#### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The development of the budget is informed by the key service delivery priorities as reflected in the IDP and the need to maintain the municipality's financial sustainability. This budget is also in line with the National, Provincial and also District priorities. We were also guided by the National Treasury's MFMA Circulars 58 and 59.

The objective of the IDP/Budget process plan is to integrate the two documents. The IDP as the strategic document and the budget must enable the achievements of the IDP objectives. There must always be a link between the IDP and the projects that are funded in the annual budget.

During the preparation of the 2012/13 MTERF, the municipality had to deal with the following challenges:

- Low revenue base
- > Infrastructure backlogs causing difficulties in prioritising projects within the financial affordability of the budget.
- > Approval of the new Organisational Structure with critical and prioritised positions.

The budget comprises both the operating and capital budgets as per the requirement of the MFMA. The capital budget consist mainly of Municipal Infrastructure Grant (MIG) funded projects and the Electrification programme in order to address infrastructure backlogs. The operating budget which is by far the largest component of the budget, includes LED projects, Community services projects, Corporate services and Finance projects. After the draft budget was approved the municipality conducted a consultation process in all 31 wards. This budget has managed to accommodate some of the inputs from the consultation process.

#### CONSOLIDATED OVERVIEW OF MTREF EC121 Mbhashe - Table A4 Budgeted Financial Performance (revenue and expenditure)

Description	Ref	2008/9	2009/10	2010/11		Current Ye	ear 2011/12			Nedium Term R enditure Frame	
R thousand	1	Audited Outcome			Original Budget	Adjusted Budget	Full Year Forecast	Pre-audit outcome	Budget Year 2012/13	Budget Year +1 2013/14	Budget Year +2 2014/15
Revenue By Source											
Property rates Property rates - penalties & collection charges	2	1,484	1,573	2,286	4,008	-	4,008	4,008	5,534	5,833	6,159
Service charges - electricity revenue	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Service charges - water revenue Service charges - sanitation revenue	2 2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Service charges - refuse revenue Service charges - other	2	265	281	38	433	_	433	433	457	482	508
Rental of facilities and equipment		186	468		773				819	866	917
Interest earned - external investments		2,111	1,984		63				1,000	1,060	1,124
Interest earned - outstanding debtors Dividends received		2									
Fines		26	502		558				602	634	670
Licences and permits Agency services		-	300		1,000				1,500	1,581	1,670
Transfers recognised - operational		51,556	65,242		108,568				117,201	130,193	141,869
Other revenue Gains on disposal of PPE	2	7,065	6,145	10,513	12,255	-	12,255	12,255	9,355	9,866	10,331
Total Revenue (excluding capital transfers and contributions)		62,695	76,494	12,836	127,658	_	16,696	16,696	136,468	150,515	163,248

# Expenditure By Type

Expenditure By Type	-										
Employee related costs	2	20,515	25,373	-	36,497	-	36,497	36,497	53,153	58,170	63,348
Remuneration of councillors Debt impairment	3	9,291	12,920		50,414				17,874	18,768	19,706
Depreciation & asset impairment Finance charges	2	3,974	2,544	-	_	_	_	_	-	_	-
Bulk purchases Other materials	2 8	_	_	-	_	_	_	_	-	_	-
Contracted services		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfers and grants		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other expenditure Loss on disposal of PPE	4, 5	34,085	5,494	_	_	_	_	_	65,441	73,578	80,194
Total Expenditure		67,865	46,331	-	86,911	-	36,497	36,497	136,468	150,515	156,248
Surplus/(Deficit)		(5,170)	30,162	12,836	40,747	_	(19,801)	(19,801)	0	0	0
Transfers recognised - capital		19,241	33,438						53,208	58,305	64,411
Contributions recognised - capital Contributed assets	6	1,815	2,661	_	_	_	_	_	8,118	3,267	- 3,407
Surplus/(Deficit) after capital transfers & contributions		15,885	66,262	12,836	40,747	-	(19,801)	(19,801)	61,326	61,571	66,041
Taxation Surplus/(Deficit) after taxation Attributable to minorities		15,885	66,262	12,836	40,747	-	(19,801)	(19,801)	61,326	61,571	66,041
Surplus/(Deficit) attributable to municipality Share of surplus/ (deficit) of associate	7	15,885	66,262	12,836	40,747	-	(19,801)	(19,801)	61,326	61,571	66,041
Surplus/(Deficit) for the year		15,885	66,262	12,836	40,747	_	(19,801)	(19,801)	61,326	61,571	66,041

Operating Revenue has increase by 07% for 2012-13 financial year when compared to the 2011-12 revised budget. For the two outer years, operating revenue will increase by 10% and 8% respectively.

Total operating expenditure has increase by 37% for 2012-13 financial year when compared to 2011-12 revised budget and increase by 10% and 8% respectively for the two outer years.

Total capital expenditure has grown by 2% for 2012-13 when compared to 2011-12 revised budget and by 1% and 7% respectively.

### **Financial Assumptions used:**

The municipality has used circular 59 of MFMA as a guide in CPI which is 5.6 per cent for 2012–13, 5.4 per cent and 5,6 per cent respectively. The municipality has used incremental budgeting approach using CPI; performance based budgeting approach for the projects in the departments and zero based budgeting approach. For own revenue the municipality has used the collection rate for each revenue source. For wages and salaries for employees the municipality has used 9.5%, salaries for managers has increased by 9.5% and 5% for councillors. There is an increase in employee's wages and salaries of 31 per cent for 2012–13 when compared to 2011–12 revised budget.

### TARRIF INCREASE

MBHASHE MUNICIPALITY TARIFFS							
		2005/2006	2009/2010	2010/2011	2011/2012	2012/2013	2013/2014
No	SERVICE	Tariff R\Cents VAT Inc.	Tariff R\Cents VAT Inc.	Tariff R\CentsVAT Incl.	Tariff R\Cents VAT Incl.	Tariff R\Cents VAT Incl.	Tariff R\Cents VAT Incl
	UNIFORM TARIFFS			11.00%	5.00%	6.00%	5.00%
1	REFUSE REMOVAL						
1.1	RESIDENTIAL (Per month, one removeal a week)		R 61.95	R 68.95	R 72.40	R 76.74	R 80.58
1.1.1	Additional removal (per load or aprt thereof)		R 40.00	R 44.40	R 46.62	R 49.42	R 51.89
1.2	MEDIUM/LARGE BUSINESS (per month, five removals per week)		R 372.65	R 414.87	R 435.62	R 461.75	R 484.84
1.2.1	Additional removal (per load or aprt thereof)		R 100.00	R 111.00	R 116.55	R 123.54	R 129.72
1.3	Garden/Rubble refuse (per load)(to be paid in advance)		R 100.00	R 111.00	R 116.55	R 123.54	R 129.72
2	HIRE OF TOWN \COMMUNITY HALL						
2.1	SECURITY FEE \DAY\NIGHT		R 319.20	R 355.27	R 373.04	R 395.42	R 415.19
2.1.1	NIGHT- PROFIT MAKER		R 363.20	R 404.36	R 424.57	R 450.05	R 472.55
2.1.2	NON PROFIT MAKER		R 290.85	R 323.71	R 339.90	R 360.29	R 378.31
2.1.3	DAY PROFI MAKER		R 290.85	R 323.71	R 339.90	R 360.29	R 378.31
2.1.4	NON PROFIT MAKER		R 218.40	R 243.08	R 255.24	R 270.55	R 284.08
2.1.5	CHAIR HIRING		R 3.15	R 3.51	R 3.69	R 3.91	R 4.11
2.1.6	SECURITY FEE (CHAIRS)		R 132.30	R 147.26	R 154.62	R 163.90	R 172.09
	Hire of In-door Sport Centre (Willowvale)						
2.2	SECURITY FEE \DAY\NIGHT		R 638.40	R 710.54	R 746.07	R 790.83	R 830.38
2.2.1	NIGHT- PROFIT MAKER		R 726.40	R 808.72	R 849.14	R 900.09	R 945.10
2.2.2	NON PROFIT MAKER		R 581.70	R 647.43	R 679.80	R 720.59	R 756.62

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3	PROPERTY RATES										
	Rateable property a general rate per rand on total market value of the property:										
3.1	Residential Properties	R	0.02	R	0.03	R	0.02	R	0.014	R	0.015
3.2	Business Properties	R	0.02	R	0.03	R	0.02	R	0.016	R	0.017
3.3	Government Properties	R	0.02	R	0.03	R	0.03	R	0.018	R	0.019
	TOTAL INCOME PER MONTH		REBATE		REBATE		REBATE	R	EBATE	R	EBATE
3.4	NOT EXCEEDING R2100 per month (Indigent)		100%		100%		100%		100%		100%
	Any other rebates will be applied as per the municipality's rates policy										
4	COMMONAGE										
4.1	VAN LOAD	R	174.30	R	194.00	R	203.70	R	215.92	R	226.72
4.2	TREE	R	36.75	R	40.91	R	42.95	R	45.53	R	47.80
4.3	SLEDGE LOAD	R	79.80	R	88.82	R	93.26	R	98.85	R	103.80
4.4	HEAD LOAD	R	3.15	R	88.31	R	3.69	R	3.91	R	4.11
4.5	FENCING	R	1.05	R	1.25	R	1.23	R	1.30	R	1.37
4.6	BUILDING POLES	R	3.15	R	3.51	R	3.69	R	3.91	R	4.11
4.7	BRUSH	R	19.95	R	22.21	R	23.32	R	24.72	R	25.96
4.8	BUNDLE OF LATH	R	8.40	R	9.35	R	9.82	R	10.40	R	10.92
5	COMMUNITY SERVICES										
6	POUND FEES		F0.00		15 44		(0.70		70.04		7/ 40
6.1	LARGE STOCK	R	58.80	R	65.44 15.44	R R	68.72 17.18	R	72.84	R	76.49 19.12
6.2	SUSTENANCE TRESPASSING	R	14.70 22.05	R R	24.54	R	25.77	R R	18.21 27.31	R R	28.68
6.4	DRIVING PER KILOMETER	R	7.35	R	<u>24.54</u> 8.18	R	25.77 8.60	R	9.11	R	<u>28.08</u> 9.57
6.5	SMALL STOCK	R	29.40	R	32.72	R	34.35	R	36.42	R	9.57 38.24
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7	STREET TRADING					
7.1	STATIONERY STREET VENDORS			R 150.00	R 157.50	R 165.38
7.2	CONTAINER HAWKER			R 250.00	R 262.50	R 275.63
7.3	ROVING HOKERS			R 150.00	R 157.50	R 165.38
7.4	SEASONAL HAWKERS			R 75.00	R 78.75	R 82.69
8	SPORTSFIELD					
8.1	Sport Events for Schools					
8.1.1	SECUTITY FEE	R 319.20	R 355.27	R 373.04	R 395.42	R 415.19
8.1.2	RENTAL: DAY PER HOUR	R 42.00	R 46.75	R 49.09	R 52.03	R 54.64
8.2	Other Events					
		R		R	R	R
8.2.1	SECUTITY FEE	478.80	R 531.47	558.04	591.52	621.10
		R		R	R	R
8.Z.Z	RENTAL: DAY PER HOUR	63.00	R 69.93	73.43	77.83	81.72
0	ADMINISTRATION FEES					
9	ADMINISTRATION FEES	R		R	R	R
9.1	SEARCHING FEES	27.30	R 30.39	31.91	33.82	35.51
				R	R	R
9.2	REPRINTING OF A CHEQUE		R 30.00	30.00	30.00	31.50
						R -
10	LIBRARY FEES				R -	R -
		R		R	R	R
10.1	STUDENT (URBAN AREA)	27.30	R 30.39	31.91	33.82	35.51
10.2		R 27.30	R 30.39	R 31.91	R 33.82	R 35.51
10.2	(RURAL AREA)	27.30	R 30.39	R	33.62 R	35.51 R
10.3	ADULT (URBAN AREA)	54.60	R 61.24	63.81	67.64	71.02
		R		R	R	R
10.4	(RURAL AREA)	54.60	R 60.77	63.81	67.64	71.02
		R		R	R	R
10.5	DAMAGE FEES (LIBRARY BOOKS)	17.85	R 19.86	20.86	22.11	23.22

10.6	PHOTOCOPY		R 1.05	R 1.10	R 1.23	R 1.30	R 1.37
10.0			R	1.10	R	R	R
10.7	LATE RETURNS		21.00	R 23.37	24.54	26.01	27.31
			VALUE OF THE				
	LOST BOOK		BOOK	VALUE OF THE BOOK	VALUE OF THE BOOK		
			BOOK				
11	CEMETERY						
	Grave Plot						
			R		R	R	R
11.1	Adult		220.00	R 244.20	256.41	271.79	285.38
11.2	Children		R 120.00	R 133.20	R 139.86	R 148.25	R 155.66
11.2			120.00	100.20	100.00	140.20	100.00
			R		R	R	R
11.3	Grave Digging		100.00	R 111.00	116.55	123.54	129.72
11.4	Exhumations		R 1,000.00	R 1,110.00	R 1,165.50	R 1,235.43	R 1,297.20
11.4			1,000.00	1. 1, 110.00	1,105.50	1,200.40	1,237.20
12	DEVELOPMENT PLANNING TARIFF FEES						
			5.4%		5.0%	6.0%	5.0%
		R	R		R	R	R
12.1	Application for consent	891.00	939.11	R 939.11	986.07	1,045.23	1,097.50
12.2	Application for rezoning						
12.2	Application fees						
		R	R		R	R	R
12.2.1	Erven 0 - 2500 square meters	950.40	1,001.72	R 1,001.72	1,051.81	1,114.92	1,170.66
		R	R		R	R	R
12.2.2	Erven 2501 - 5000 square meters	1,782.00	1,878.23	R 1,878.23	1,972.14	2,090.47	2,194.99
12.2.3	Erven 5001 - 10 000 square meters	R 3,564.00	R 3,756.46	R 3,756.46	R 3,944.28	R 4,180.94	R 4,389.98
12.2.3	Erven 1 ha - 5 ha	R	R	R 5,008.61	R	R	R

		4,752.00	5,008.61		5,259.04	5,574.58	5,853.3
		R	R		R	R	R
12.2.5	Erven over 5 ha	5,940.00	6,260.76	R 6,260.76	6,573.80	6,968.23	7,316.6
		R	R		R	R	R
12.2.6	Advertising fees	1,188.00	1,252.15	R 1,252.15	1,314.76	1,393.65	1,463.3
12.3	Application for departure from building lines & spaza shop applic fees						
12.3.1	Erven smaller than 500m	R 97.50	R 102.77	R 102.77	R 107.90	R 114.38	R 120.10
12.3.2	Erven 500m - 750m	R 189.00	R 199.21	R 199.21	R 209.17	R 221.72	R 232.80
12.3.4	Erven larger than 750m	R 378.00	R 398.41	R 398.41	R 418.33	R 443.43	R 465.60
12.3.5	Departures other than building lines and spaza shops	R 891.00	R 939.11	R 939.11	R 986.07	R 1,045.23	R 1,097.5
12.4	Application for subdivision - application fees						
12.4.1	Basic fee	R 648.00	R 682.99	R 682.99	R 717.14	R 760.17	R 798.18
12.4.2	Charge per subdivision (Remainder considered a subdivision)	R 59.40	R 62.61	R 62.61	R 65.74	R 69.68	R 73.17
12.5	Application for removal of restriction						
12.5.1	Advertisement fees	R 4,158.00	R 4,382.53	R 4,382.53	R 4,601.66	R 4,877.76	R 5,121.6
12.6	SALE OR LEASE OF LAND						
12.6.1	Application fees (Refundable Deposit)	R 653.40	R 688.68	R 688.68	R 723.12	R 766.50	R 804.83
12.6.2	Advertising fee (Recoverable cost against Survey and Advertising)	R 4,104.00	R 4,325.62	R 4,325.62	R 4,541.90	R 4,814.41	R 5,055.1
12.7	Zoning Certificate	R 27.00	R 28.46	R 28.46	R 29.88	R 31.67	R 33.26

12.8	Extension of Time	R 145.80	R 153.67	R 153.67	R 161.36	R 171.04	R 179.59
12.9	Amendments to existing subdivisions	R 653.40	R 688.68	R 688.68	R 723.12	R 766.50	R 804.83
12.10'	Town Planning Scheme Document	R 356.40	R 375.65	R 375.65	R 394.43	R 418.09	R 439.00
13	Tenders	R	R		R	R	R
	R200 001 - R500 000	100.00	100.00	R 100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
	R500 000 – above	R 200.00	R 200.00	R 200.00	R 200.00	R 250.00	R 250.00

Tariffs have increase by 6% for 2012-13 and 5% 2013-14 financial years.

# ALIGNMENT OF IDP AND BUDGET

## EC121 Mbhashe - Supporting Table SA4 Reconciliation of IDP strategic objectives and budget (revenue)

Strategic Objective	Goal	G o al C o d e	R e f	2008/9	2009/1 0	2010/1 1		Current Year 20	11/12		Medium Term Re enditure Framev	
R thousand				Audite d Outco me	Audite d Outco me	Audite d Outco me	Origina I Budget	Adjusted Budget	Full Year Forecast	Budget Year 2012/13	Budget Year +1 2013/14	Budget Year +2 2014/15
To maintain existing networks and improve capacity by 2017	By utilising own MIG and lobby funds from partners like DME,Eskom e.t.c									1,400		
To facilitate provision of sustainable housing options, To review SDF	By planning for future expansion,By servicing sites and selling to public & businesses,									3,750	4,800	900

To facilitate provision of sustainable waste management services, To contribute to the protection and management of environment ,Prevention if disasters,To facilitate Traffic,Safety & Security regulations	By distributing wheely bins to households, Supporting recycling initiatives, Develop coastal zone & Integrated Waste management plan, By providing securities				2,540		
To ensure sound planning and forecasting for future economic growth and development	and facilitate safety at our strategic areas Co-operative study, Information Day ,Construction of Shearing Shed, Shearing Shed				5,780	2,050	120
	Equipment and Equipment and Renovation, Support revitalization of irrigation scheme, Agricultural development. Tourism development, Support SMME'S						
To adequately budget for free basic services to indigents by 2016, To ensure sound Financial Management, compliance and regular reporting, To co-ordinate efforts in achieving Clean Audit outcome by 2014	To supply free basic energy to validated indigents, Implementation of clean audit programmes and strict compliance, By building capacity and implementing internal controls, regular reporting, and monitoring of				10,074	10,618	11,212
	compliance, Update Asset Register						

To ensure that all stakeholders participate in the affairs of the	By coordinating				5,856	3,589	4,271
municipality, To ensure Strategic development Planning, To	stakeholders				5,050	5,507	4,271
enhance communication in all municipal activities, Internal	consultation ,Produce						
Audit risk Management ,IGR, PMS, SPU, HR Development,	Annual report and						
Personnel administration, Councillor Support.Labour relations,	table it to council,						
I CT & Telephone usage, Employee wellness	Monitor and review						
	IDP, By developing						
	and implementing a						
	media plan, By						
	improving signage						
	and branding of						
	offices, By conducting						
	Risk assessment,						
	Coordinating IGR						
	Forums, Review and						
	Implement						
	PMS(SDBIP &						
	Scorecards), Facilitate						
	Audit Committee						
	Seating and						
	functioning, To train						
	Cllrs and Staff, To						
	Install centralised						
	clocking machine,						
	Provide adequate						
	sitting space in the						
	Council Chamber-						
	Furniture, Train LLF						
	Members, By						
	acquisition of						
	Infrastructural						
	assets,Organise						
	welness						
	campaigns,By						
	implementing						
	occupational Health						
	and safety plan						
	and safety plan						

Allocations to other priorities	2									
Total Revenue (excluding capital transfers and contributions)	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	29,399	21,057	16,504

# EC121 Mbhashe - Supporting Table SA5 Reconciliation of IDP strategic objectives and budget (Expenditure)

Strategic Objective	Goal	Goal Code	Dof	2008/9	2009/10	2010/11	C	Current Year 20	11/12		Aedium Term Re enditure Framev	
R thousand			Ref	Audited Outcome	Audited Outcome	Audited Outcome	Original Budget	Adjusted Budget	Full Year Forecast	Budget Year 2012/13	Budget Year +1 2013/14	Budget Year +2 2014/15
To maintain existing networks and improve capacity by 2017	By utilising own MIG and lobby funds from partners like DME, Eskom e.t.c						_			1,400		
To facilitate provision of sustainable housing options, To review SDF	By planning for future expansion, By servicing sites and selling to public & businesses,									3,750	4,800	900
To facilitate provision of sustainable waste management services, To contribute to the protection and management of environment ,Prevention if disasters,To facilitate Traffic,Safety & Security regulations	By distributing wheely bins to households, Supporting recycling initiatives, Develop coastal zone & Integrated Waste management plan, By providing securities and facilitate safety at our strategic areas									2,540		

To ensure sound planning and forecasting for future	Co-operative study,					5,780	2,050	120
economic growth and development	Information Day,							
	Construction of							
	Shearing Shed,							
	Shearing Shed							
	Equipment and							
	Renovation, Support							
	revitalization of							
	irrigation scheme,							
	Agricultural							
	development.							
	Tourism							
	development,							
	Support SMME'S							
To adequately budget for free basic services to indigents	To supply free basic					10,074	10,618	11,212
by 2016, To ensure sound Financial Management,	energy to validated							
compliance and regular reporting, To coordinate efforts	indigents,							
in achieving Clean Audit outcome by 2014	Implementation of							
	clean audit							
	programmes and							
	strict compliance, By							
	building capacity and							
	implementing internal							
	controls, regular							
	reporting, and							
	monitoring of							
	compliance, Update							
	Asset Register							

To ensure that all stakeholders participate in the affairs	By coordinating					5,856	3,589	4,271
of the municipality, To ensure Strategic development	stakeholders					5,650	5,507	4,271
Planning, To enhance communication in all municipal	consultation, Produce							
activities, Internal Audit risk Management,	Annual report and							
IGR,PMS,SPU,HR Development ,Personnel	table it to council,							
administration, Councillor Support.Labour relations, ICT	Monitor and review							
& Telephone usage, Employee wellness	IDP, By developing							
	and implementing a							
	media plan, By							
	improving signage							
	and branding of							
	offices By conducting							
	Risk assessment							
	,Coordinating IGR							
	Forums , Review and							
	Implement							
	PMS(SDBIP &							
	Scorecards), Facilitate							
	Audit Committee							
	Seating and							
	functioning, To train							
	Cllr's and Staff, To							
	Install centralised							
	clocking machine,							
	Provide adequate							
	sitting space in the							
	Council Chamber-							
	Furniture, Train LLF							
	members, By							
	acquisition of							
	Infrastructural assets,							
	Organise wellness							
	campaigns, By							
	implementing							
	occupational Health							
	and safety plan							
	and safety plan							

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Allocations to other priorities	Vilocations to other priorities		2									
Total Revenue (excluding capital transfers and contributions)			1	-	-	-	-	-	-	29,399	21,057	16,504

Budgeted operating expenditure is linked to IDP strategies and objectives

Strategic Objective	Goal	Goal Code	Ref	2008/9	2009/10	2010/11	Curre	ent Year 2011/12	2		edium Term Re nditure Framew	
R thousand				Audited Outcome	Audited Outcome	Audited Outcome	Original Budget	Adjusted Budget	Full Year Forecast	Budget Year 2012/13	Budget Year +1 2013/14	Budget Year +2 2014/15
		A										
J		В										
		С										
To construct 200km of access roads by 2017	By developing Road network	D		19,241	23,438	31,017	32,809		32,809	35,197	21,319	21487
Todus by 2017	master plan											
To reduce electricity backlogs for residential, business connection and install new community lighting by 2017	Through partnerships with strategic stakeholders	E				10,000	20,680		20,680	15,000	18,000	20,000
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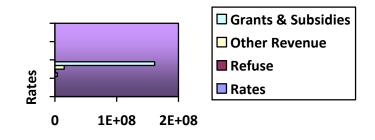
Capital budget is linked to IDP strategies and objectives

### Key amendments to the integrated development plan

The municipality will develop a strategy for the development co-operatives. The municipality is planning to develop a Human Resource plan which was never developed before.

### Financial and service delivery implication

Mbhashe Local Municipality is dependent on grants the municipality cannot finance its services from own revenue, the revenue from own revenue sources is at 10% and Grants & subsidies at 90%. The municipality is very rural and one of the towns is declared as very poor town in South Africa as a whole. The municipality have limited funding which makes it difficult to deliver the services to all communities in time.



This chart shows how the municipality is depending on grants.