and welcomed recruits in the fields of electrical, mechanical, civil engineering, painting and plumbing in-service training.

He revealed a total of 36 learners are placed in to different fields on 18 months program with a monthly stipend.

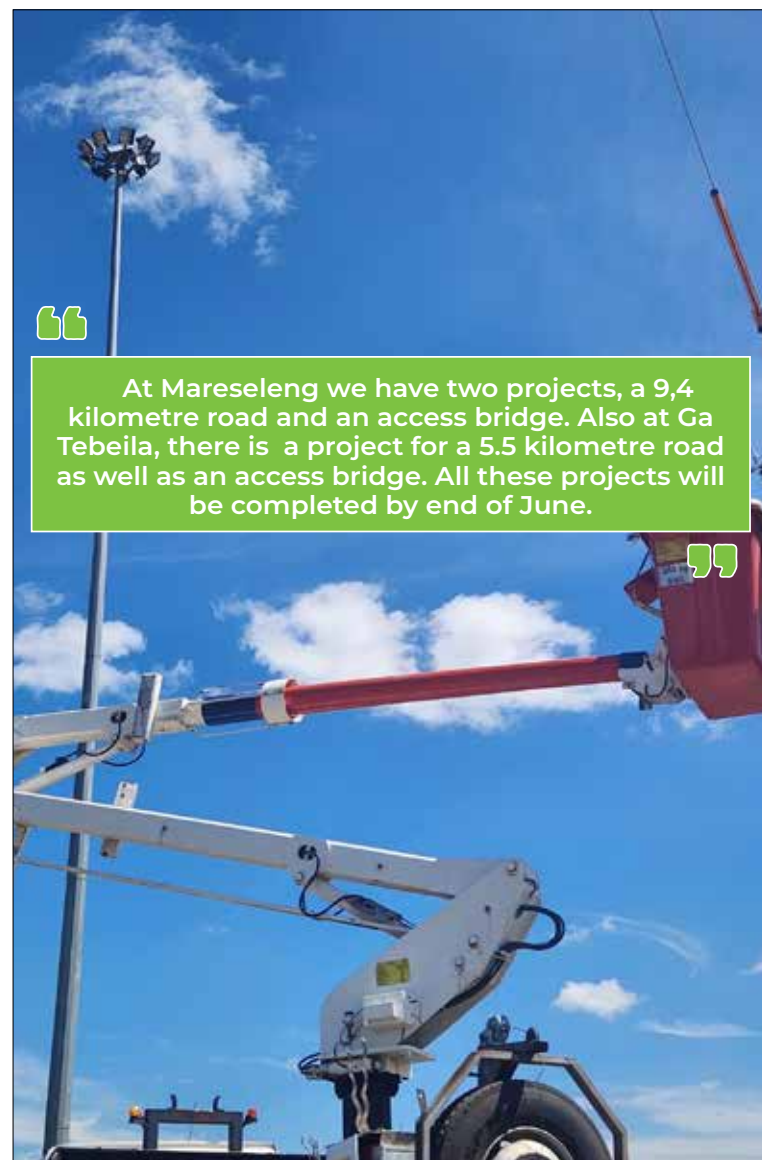
The group is from all corners of Fetakgomo Tubatse and were chosen after tough, rigorous tests and interviews.

Maila said the objective of the program is to capacitate the youth of Fetakgomo Tubatse graduated from institution of higher learning so that they can have required skills and experience for job opportunities.

"Our objective is that when they graduate, they will be handed their certificates and also acquire trade tests. This will help them in getting jobs at the FTLM and also at the local mines."

Once again Maila urged the youth to participate in sports activities. He urged them to support the mayoral tournament which was recently launched at Ga Motodi Stadium.

"We wish to one day see



Energized high mast lights at Ga Manyaka

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an athlete from Fetakgomo Tubatse flying the local flag higher by representing us in the Bafana Bafana team and the national netball team (Proteas).

We want our youths to refrain from engaging in alcohol and drugs and to focus on sporting activities."

He confirmed scouts from top DSTV Premiership clubs will be invited during the finals of the tournament.

Prior from interacting with the journalists, Maila had earlier donated school

shoes to the needy pupils at Marakabela Primary School in Dresden.

He is on a campaign to donate extra school shoes, jerseys and tracksuits to disadvantaged pupils in the municipality.

"We call upon councillors, employees of the FTLM, ward committee members and members of the society to join this campaign. No child in this municipality should

bear the harsh weather conditions by going to school without shoes and jerseys."



# Dudula Movement going to the polls



Operation Dudula Movement resolved to register as a new political party and contest the 2024 General Election.

## MARULANENG

Operation Dudula Movement in Limpopo has taken resolution to contest the upcoming 2024 General Government Election.

The resolution was taken during the Limpopo Provincial Consultative Conference held at Marulaneng Tribal Office on Sunday 7 May 2023. Conference further resolved that Operation Dudula National Executive Committee (NEC) should urgently put systems in place and contest the 2024 General Elections.

Dudula Movement Convenor in Limpopo, Davies Magolego, said the resolution to register Dudula Movement as a political party was guided by the findings of the Technical Advisory Board (TAB), which was established earlier this year to analyze both Operation Dudula as a Brand and the reputational value of the brand.

"The TAB concluded its analysis and presented its findings to the National Executive Committee (NEC) at the beginning of April 2023. After going through the report and its recommendations, the NEC, in its own wisdom, elected to share the report with the membership, supporters and sympathizers with the sole objective of seeking a mandate to change the organization's public engagement strategy," he said.

Magolego added that accordingly, the NEC convened a consultative conference that was scheduled for 7 May 2023, while the main event was at Johannesburg City Hall, members and supporters convened in Limpopo, Mpumalanga, Western Cape, KZN and North West Provinces.

"It must be noted that, for the longest time, the NEC held an uncorroborated view that Operation Dudula is under siege, this view was informed by a number of worrying factors, notwithstanding this view, it remains undisputed that majority of South Africans are troubled by migrants who consciously elect to "come" and "stay" in our country illegally," he said.

Magolego said the movement has noted that corrupt businessmen and women, masquerading as decent and honorable government officials at the Department of Home Affairs, have made South Africa an attractive destination for tourists and migrants with nefarious objectives.

"Operation Dudula was just a civic platform that consolidated and became a voice of communities who remain

concerned with an influx of illegal foreigners in SA. Sadly, the State President, Cyril Ramaphosa, decided to single out Operation Dudula and labeled the organization a "vigilante group" that should not be supported by the ANC or government, needless to say, Operation Dudula has not asked for anything from the ANC but wanted the government elected by the poor and unemployed to act on illegality," he said.

Magolego said they decided to register the formation as a party because they were sidelined by the government and want to be represented and have their say in Parliament.

"The consultative conference concluded that Operation Dudula is under siege and must fight back so that it does not lose a platform to raise issues around illegal foreigners who control 85% of the informal trading sector. This is a sector that contributes about 18% to SA's Gross Domestic Product. This is called a hidden economy. This is one of the contributing factors why SA is Grey Listed globally," he said.

Magolego indicated that Operation Dudula will not apologize for calling for mass deportation of illegal foreigners.

"We are not going to stop Operation Dudula Movement programmes. We will continue to fight the legibility of foreigners in the country while putting South Africans first," he said.

Magolego said unlike other political parties, Dudula Movement will be working on identifying and monitoring employers who consciously hire illegal foreigners with an intent and willingness to pay a fine. Remove and replace illegal foreigners with deserving South Africans across all restaurants or non-scarce skills jobs on a 7 day notice.

"Our movement will be identifying and removing illegal foreigners who irregularly occupy RDP houses and return them to deserving people. We will use all available legal instruments to compel estate agencies or persons who sell or lease out properties to obtain FICA documents in terms of Schedule 1 of the Financial Intelligence Centre Act as amended," he said.

Mgolego committed that between now and 2024 National General Elections, Operation Dudula campaign will be focusing to create jobs, reclaim RDP houses, and reclaim vendor stalls and spaza shops to the benefit of South Africans.

We are looking for a **strong candidate** to join our **winning team**.

At Marula we believe in bringing our A-game every day and **working together** to **determine our destiny** as a team and individuals. This takes someone who is ready to work with a dynamic, fast paced team who are **making a difference every single day**.

## WE'RE HIRING

**MARULA PLATINUM (PTY) LIMITED**

**JOB TITLE:**  
**STAKEHOLDER RELATIONS MANAGER – D3**

**DISTRIBUTION DATE:**  
**09 MAY 2023**

**INTERNAL & EXTERNAL ADVERT**

**CLOSING DATE:**  
**18 MAY 2023**

**APPLICATIONS CAN BE EMAILED TO:**  
**marula.recruitment-D@implats.co.za**  
**OR**  
**- Implats | Career Page (careers-page.com)**

**PURPOSE OF THE JOB:** To manage the implementation of the Stakeholder Relations policy, procedures and strategic initiatives at the business units and operational affairs which the Stakeholder Relations Portfolio is responsible for.

### MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS AND REQUIREMENTS:

- Grade 12 (NQF Level 4) is essential.
- Degree in Social Sciences or Public Relations (NQF Level 7) OR
- Degree in Social or Community Development (NQF Level 7) is essential.
- A business and economic management qualification would be an advantage.
- Minimum of 5 years working experience within Stakeholder Relations, Social Performance, Social/Political Economic Development with emphasis on social development within a mining environment is essential.
- Minimum of 3 years of Management experience in the related discipline is essential.
- Valid Medical Certificate, or medically fit in order to obtain such a Certificate.

### DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

**The successful candidate will be expected to:**

- Support the Head of Stakeholder Engagement in the development of the stakeholder relations strategy, policies and procedures.
- Lead, develop and execute stakeholder relations initiatives and detailed stakeholder mapping for Marula Operations to support the overall business objectives.
- Build and maintain stakeholder relations and to support the Head of Stakeholder Engagement in managing relationships with internal and external stakeholders at a strategic level including national, provincial and district Levels to ensure operational stability.
- Ensure implementation of the stakeholder relations strategy, policy and procedure at the business units and community levels.
- Manage and oversee the operational affairs of the Stakeholder Relations Coordinators at the Business Units and at Community Levels.
- Proactively identify community needs and wants and risks.
- Develop effective management controls and approaches to implement community well-being initiatives for the operation.
- Support the internal multi-disciplinary functions related to the communities' needs and wants.
- Design and execute in co-operation with the Socio-Economic function effective engagement strategies with internal and external stakeholders.
- Ensuring that regular scheduled meetings take place between the Company and its stakeholders and proper records are kept.
- Doing regular scanning of the internal & external environment so as to identify and report on issues that can potentially affect the relationship between the company and its stakeholders.

**IMPORTANT:** Your manager must indicate, in writing, that he/she is aware of your application (This applies to Implats employees and contractors)

**SHORTLISTED CANDIDATES MAY BE SUBJECTED TO PSYCHOMETRIC ASSESSMENTS - MARULA PLATINUM LTD RESERVES THE RIGHT NOT TO MAKE AN APPOINTMENT.**

**IN THE EVENT THAT YOU DO NOT HEAR FROM THE HUMAN RESOURCES DEPARTMENT WITHIN 30 DAYS AFTER THE CLOSING DATE OF APPLICATIONS, YOUR APPLICATION CAN BE VIEWED AS UNSUCCESSFUL.**

**PREFERENCE WILL BE GIVEN TO EMPLOYEES FROM THE DESIGNATED GROUPS IN LINE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE EMPLOYMENT EQUITY ACT, THE COMPANY'S RECRUITMENT POLICY AND EMPLOYMENT EQUITY PLAN.**

**MARULA PLATINUM LIMITED COMPLIES WITH THE PROTECTION OF PERSONAL INFORMATION ACT 4 OF 2013. YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION WILL BE PROCESSED IN A LAWFUL, LEGITIMATE AND RESPONSIBLE MANNER. BY SUBMITTING YOUR APPLICATION, YOU GIVE YOUR EXPRESS & INFORMED CONSENT TO PROCESS YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION FOR RECRUITMENT PURPOSES**

We know it's **our people who set us apart** and make us a **winning team** – we are excited to have **someone new onboard**.

**RESPECT, CARE AND DELIVER**





**PUBLIC INVITATION TO COMMENT ON THE EIA APPLICATION FOR THE PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION OF THE BAPEDI PRIVATE HOSPITAL IN THE VILLAGE OF MAMONE NEAR JANE FURSE TOWN, MAKHUDUTHAMAGA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY, GREATER SEKHUKHUNE DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY, LIMPOPO PROVINCE.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN IN TERMS OF THE NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT ACT (ACT NO. 107 OF 1998) IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE AMENDED 2014 ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT (EIA) REGULATIONS (2017) (GOVERNMENT NOTICE NO. 983 & 985): INTENT IS TO CARRY OUT THE ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT PROCESS FOR THE PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION OF THE BAPEDI PRIVATE HOSPITAL IN THE VILLAGE OF MAMONE NEAR JANE FURSE TOWN, MAKHUDUTHAMAGA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY, GREATER SEKHUKHUNE DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY, LIMPOPO PROVINCE.

**Project Title:** The Proposed Construction Of The Bapedi Private Hospital In The Village Of Mamone Near Jane Furse Town, Makhuduthamaga Local Municipality, Greater Sekhukhune District Municipality, Limpopo Province.



**Project Description:** The Bapedi Private Hospital (PTY) LTD namely BPH's is proposing the construction of a new 100-bed fully equipped private hospital facility to be in the village of Mamone, near Jane Furse town, Makhuduthamaga local municipality, Greater Sekhukhune District Municipality, Limpopo Province to provide quality health and medical care services for the population of Greater Sekhukhune District Municipality (SDM).

**Listed Activities being applied for according to the 2017 EIA Regulations:**

Listing Notice	ACTIVITY NO(S):	PROVIDE THE RELEVANT BASIC ASSESSMENT ACTIVITY(IES) AS SET OUT IN THE EIA REGULATIONS, 2017 AS AMENDED
GNR 327 Listing Notice 1	14	The development and related operation of facilities or infrastructure, for the storage, or for the storage and handling, of a dangerous good, where such storage occurs in containers with a combined capacity of 80 cubic metres or more but not exceeding 500 cubic metres.
GNR 327 Listing Notice 1	27	The clearance of an area of 1 hectares or more, but less than 20 hectares of indigenous vegetation, except where such clearance of indigenous vegetation is required for— (i) the undertaking of a linear activity; or (ii) maintenance purposes undertaken in accordance with a maintenance management plan.
GNR 327 Listing Notice 1	28	Residential, mixed, retail, commercial, industrial or institutional developments where such land was used for agriculture, game farming, equestrian purposes or afforestation on or after 01 April 1998 and where such development: (i) will occur inside an urban area, where the total land to be developed is bigger than 5 hectares; or (ii) will occur outside an urban area, where the total land to be developed is bigger than 1 hectare; excluding where such land has already been developed for residential, mixed, retail, commercial, industrial or institutional purposes.

**Opportunity to Participate:**

Interested and affected parties (I&APs) are hereby invited to register on the project database. If you or your organisation require further information, would like to participate in the process and be afforded the opportunity to provide comment on the environmental basic assessment documents, please ensure that you register in writing to the Environmental Assessment Practitioner with details provided. Kindly register as I&AP before **09 June 2023**.

**Environmental Assessment Practitioners:** Marine Mountain Environmental Consultants  
**Contact Person:** Mr Tshuxekani Maluleke  
**Cell No:** (071) 2082 364  
**E-mail:** [james@marinemountain.co.za](mailto:james@marinemountain.co.za)  
**Email:** [tmaluleke1@gmail.com](mailto:tmaluleke1@gmail.com)



## Prioritise security at health facilities – DA Limpopo

**SEKHUKHUNE** - The Democratic Alliance (DA) in Limpopo has called for urgent attention on underperforming and inadequate security services at health facilities in the province.

The DA's call follows reports of three gunmen who entered Mogoboya Clinic in Maake, pretending to have brought a patient, and robbed a security guard of his service firearm. Two weeks ago, armed suspects broke into Moletlane Clinic near Zebediela, tied up the guard and also stole cellphones, medicine and medical equipment.

Risham Maharaj, DA Limpopo Spokesperson on Health, said the growing number of criminal incidents at Limpopo health facilities brings the standard of security at the facilities in the province into question.

Maharaj indicated that in September 2020, the Limpopo portfolio committee on health conducted site visits to 20 health facilities and raised the need for proper security measures such as adequate palisade fencing at clinics and the need to address security at nurses' housing to ensure staff safety.

"The current security companies and measures in place seem to be inadequate and are failing to prevent theft and security breaches at hospitals and clinics in the province. We call on Ramathuba to improve security measures at health facilities in the province, especially in rural clinics and hospitals, and to collaborate with the South African Police Service (SAPS) to ensure visible policing and their regular presence at health facilities at

night," said Maharaj.

Maharaj further indicated the DA has escalated the matter to the Limpopo Department of Health and written to Health MEC, Dr. Phophi Ramathuba to prioritise security at health facilities.



The Democratic Alliance (DA) Limpopo spokesperson on health Risham Maharaj (pictured) announced that the party has written to MEC for Health in the province, Dr. Phophi Ramathuba to address inadequate security services at health facilities across the province.

## My long journey to success

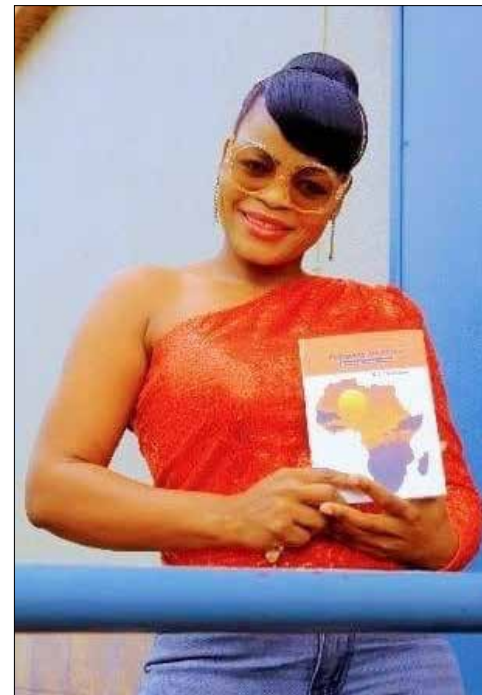
I am Lebogang Thobejane, first born to a family of three all the way from Ga-Sekhukhune Ga-Nkwana. I attended my primary school at Nkwana Primary School and secondary at Naka Mmakgomo Secondary School.

When I was young my dream was to become an author and radio presenter. I was inspired by OK Motsepe who is an incredible writer. I grew up reading my mother's collection of books. I started writing articles that got published at Fetakgomo news, I then later joined Sekhukhune Times where I was a journalist for the weekly paper.

I was so proud of seeing my work published in newspapers. I am the author of the book called "Phafogang MaAfrika" which is a Sepedi poetry collection, published by Leshabane Publishers, CJ Makofane Leshabane

For my radio presentation journey, I worked at Letlhabile FM and Madibeng FM which are both based in Brits North West, I then joined Mascom FM in Ga-Masemola, Maruleng FM in Ga-Sekororo and Vission FM in N'wamitwa.

Phafogang MaAfrika is a beautiful collection of poems in Sepedi, those who are interested in having a copy or to simply support my passion can contact me on 060 769 0600, each copy



Lebogang Thobejane.

costs R150.

Lastly I would like to pass some words of encouragement to anyone pursuing their dreams, no matter how unrealistic they may seem keep pushing, challenges are going to come but is up to you to overcome them and

## We all have a role to play in saving water



The lion's share of the country's annual rainfall which is for households use, industrial, agricultural and other activities are usually experienced in summer.

The summer is behind us now and less rain equate to less water in the storages, and this affect the supplier of water negatively. Let us not use water carelessly with the misconception that the country has more than enough because we are a water-scarce country.

The reality of the matter is that being circumspect in the manner in

which we utilise water is not optional, we are actually obligated to do so. The culture of saving water during rainfall seasons should be inculcated to all water users to ensure that we do not experience water shortages during dry seasons such as the upcoming winter.

Municipalities should work around the clock to fix as much leaks as possible because this is the one of the biggest contributors of water losses in the country and it affects the provision of water to the public adversely.

Municipalities should dedicate a toll-free number that can be shared with communities strictly for water leakage reporting, burst pipes with dedicated warm bodies to respond and attempt to address the challenges.

Should your report not receive the desired attention water users can escalate the matter to (DWS) Department of Water and Sanitation toll-free number 0800 200 200.

**Marcus Monyakeni**  
**Communication**  
**specialist Water & Sanitation**



# The Market Place



The Roads Agency Limpopo SOC was established under the Limpopo Province Roads Agency Proprietary Limited and Provincial Roads Act 07 of 1998, as amended (RAL Act). RAL is mandated for the planning, design, construction, and maintenance of the Limpopo Provincial Road infrastructure. The Head Office of RAL is in Polokwane, 26 Rabe Street.

Roads Agency Limpopo invites applications from suitable, innovative, and credible candidates for the filling of the following vacancy:

## EXECUTIVE MANAGER: MONITORING AND EVALUATION 5 YEAR PERFORMANCE BASED FIXED-TERM CONTRACT MARKET RELATED COST TO COMPANY NEGOTIABLE SALARY

Reporting to the Chief Executive Officer (CEO), the candidate will be responsible for developing and managing business planning activities and overall management of the entire monitoring and evaluation portfolio in the organisation. The incumbent will sign a 5-year employment contract and performance contract with the CEO.

### REQUIREMENTS:

- BSc Degree in Civil Engineering, and 15 years' experience in the Civil Engineering industry
- Master's Degree will be an added advantage.
- Professional registration with ECSA or Pr.CPM (SACPCMP).
- At least 6-8 years' experience within the environment of infrastructure projects of which 5 years must have been at senior managerial level in project management.
- Experience in contract management and supervision of contracts and relevant conditions of contracts
- Experience in roads, bridges or infrastructure will be an added advantage.
- Valid driver's licence, willingness to travel and ability to work independently.
- Knowledge and understanding of legislation pertaining to Engineering, roads and infrastructure management i.e. COLTO.

### RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Develop and implement reporting, monitoring and evaluation strategy for road infrastructure construction projects.
- Ensure that road construction projects are planned and implemented with the set time frames and budget.
- Advise and ensure that best practices are adhered to in project management and road construction.
- Analyse the company strategy and roadmap to determine the future trends, strategic direction and implications pertaining to the company and the specific group as aligned for Monitoring and Evaluation
- Interpret the strategy and roadmap to determine the direction of Monitoring and Evaluation and to determine the output deliverables.
- Monitor and evaluate the performance for monitoring and evaluation.
- Monitor strategic projects such as long-term sustainability of RAL.
- Ensure that information is collated into a workable document for use in the development of a monitoring and evaluation strategy and roadmap.
- Develop and implement strategy and business planning process.
- Analyse the company strategy and roadmap to determine the future trends, strategic direction and implications pertaining to company and the specific group.
- Interpret the strategy and roadmap to determine direction and to determine the output deliverables.
- Align unit strategy to business strategy.
- Monitor and evaluate performance for RAL.
- Ensure that information is collated into a workable document for use in the development of a strategy and roadmap.
- Discuss the implementation of the approved strategy and roadmap with the relevant role players to enable planning of the implementation.
- Obtain and secure the associated resources to enable implementation of the strategy.

- Implement the strategy and roadmap in accordance with policies, procedures and legal requirements and within set timeframes.
- Participate in organisational strategic and operational planning processes linked with performance monitoring.
- Provide performance-monitoring support to various business units in the organisation.
- Manage the performance information management system.
- Oversee the overall management of the strategy management process.
- Facilitate strategy development.
- Oversee the overall management of the strategy management process.
- Facilitate strategy development and deployment process.
- Develop and maintain appropriate governance to support the strategy.
- Monitor and evaluate the implementation of the strategy analysis and interpretation of the information concerned with strategy for the organisation and present such information to enable information decision making.
- Ensure that the organisation complies with relevant legislative frameworks and statutory requirements monitor and report on policy and legislation compliance.
- Monitor organisational progress and compliance in the implementation of strategic and operational plans.

### SKILLS, PERSONAL ATTRIBUTES AND KNOWLEDGE:

- Strategic capability
- Service delivery innovation
- Client orientation and customer focus
- Financial management
- People management and empowerment
- Programme and project management
- Change management
- Communication
- Knowledge management
- Problem analysis and solving
- Service excellence
- Respect, integrity, transparency and courtesy
- Emotional intelligence
- Team player
- Benefits administration
- Customer relationship management (channel management)
- Relevant legislative requirements, policies, and procedures
- construction Industry knowledge
- Financial management including budgeting and forecasting
- Pension Fund rules and regulations
- Compliance management
- Relevant systems Related – based management.
- Strategic management processes
- Analytical skills
- Research and development skills
- Computer literacy
- Policy formulation skills
- Change management
- People development and empowerment skills
- Strategic management and leadership skills
- Financial Management
- Communication skills
- Project Management

### PROCEDURE OF APPLICATIONS:

A detailed CV accompanied by a covering letter, original certified copies (not more than 6 months old) of educational / academic qualifications, professional membership and ID must be included.

**The Executive Manager: Corporate Services**  
Roads Agency Limpopo,  
Private Bag x9554,  
Polokwane 0699

EMAIL OR HAND DELIVER DURING OFFICE HOURS 8:00-16:30

Office No 2-35 (Registry)  
Roads Agency Limpopo  
26 Rabe Street

Email Address: [applications@ral.co.za](mailto:applications@ral.co.za)

**TAKE NOTE OF THE FOLLOWING:** Shortlisted candidates will be subjected to verification of qualifications, employment and security clearance.

Applicants with foreign qualifications remain responsible for ensuring that their qualifications are evaluated by the South African Qualification Authority (SAQA), and therefore must attach certified copies of certificates of evaluation by SAQA.

Applicants are informed that applications, qualifications and CV will not be returned. Applicants must also note that if notification of appointment is not received within 60 days of the closing date, they must accept that their applications are unsuccessful. Correspondence will be limited to the shortlisted candidates only.

The Agency reserves the right to withdraw and/or not fill the post. Due to the expected large number of applications, we envisage receiving applications will not be acknowledged. You may however contact the Agency to check progress of your application.

Inquiries should be directed to Doris Moloto or Thandi Hlabangwane 015-284 4613 / 4650 / 4662

CLOSING DATE: 19 MAY 2023.

**APPLICATION FOR AN ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION IN TERMS OF THE NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT ACT, ACT NO. 107 1998 (NEMA) FOR THE PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION OF A FILLING STATION AND ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE IN GA-MALOPE VILLAGE ON THE FARM NOOITGEZIEN 761 KS WITHIN MAKHUDUTHAMAGA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY OF SEKHUKHUNE DISTRICT, LIMPOPO PROVINCE**

**DESCRIPTION:** Notice is hereby given in terms of Regulation 41(2) published in Government Notice 326 of NEMA, Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations 2014, as amended intending to carry out the following activity:

The proposed construction of a filling station and related infrastructure with underground fuel tanks with a total capacity of 260 cubic metres (260 000 litres) comprising of: 1x120m<sup>3</sup> 95 unleaded petrol, 1x40m<sup>3</sup> of 93 unleaded petrol, 1x40m<sup>3</sup> of diesel 10ppm and 1x60m<sup>3</sup> of diesel 50ppm. The proposed filling station will include the following infrastructures: convenient shop, restaurant, truck stop, ablution facilities and a parking area. The total size of the development will cover an area of 10 000m<sup>2</sup> on an area of 40 000m<sup>2</sup> (4 hectares).

The development triggers NEMA EIA Regulations of 2014 as amended, GN No. 327, Activity No. 14 and Activity No. 27 of 07 April 2017. Basic assessment process will be followed for the application of an Environmental Authorisation for the proposed development.

**LOCATION:** The proposed filling station will be developed at Ga-Malope Village on the farm Nooitgezien 761 KS within Makhuduthamaga Local Municipality of Sekhukhune District in Limpopo Province. The geographical co-ordinates for the development are: 24° 34' 53.11" S and 29° 32' 21.08" E.

Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) are invited to participate by providing comments and raising any issues of concern that they may have regarding the proposed development. To register as an I&AP, and to receive a copy of the Background Information Document (BID) and the Basic Assessment Report (BAR), please contact:

### MABYOKO ENVIRONMENTAL PROJECTS

CELL: 078 559 1102

FAX: 086 602 3065

CONTACT PERSON: MS. LETHABO TELE

E-MAIL: [lethabo@mabykoholdings.co.za](mailto:lethabo@mabykoholdings.co.za)

**NB: The public is granted 30 days to register as I&APs starting from the date of publication of this notice.**

## CALL FOR APPLICATIONS TO FILL VACANCY ON THE BOARD OF LIMPOPO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AGENCY (LEDA) AND ITS SUBSIDIARIES

The MEC for the Limpopo Department of Economic Development, Environment and Tourism, Honourable Rodgers Monama, hereby, in terms of Section 7.1 of the LEDA Act No. 5 of 2016, invites persons who meet the following criteria, to apply to fill a vacancy on the Board of LEDA:

1. A suitably qualified individual with NQF 7 qualification in Economics/law/business management/ in the insurance industry.
2. With five years senior management experience in the economic and industrial development and insurance.
3. An experience in public or private sector Board will be an added advantage.

**Applications should include a comprehensive curriculum vitae and experience and the following:**

- a) Certified copies of all qualifications
- b) Supporting documents that reflect the applicant's knowledge and experience that will contribute to achieving the objectives of the agency.

**Applicants may be subjected to a vetting investigation by the State Security Agency in terms of the Intelligence Act of 2002.**

A member of the Board is appointed for a period not exceeding five (5) years. The remuneration and allowances payable to a member of the Board shall be in line with the National Treasury Guidelines determined for Board members.

## THE FOLLOWING PERSONS MAY NOT BE APPOINTED AS MEMBERS OF THE BOARD:

**A person who,**

- a) Has or acquires a direct or indirect interest in any enterprise or business, which may result in a conflict of interest with that member's professional conduct as a member of the Board.
- b) Has a family member, partner or associate with a direct or indirect interest in any enterprise or business, which may result in a conflict of interest with that member's professional conduct as a member of the Board.
- c) Is an un-rehabilitated insolvent.
- d) Is or becomes a Member of the National Assembly or National Council of Provinces, any provincial legislature, House of Traditional Leaders or local government or who is in the full time employ of the state.
- e) Has been removed from an office of trust on account of misconduct.
- f) Has been declared by a competent court to be mentally unfit.
- g) Has at any time, been convicted of an offence involving dishonesty.
- h) Has at any stage, a direct or indirect interest in a matter before this Board, which may preclude that person from performing his or her functions as a member in a fair, unbiased and proper manner, or
- i) Is in terms of the Companies Act No. 71 of 2008, ineligible or disqualified from being a Director of a company.

## The objectives of the Agency are to:

- a) Accelerate economic development and diversification in the provincial industrial base and to increase the competitiveness of the provincial economy in the fields of agriculture, commerce, housing, industry, mining, training, tourism, public transport and other business.
- b) Identify short, medium and long term interventions in order to accelerate economic and industrial development and job creation.
- c) Implement key priority catalytic projects in a coherent and integrated manner in partnership with priority stakeholders.
- d) Support the development of strategic sectors of the economy in line with the established economic and industrial policies of the province.
- e) Provide leadership by preventing sporadic, uncoordinated, incoherent economic development projects which are not in line with provincial policy.
- f) Increase regional economic collaboration with functional economies outside the province.
- g) Shape the geography of industrial production and align under-developed regions into the economic frontiers.
- h) Improve the province's export performance and attract a greater share of domestic and foreign investment, and
- i) Increase the number of economic sectors capable of producing high value added products and services.

## Applications must be submitted to:

The Head of Office: Office of the MEC  
**(Attention: Dr PJ Phahlamohlaka)**  
Limpopo Economic Development, Environment and Tourism  
Private Bag X 9484, Polokwane, 0700

Or hand delivered to: Evridiki Towers, 20 Hans Van Rensburg Street, Polokwane (3rd Floor)

**CLOSING DATE : 19 MAY 2023**

**NOTE THAT NO FAXED OR EMAILED APPLICATIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED**



## PUBLIC NOTICE

This Public Notice is published in terms of Section 36 of the National Heritage Resources Act (NHRA) (No 25 of 1999) of intent by Two Rivers Platinum Mine (TRP) near Steelpoort to lodge an application with the South African Heritage Resources Agency (SAHRA) for an exemption from the 100 m servitude for Burial Grounds. This is in respect of a waste disposal pipeline that encroaches into the buffer for a burial ground situated at GPS coordinates 24°56'31.03"S, 30° 7'35.39" in the Dwarsrivier Mine Lease Area, but owned and operated by TRP.

Anyone who wishes to comment on the proposed exemption, or has objections is hereby required to make the same known in writing to the emails given below or by telephone within sixty (60) days from the date of publication hereof, after which the period of notice will lapse.

## CONTACT DETAILS

Heritage Officer SAHRA Burial Grounds and Graves Unit Office 10, 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor Sancardia Shopping Centre <a href="tel:0129414964">Tel: 012 941 4964</a> Fax: (012) 320 8486 Email address: <a href="mailto:tshivhase@sahra.org.za">tshivhase@sahra.org.za</a>	The Heritage Specialist P O Box 2702, The Reeds 0158 Centurion Email: <a href="mailto:e.matenga598@gmail.com">e.matenga598@gmail.com</a> Cell: 073 981 0637
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NOTICE

FETAKGOMO TUBATSE LOCAL MUNICIPALITY LAND USE MANAGEMENT BY-LAW 2018

Notice is hereby given that in terms of section 92-96 of Fetakgomo Tubatse Local Municipality Land Use Management By-Law 2018, I **Dzunisani Maswanganyi**, the undersigned of the **Siphila Sonke Property Holding (Pty) Ltd**, intend applying to the Greater Tubatse Local Municipality for consent to use the **REMAINDER OF THE FARM IRONSTONE NO.847-KS** for the purpose(s) of constructing a cellular telephone mast on the property.

Plans and/or particulars relating to the application may be inspected during normal office hours at the, Greater Tubatse Local Municipality, Civic Centre, Town Planning Department, 1 Kastania Street, Burgersfort, 1150.

Any person having any objection to the granting of this application, must lodge such objections together with the grounds thereof in writing, with The Manager, Town Planning Department, Greater Tubatse Local Municipality, P.O. Box 206, Burgersfort, 1150, within 30 days from the first date of publication: **12 May 2023**.

First date of advertisement:

12 May 2023

Second date of advertisement:

19 May 2023

Objection expiry date:

12 June 2023

Applicant:

Siphila Sonke Property Holding (Pty) Ltd, 86 Skilpad Road, Monument Park, Waterkloof Ridge, Pretoria, 0181,

Tel: (012) 346 4255, e-mail: [dzunisani@siphilasonke.co.za](mailto:dzunisani@siphilasonke.co.za)

site ref: ATLM269 Tibamashita School

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FETAKGOMO TUBATSE LOCAL MUNICIPALITY LAND USE MANAGEMENT BY-LAW 2018

Ye ke **Tsebis**o go ya ka section 92-96 of Fetakgomo Tubatse Local Municipality Land Use Management By-Law 2018, Nna **Dzunisani Maswanganyi**, moemedi wa **Siphila Sonke Property Holding (Pty) Ltd**, ke ikemišeditše go kgopela Greater Tubatse Local Municipality consent ya go šomisa **REMAINDER OF THE FARM IRONSTONE NO.847-KS** go aga Cellular Telephone Mast mo go yona.

Merero yeo e tswalanang le kgopelo ye ya consent e ka lekolla ka nako ya di ofisi ko Greater Tubatse Local Municipality, Civic Centre, Town Planning Department, 1 Kastania Street, Burgersfort, 1150.

Motho ofe goba ofe yo a gananang le gore Greater Tubatse Municipality e dumelane le kgopelo ye, a ka lebiša taba ya ga gwe gomme e ngwadilwe fase go Molaodi wa Town Planning Department, Greater Tubatse Local Municipality, P.O. Box 206, Burgersfort, 1150, pele ga matšatši a ma 30 go tlo ga ka letšatši la phatlalatšo ya tsebišo ye: **12 May 2023**

Letšatšikwedi la pele la papatšo:

12 May 2023

Letšatšikwedi la bobedi la papatšo:

19 May 2023

Letšatšikwedi la bo felo la go ganetša:

12 June 2023

Mokgopedi:

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Tel: (012) 346 4255, e-mail: [dzunisani@siphilasonke.co.za](mailto:dzunisani@siphilasonke.co.za)

site ref: ATLM269 Tibamashita School

NOTICE

Elias Motsoaledi Local Municipality By-Law, 2016

Notice is hereby given that in terms of Section 91 to 99 of the Elias Motsoaledi Local Municipality By-Law on Municipal Land Use Planning, 2016 that I, **Dzunisani Maswanganyi**, the undersigned of the **Siphila Sonke Property Holding (Pty) Ltd**, intend applying to the Elias Motsoaledi Local Municipality for consent to use on **ERF 1268, HLOGOTLOU-A TOWNSHIP**. for the purpose(s) of constructing a cellular telephone mast on the property.

Plans and/or particulars relating to the application may be inspected during normal office hours at 2 Grobler Avenue Groblersdal 0470.

Any person having any objection to the granting of this application, must lodge such objections together with the grounds thereof in writing, to the Manager Town planner, Town planning Department, Elias Motsoaledi Local Municipality, P O Box 48, Groblersdal, 0470 within 30 days from the first date of publication: **12 May 2023**

First date of advertisement:

12 May 2023

Second date of advertisement:

19 May 2023

Objection expiry date:

12 June 2023

Applicant:

Siphila Sonke Property Holding (Pty) Ltd, 86 Skilpad Rd, Monument Park, Pretoria, 0108

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Elias Motsoaledi Local Municipality, 2016

Ye ke **Tsebis**o go ya ka Section 91 go ya go 99 ya Elias Motsoaledi Local Municipality By-Law mo go Municipal Land Use Planning, 2016 gore nna **Dzunisani Maswanganyi**, moemedi wa kgopela Munisipaliti waga Elias Motsoaledi Local Municipality go ntumela go šomisa **ERF 1268, HLOGOTLOU-A TOWNSHIP**. aga Cellular Telephone Mast mo go yona.

Merero yeo e tswalanang le kgopelo ye ya konsente e ka lekolla ka nako ya di ofisi ko 2 Grobler Avenue Groblersdal 0470. Motho ofe goba yo a gananang le gore Elias Motsoaledi Local Municipality e dumelane le kgopelo ye, a ka lebiša taba ya ga gwe.

Gomme e ngwadilwe fase go Molaodi wa Town Planning Department, Town planning offices, Elias Motsoaledi Local Municipality, P O Box 48, Groblersdal, 0470, pele ga matšatši a ma 30 go tlo ga ka letšatši la phatlalatšo ye, a ka lebiša taba ya tsebišo ye: **12 May 2023**.

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## Babina Noko through to Nedbank Cup finals



Sekhukhune United players celebrating after defeating Stellenbosch in Cape Town to advance to the finals of the Nedbank Cup.

**SEKHUKHUNE** - Sekhukhune United FC has historically advanced to the Nedbank Cup finals after defeating Stellenbosch FC 4-3 on penalty shootout in the tournament's semi-final match, played at the Danie Craven Stadium in Stellenbosch, Cape Town, on Sunday 7 May.

Babina Noko will be up against Orlando Pirates FC in the final match set to take place at the Loftus Versfeld Stadium

in Pretoria on Saturday 27 May 2023.

Pirates booked their spot in the finals after stunning Kaizer Chiefs with a 2-1 win in a Soweto derby match played at FNB Stadium on Saturday 6 May 2023.

The draw to decide which team is going to be the host on 27 May was held immediately after the conclusion of the second semi-final match between Sekhukhune United and Stellis

at the Danie Craven Stadium in Cape Town on Sunday 7 May.

This was after Babina Noko defeated Stellenbosch in a significant and highly entertaining match, which was an opportunity for first major final qualification for Sekhukhune United.

Both teams started the game like the house on fire in the first opening minutes pushing for an early goal, it was however, the host who exerted more pressure.



Babina Noko supporters singing and chanting, celebrating their team's victory after Sekhukhune United defeated Stellenbosch in the Nedbank Cup semi-finals clash at Cape Town on the weekend.

Sammy Seabi got an opportunity that could have been United's opening goal but narrowly missed on target minutes before the half-hour mark.

Towards the end of the second half, both teams pushed for a goal but failed to convert any of the chances created.

The match ended in a 0-0 draw in a regulation time, 30 minutes of extra time was afforded without any team scoring and the deadlock was broken in a dreaded penalty shootout.

After being introduced late in the game, Babina Noko goalkeeper Ntokozo Mtshweni proved to be a hero of the day when making two important saves to pave a way for his side to the final of the tournament.

Sekhukhune United Head Coach, Brandon Truter, said during a post-match interview that he was grateful for the win and happy that his players have given their all during the match.

"We faced so many struggles this week during preparations, we faced flu, injuries and fatigue. It was a massive effort coming here. For me and the players it means a lot to be in the first cup final. The spot guarantees us to participate in Africa if we win the tournament which is a challenge as well," he said.

He said his side will be now looking forward to secure a top eight spot in the Dstv Premier Soccer League (PSL).



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