

EASTERN CAPE: NDLAMBE MUNICIPALITY (EC105) - Schedule of Service Delivery Standards Table 2016/2017

Standard	Description	2016/2017 Service Level
Solid Waste Removal		
	Premise based removal (Residential Frequency)	Once a week
	Premise based removal (Business Frequency)	Twice a week
	Bulk Removal (Frequency)	Once a week
	Removal Bags provided(Yes/No)	No
	Garden refuse removal Included (Yes/No)	Yes
	Street Cleaning Frequency in CBD	Daily
	Street Cleaning Frequency in areas excluding CBD	Weekly
	How soon are public areas cleaned after events (24hours/48hours/longer)	24 hrs
	Clearing of illegal dumping (24hours/48hours/longer)	Longer
	Recycling or environmentally friendly practices(Yes/No)	Yes
	Licensed landfill site(Yes/No)	Yes
Water Service		
	Water Quality rating (Blue/Green/Brown/N0 drop)	Blue Drop
	Is free water available to all? (All/only to the indigent consumers)	Only indigents
	Frequency of meter reading? (per month, per year)	Monthly
	Are estimated consumption calculated on actual consumption over (two month's/three month's/longer period)	Averages based on past 6 months
	On average for how long does the municipality use estimates before reverting back to actual readings? (months)	Average only if access to meter is restricted
Duration (hours) before availability of water is restored in cases of service interruption (complete the sub questions)		
	One service connection affected (number of hours)	(25mm HDPE) 45 minutes
	Up to 5 service connection affected (number of hours)	(50mm PVC) at least 2 hours
	Up to 20 service connection affected (number of hours)	(75mm pvc) 2 and half up to 2 hours
	Feeder pipe larger than 800mm (number of hours)	(350mm) on the PVC pipe it takes atleast 8 hours
	What is the average minimum water flow in your municipality?	Residential 2 bars
	Do you practice any environmental or scarce resource protection activities as part of your operations? (Yes/No)	No
	How long does it take to replace faulty water meters? (days)	Bulk meters 10 days Residential 4 days
	Do you have a cathodic protection system in place that is operational at this stage? (Yes/No)	No
Electricity Service		
	What is your electricity availability percentage on average per month?	1
	Do your municipality have a ripple control in place that is operational? (Yes/No)	Yes
	How much do you estimate is the cost saving in utilizing the ripple control system?	1 MEGA WATT
	What is the frequency of meters being read? (per month, per year)	Monthly
	Are estimated consumption calculated at consumption over (two month's/three month's/longer period)	Averages based on past 6 months
	On average for how long does the municipality use estimates before reverting back to actual readings? (months)	Average only if access to meter is restricted
	Duration before availability of electricity is restored in cases of breakages (immediately/one day/two days/longer)	Immediately
	Are accounts normally calculated on actual readings? (Yes/no)	Yes
	Do you practice any environmental or scarce resource protection activities as part of your operations? (Yes/No)	No
	How long does it take to replace faulty meters? (days)	2 hrs
	Do you have a plan to prevent illegal connections and prevention of electricity theft? (Yes/No)	Yes
	How effective is the action plan in curbing line losses? (Good/Bad)	Finance needed urgently
	How soon does the municipality provide a quotation to a customer upon a written request? (days)	6 hrs
	How long does the municipality takes to provide electricity service where existing infrastructure can be used? (working days)	7 Days
	How long does the municipality takes to provide electricity service for low voltage users where network extension is not required? (working days)	2 Weeks
	How long does the municipality takes to provide electricity service for high voltage users where network extension is not required? (working days)	No high voltage consumers
Sewerage Service		
	Are your purification system effective enough to put water back in to the system after purification?	
	To what extend do you subsidize your indigent consumers?	No
How long does it take to restore sewerage breakages on average		
	Severe overflow? (hours)	Within 24 hours
	Sewer blocked pipes: Large pipes? (Hours)	Less than 6 hours
	Sewer blocked pipes: Small pipes? (Hours)	Within 1 hour
	Spillage clean-up? (hours)	Within 30 minutes
	Replacement of manhole covers? (Hours)	Avarage 1 month due to procurement procedures
Road Infrastructure Services		
	Time taken to repair a single pothole on a major road? (Hours)	1 and half hour
	Time taken to repair a single pothole on a minor road? (Hours)	2 and half hour
	Time taken to repair a road following an open trench service crossing? (Hours)	16 Hours
	Time taken to repair walkways? (Hours)	8 hours but depends on damage
Property valuations		
	How long does it take on average from completion to the first account being issued? (one month/three months or longer)	one month
	Do you have any special rating properties? (Yes/No)	yes
Financial Management		
	Is there any change in the situation of unauthorised and wasteful expenditure over time? (Decrease/Increase)	Decrease by 50%
	Are the financial statement outsourced? (Yes/No)	Financial Statements doe in-house
	Are there Council adopted business process structuring the flow and managemet of documentation feeding to Trial Balance?	Process to be developed

How long does it take for an Tax/Invoice to be paid from the date it has been received?	30 Days from date received by finance
Is there advance planning from SCM unit linking all departmental plans quarterly and annually including for the next two to three years procurement plans?	Supply Chain decentralised
Administration	
Reaction time on enquiries and requests?	
Time to respond to a verbal customer enquiry or request? (working days)	
Time to respond to a written customer enquiry or request? (working days)	
Time to resolve a customer enquiry or request? (working days)	
What percentage of calls are not answered? (5%,10% or more)	
How long does it take to respond to voice mails? (hours)	
Does the municipality have control over locked enquiries? (Yes/No)	
Is there a reduction in the number of complaints or not? (Yes/No)	
How long does it take to open an account to a new customer? (1 day/ 2 days/ a week or longer)	1 day
How many times does SCM Unit, CFO's Unit and Technical unit sit to review and resolve SCM process delays other than normal monthly management meetings?	SCM Decentralised
Community safety and licensing services	
How long does it take to register a vehicle? (minutes)	15 minutes
How long does it take to renew a vehicle license? (minutes)	10 min
How long does it take to issue a duplicate registration certificate vehicle? (minutes)	10 min
How long does it take to de-register a vehicle? (minutes)	15 minutes
How long does it take to renew a drivers license? (minutes)	20 min
What is the average reaction time of the fire service to an incident? (minutes)	5 min
What is the average reaction time of the ambulance service to an incident in the urban area? (minutes)	45 min
What is the average reaction time of the ambulance service to an incident in the rural area? (minutes)	45 min
Economic development	
How many economic development projects does the municipality drive?	
How many economic development programme are deemed to be catalytic in creating an enabling environment to unlock key economic growth projects?	
What percentage of the projects have created sustainable job security?	
Does the municipality have any incentive plans in place to create an conducive environment for economic development? (Yes/No)	
Other Service delivery and communication	
Is a information package handed to the new customer? (Yes/No)	no
Does the municipality have training or information sessions to inform the community? (Yes/No)	
Are customers treated in a professional and humanly manner? (Yes/No)	