

# **Annual Report**Sedibeng District Municipality



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# CHAPTER 1 - EXECUTIVE MAYOR'S FOREWORD AND EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

#### **COMPONENT A: EXECUTIVE MAYOR'S FOREWORD**

#### MAYOR'S FOREWORD

Tasked with the imperative to comply and satisfy the legislative prescription for the completion of the Annual Report as legislated in Section 46 of the Local Government Municipal Systems Act (No: 32 of 2000) read in conjunction with and Sections 121 and 127 (2) of the Local Government Municipal Finance Management Act (No: 56 of 2003). Find herein set out the Sedibeng District Municipality's Executive Mayor's foreword to the Annual Report. This serves as a political overview into the Annual Report which seeks to account for the activities of the Municipality in pursuit of its legislative mandate.

The above pieces of legislation compel the Municipality to prepare an Annual Report for each financial year and the Executive Mayor to table such a report in Council within seven months after the end of each financial year. To that end, this Executive Mayor's Foreword forms part of this Annual Report for the Sedibeng District Municipality for the financial year 2011-12, being the year under review.

The Sedibeng District Municipality is committed to being an innovative, dynamic, developmental government that consistently meets and exceeds the expectations of the communities and various stakeholders it serves. In pursuit of this commitment, we have undertaken the road less travelled, namely to provide a framework of developmental and incremental investment in the infrastructure within the entire region which seeks to improve the quality of life to the communities of Sedibeng.

In this manner, Sedibeng District Municipality continues to be the number one Municipality in the Gauteng province which is providing low cost housing to its people. To continue in this trend, the release of land for residential purposes coupled with the envisaged multi-year Sedibeng Regional Sewer Works remains the central theme which will drive Sedibeng District Municipality to greater heights.

In pursuit of the mandate to provide seamless service delivery for the entire communities of the Region, the Second Generation Sedibeng Growth and Development Strategy was developed and adopted. This led the charge of vision to create a single tier local government system for the entire Region. This translated into the vision for the Vaal Metropolitan River City. In this regards flowing various summits and engagements with constituent local Municipalities, this vision will enjoy the attention of Sedibeng District Municipalities for the foreseeable future.

The electronic Performance Management System has been adopted with a view to enhance the monitoring and evaluation of the Municipality in its execution of the Integrated Development Plan and the Service Delivery Budget Implementation Plans geared towards improving the political oversight of all activities of the Sedibeng District Municipality.

The Sedibeng Mayoral Policy was adopted to give expression to the IDP Strategy to releasing the Human Potential with a view to acknowledge and encourage ordinary citizens of Sedibeng to go the extra mile in the service of their fellow citizens

The HIV/AIDS Policy and its application through a robust Sedibeng AIDS Council, continues to reduce the rate of infection and the mother to child transmission thereby increasing the life expectancy in the Region resulting in the improvement of the quality of life.

The period under review has seen the execution and completion of key service delivery improvements in the Sedibeng District Municipality. Notable amongst these though not restricted thereto was the completion of the Constitution Walk, thereby creating a vibrant atmosphere which captured and enhanced the rich history and heritage of the entire Region.

As part of the iconic Constitution Walk, the Sharpeville Hall was completed and has since been declared a Heritage Site. In the completion of these projects, much needed jobs were created, training and skilling of the community, was the order of the day thereby creating the foundation for empowerment and development of new and future entrepreneurs.

The Sharpeville Exhibition Centre was also completed and the handover to the Gauteng Department of Sports, Arts, Culture and Recreation was done during the period under review. The Boipatong Memorial and Youth Centre remains

under construction with various phases at different stages of completion. Nine local contractors were appointed to create beneficiation, resulting in sixty community members being employed and trained.

In preparation for making Sedibeng ready for its part and pivotal role in the competitive Gauteng Global City Region, the lay-out of Fibre Optic Cabling is continuing in earnest to improve the connectivity of the Region, thereby forming the basis for a Smart City in which the cost of conducting business will be greatly reduced, improving service delivery and making the future Vaal Metropolitan River City the destination for economic investment.

Housing of our communities remains in the forefront of our commitment to service delivery, thus more than 1100 in Tshepiso North Extension 3 were completed during the period under review, with over 50% allocated. Despite the challenge of illegal invasion of 108 incomplete houses, this has since been resolved through the intervention of the Provincial Housing Department's intervention. The construction of 143 houses in Lakeside is proceeding well with 26 already completed during the period under review,

As if the above is anything to write home about, a total of 459 houses were completed in Tshepong Proper and allocated, with another 511 houses built and completed in Sebokeng Extension 24. The New Village project is complete with 145 houses built and the foundation for the Phase 2 firmly in place for the financial year 2012/13. Johandeo leads the stakes with 1540 completed houses during the period under review, with 350 outstanding houses, awaiting the appointment of a new contractor.

Land for the development of Sicelo housing has been identified and geo-technical study has been completed. By the same token, the Boipatong Back-yard Upgrading is progressing well during the period under review and will be extended to other areas in the Region. As if this was not enough, the Bophelong (Chris Hani) Informal Settlement Project is at a planning phase, while the Mamello project to build 600 houses is on track with approval for township establishment in place.

The Rustervaal Phase Two project's feasibility report is complete and still awaits revision by the Professional Regional Team. The Environment Impact Assessment is complete for the establishment of Savannah City with over 18000 houses which will create 5 200 permanent and sustainable employment in the Region.

In our quest to provide an accountable system of government, various public participation engagements which forms the bulwark of our annual calendar with a view to bring the electorate of everything which is done in pursuit of their aspirations.

To that end the annual State of the District Address, which presents an annual report, the future plans and the annual budget is beamed into as many households in the Region through satellite link ups. The regular IDP Stakeholder engagements and review of the IDP is characterised by two cycles of engagements which includes youth, women, people living with disabilities, designated groupings such as the ex-combatants, the religious fraternity, emerging business, organised business fraternity and professional groupings and institutions of higher learning.

All of these accounting platforms are greatly enhanced through the other various stakeholder corps such as the Sedibeng AIDS Council, the Sedibeng District Municipality Community Safety Forum, the Farmers Forum. The widespread consultations on the Sedibeng First Generation Growth and Development Strategy review led to the successful completion and adoption of the second generation Sedibeng Growth and Development Strategy which enjoys mass appeal and community ownership.

It is this widespread Public Participation and an accountable system in Sedibengng which has contributed to the massive decline in the number of service delivery protests in the Region. Furthermore, the Municipality is proud to confirm and announce that we have attained another unqualified audit report from the Auditor General. This makes it the 7th consecutive unqualified audit the Sedibeng District Municipality has achieved. This clearly illustrates that the financial management of the Municipality is on the right track to attract investors. It is on these basis that we look forward and are committed to working harder to achieve Clean Audits in the near future.

Sedibeng District Municipality together with its constituent local Municipalities are committed to a single tier Municipality with the envisaged realisation of the Val Metropolitan River City in the near future. Submission to the Municipality Demarcation Board has been made.

In order to ensure greater and faster service to our communities, with a view to invite investment into the Region, the Sedibeng Development Agency will be established in the foreseeable future. Whilst at the same time, the Sedibeng Regional Sewer Works, a multi-year programme is envisaged with a view to unlock the development potential of the region through the increasing of the regional sewer treatment capacity which created bottlenecks and spillage into the Vaal River, thereby increasing the potential to build more houses in the Region.

Taxido Taxi Rank Refurbishment is geared towards the creation of a multi-nodal transport facility which will respond to the current and future transport needs for the region, linking it to the existing transport facilities in the entire Gauteng

Province. The envisaged Logistical Hub seeks to harness the potential for freight handling flowing from the congestion at the OR Tambo Airport, thereby creating long term, sustainable employment opportunities in Sedibeng.

The Smart City Concept, based on the District-wide fibre optic cabling as the basis, aims to create the foundation for a future Vaal Metropolitan City with smart environmental practices, e-government, smart mobility and smart economy.

In order to improve the mobility of the community of Sedibeng in line with our quest for a Smart City, a partnership with PRASA has been concluded for the refurbishment and overhaul of the Taxido Junction Taxi Rank into a world class transport Precinct

With a view to improve the water treatment and sewer reticulation, a partnership has been concluded for the capacity increase of the Sebokeng Water Treatment Centre with both the National and Provincial government.

The Sedibeng District Municipality, mandated by our overwhelming vote of confidence from all the people of this Region in the 2011 Local Government elections; who in their multitude, black and white, rich and poor, made their aspiration known, for the next five years, as they entrusted their hard won right to vote to us to serve them once more for the next five years.

This vote of confidence was based on the solid foundation of our achievements which we discharged in the course of paving the path towards a modern and growing Smart City, the Vaal Metropolitan River City, whose future lies in giant steps taken to create a legacy for generations to come.

In order to arrive at this lofty ideal, through developmental growth of our key drivers, aimed at taking our rightful place in the competitive Gauteng Global City Region; Sedibeng seeks to give expression to the National and Provincial Outcomes in a manner which enhances the stature of the District.

In this mandate, the people of this Region have given us a responsibility to press forward with the solid efforts and foundation based on the collective commitments developed through intensive public consultations and public participation to develop a future for Sedibeng and its people.

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This future is best captured in our heartfelt declaration that "Sedibeng, the Cradle of Human Rights, the beautiful place we all call our home" A place in which to live, play, work and raise our families in peace, as an expression of a better quality of life. As the Sedibeng District Municipality, we are committed to working much harder and faster to meet their aspirations in our work to change their lives for the better.

The mandate to serve the Region prudently, for the next five years, finds expression in both our Second Generation Sedibeng Growth and Development Strategy and the five year integrated development plan which will guide our path to the next Local Government Elections in 2016. This firm foundation and building blocks, makes up a clear vision to take Sedibeng on a trajectory of seamless and integrated growth and governance which seeks to optimize development which is geared to give expression to the following priorities:

Reinventing our economy through SMME development, strengthening Cooperatives through Extended Public Works Programmes to respond to the needs of a Green Economy which will enhance job creation and skills development.

Promote more active community participation in local government by enhancing our IDP Stakeholder engagements through Izimbizo. These engagements, will form the basis for the engagements for the second generation Sedibeng Growth and Development Strategy going forward.

It is with this in mind that our best interest will be served through consolidation of governance as we launch ahead in our plan to become the Vaal Metropolitan River City by 2016

Signed by:
The Executive Mayor
Sedibeng District Municipality

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#### COMPONENT B: EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

#### 1.1. **MUNICIPAL MANAGER'S OVERVIEW**

This Annual Report is presented within the template provided by the MFMA Implementation Unit of the National Treasury issued in July 2012. This standardises the format of Annual Reports across the country, and will ensure that all key issues are reported on without omission. It also ensures that over time, the uniformity across all Annual Reports, will make the public more familiar with how to navigate for information within an Annual Report.

The period of this Annual Report (2011/2012) was marked by the earnest commencement of work by a newly elected Council, which had been in office for a 2 month period when the financial year started. The primary task at the beginning of their term was to allow the new political leadership to assess, align and define the broad framework for the term of office that lay ahead.

The District Wide Lekgotla that was held between 19-21 September 2011, vigorously interrogated the major strategic thrusts for the term ahead. In this regard, the Sedibeng Growth and Development Strategy (GDS-01) came under review and the key focus areas, commonly referred to as the '5R's plus 2' were reconfirmed as appropriate key focus areas to be affirmed at a GDS Summit to be held later in the year. IGR and Corporate Governance also came under review as did the place of Sedibeng in the Global City Region.

The GDS Summit was convened on 31 November 2011, and through a strong stakeholder turnout and some very positive engagements, GDS-02 emerged as the blueprint for the long-term strategy. While GDS-01 sketched the broad concept of choices for long-term development, GDS-02 defined the flagship projects that would drive the development of the Sedibeng District. The translation of GDS-02 into the next IDP proved to be a fertile process that has spawned a range of exciting and challenging projects to be driven by the administration of the District Municipality.

Each of the ten flagship GDS-02 projects, places significant administrative and technical challenges to the institution and the shape and form of the organisational structure would be reviewed to align itself to meet this challenge. This structural review will be undertaken early in the next financial year. The emergence of the 'Smart City' as the focus of flagship project 9 (Expanding and Enhancing Connectivity) became a dominant feature of our allocations of both financial and human resources. While this project challenged the technical skills base of the institution, the project on a Single Authority (Flagship Project 8) occupied the minds of many staff members as the Municipal Demarcation Process moved closer to considering the various options for any possible changes. Institutionally the District remains flexible and responsive enough to accommodate any eventuality that may emerge out of the MDB review.

What did become much clearer as the financial year moved towards its end was that our Emergency Medical Services function was much closer to its migration back to the Gauteng Province than ever before. While the financial year closed without an actual transfer, the move was imminent and would greatly alter the institutional profile of the municipality.

Financially the Municipality continues to keep its head above water, but only just. The accumulated arrears of the underfunding of the EMS function had depleted most of the invested reserves, and this has demanded that a tight rein be kept on the size of the structure and its accompanying staff cost. The austerity measures that were introduced in 2010/2011 were kept and place and would remain in place for some time to come. The growth in equitable share is well below the inflation rate and well below the average rise in salary increases. As a result, the capital budget continues to be squeezed as does the maintenance budget.

Together with the Gauteng Provincial Department of Transport and the Department of Safety and Security, a strong campaign has been launched to root our fraud and corruption at the Licensing Centres across Sedibeng.

The Municipality has continued to sustain its unqualified audit status and has made good progress in minimising the number of matters of emphasis. We remain on track to meet the Operation Clean Audit of 2014 targets, and must keep a firm hold on the internal controls and compliance requirements. The good work of our Audit Committee and Municipal Public Accounts Committee (MPAC) has contributed significantly to the progress that was noted.

The administration continues to work with good oversight and under clear leadership of the political office bearers. On behalf of the administration I wish to thank all our Councillors led by the Members of the Mayoral Committee, the Speaker, Chief Whip and especially our Executive Mayor for the trust shown and for the cooperation with the administration. We trust that this collective effort will have notable impacts on the lives of the people of Sedibeng.

Yours faithfully,

YunusChamda Municipal Manager

#### 1.2. MUNICIPAL FUNCTIONS, POPULATION AND ENVIRONMENTAL OVERVIEW

#### INTRODUCTION TO BACKGROUND

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In order to plan properly for the development of the Sedibeng District Municipality, it is critical to analyse and understand the key development parameters, challenges and opportunities prevalent in the District. These include, amongst others, the demographic profile of the region, level of development, socio-economic and economic profile, natural landscape, the anticipated trends of these aspects in the overall District context in the next five years. This chapter explores the above mentioned aspects and will enable all role players in the planning process to respond accordingly to developmental challenges and opportunities within the District.

#### **GEOGRAPHICAL CONTEXT OF SEDIBENG**

The Sedibeng District Municipality (SDM) is a Category C municipality found in the south of Gauteng Province. It is the only area of the Gauteng Province that is situated on the banks of Vaal River and Vaal Dam in the Southern-most part of the Province. It covers the area formerly known as the Vaal Triangle. It includes the towns of Vereeniging, Vanderbijlpark, Meyerton and Heidelberg as well as the historic townships of Evaton, Sebokeng, Boipatong, Bophelong, Sharpeville, and Ratanda, which have a rich political history and heritage.

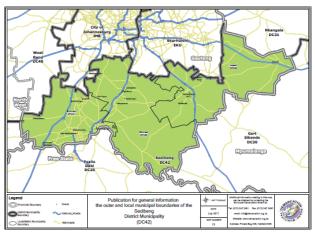
TOTAL SIZE OF GEOGRAPHICAL AREA (KM²)								
Sedibeng District Municipality	Emfuleni Local Municipality	Midvaal Local Municipality	Lesedi Local Municipality					
4,185 km²	968 km²	1,728 km²	1,489 km²					

(Source: Global Insight, 2010)

The SDM covers the entire southern area of Gauteng Province. It is the second largest municipality in Gauteng with a total geographical area of 4,185 square kilometres. The SDM consists of three Category B municipalities, namely; Emfuleni, Lesedi and Midvaal Local Municipalities and is surrounded by the following municipalities:

- · City of Johannesburg (Johannesburg ) to the North;
- Ekurhuleni (East Rand) to the North-East;
- Nkangala (Mpumalanga) to the North-East;
- · Gert-Sibande (Mpumalanga) to the East;
- · Northern Free State (Free State) to the South;
- · Southern District (North-West) to the West; and
- · West Rand to the North-West

The map below represents the Sedibeng District municipal boundary and its geographical extent with its three locals and other surrounding municipalities.



Source: Municipal demarcation board 2011

#### **DEMOGRAPHY OF SEDIBENG**

#### **POPULATION**

Sedibeng District Municipality is moderately populated and has experienced an exceptional growth population as well as fairly young people migrating into the area. It seems that the young population is attracted by the two Universities within the area namely; Vaal University of Technology and North West University Campus, and Sedibeng College as well as other independent institution. According to Statistic SA Community Survey 2007, the total population for Sedibeng is 800 **819** indicating an increase of 0.5% as compared to the Census 2001 population of **796 754**.

According to the Gauteng Province Socio Economic Review of 2009, the Sedibeng District has a population of 805 168 which constitute 8% and the fourth largest in the Province. Sedibeng also has the second smallest population density of 192 people per hectare.

The above graph presents the age breakdown of the Sedibeng population. It illustrates a typical developing region population pyramid with the dominance of people under the working age. Furthermore, it shows that there is a higher population between the age group 10-14 followed by 05-09. The smallest population is between the ages 70 - 74 followed by 75+. The population between ages 10 - 14 share a significantly equal distribution of males and females. This may indicate that the population in the Sedibeng District may have an equal distribution of males and females in the future. It is also encouraging that there is a fair proportion of population in the working age groups 20 to 59, which have the potential to engage in economic activities.

#### POPULATION DISTRIBUTION

		Sedibeng District Municipality	Emfuleni Local Municipality	Midvaal Local Municipality	Lesedi Local Mu- nicipality
African	Male	336,118	276,709	26,520	32,890
Allicali	Female	331,255	273,743	26,040	31,473
White	Male	59,603	42,934	11,642	5,027
wnite	Female	60,302	44,102	11,073	5,126
Coloured	Male	5,007	3,713	652	641
Coloured	Female	5,176	3,924	673	578
Asian	Male	3,892	3,325	188	379
Asiali	Female	3,818	3,264	168	385
Total		805,168	651,713	76,957	76,498

Source; Global Insight 2010

Emfuleni has the largest population in the District. It represents 80.94% of the total population in Sedibeng, which indicates a decrease as compared to Community Survey 2007 figures of 81.2% in 2007. The population figures for Midvaal and Lesedi shows a slight difference as they almost share the same population figures.

In terms of Race, the black population accounts for the highest number in the region followed by the whites at 14.89% showing a decrease as compared to 15.2% in 2009. Coloured and Asians are sitting at 1.26% compared to 1.2% in 2009 with an increase of 0.96% compared to 0.9% figure in 2009 respectively. The trends of proportional population representation of the different race groups are forecasted to continue into the future.

#### **ECONOMIC ANALYSIS OF SEDIBENG**

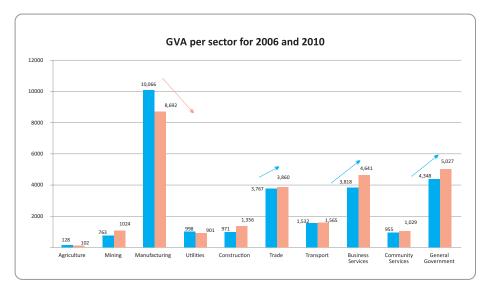
#### **ECONOMIC GROWTH**

Sedibeng is the fourth largest contributor to the Gauteng economy. The municipal economy reached a high of 7.2% in 2006. In 2009, Sedibeng economic growth recorded a negative 5.2%. This was 3.4% worse than the 2009 provincial growth rate of negative 1.8%. The Regional Gross Domestic Product slowed down from R23.66 billion in 2008 to R22.43 billion in 2009 and is expected to record R25.93 billion in 2014. However, over the period from 2006 to 2011, the Sedibeng economy increased by 3.1%. This means the average annual growth rate was 0.8% against a targeted annual growth rate of 8% in the first generation Growth & Development Strategy.

#### SECTORAL STRUCTURE OF THE SEDIBENG ECONOMY

More than half of the economy is in the services sector (57.2% in 2010). The biggest contributors are: manufacturing (30.8%), Government (17.8%), Business Services (17.8%), and trade (13.7%). The largest sector, manufacturing shrunk by R1.374 million (6%). The following sectors experienced the greatest growth respectively; Government, business services, construction and mining. The figure below shows the change in GVA per sector for 2006 and 2010.

#### GVA per sector for 2006 and 2010



The overall exports declined over the period. In the 2000s, the trade surplus increased to R16.38 billion in 2005 before declining to R9.7 billion in 2006, and reaching a low of R1.34 billion in 2009. The metal exports were the main export item in 2010.

#### SEDIBENG EXPORTS

SEDIDLING EXILORITS				
Biggest Export Contributors	2010		Change from 2006 - 2010	Biggest export commodity
	R'ml	% of total	R'ml	
Base Metals	8,280	74.1%	593	Iron and Steel
Machinery	928	8.3%	369	Machinery
Precious metals, stones	885	7.9%	568	<b>Precious metals and stones</b>
Transport equipment	349	3.1%	176	Vehicles
Mineral products	151	1.4%	-7,624	Ores, slag and ash
Other*	582	5.2%	183	Iron/steel articles

The table above shows the biggest export contributors and the changes from 2006 to 2010. These are the sectors that need to be revived.

#### **ANALYSIS OF KEY SECTORS IN SEDIBENG**

#### **MANUFACTURING**

The regional Economy of Sedibeng has always been driven by the Manufacturing sector for which over years it has assumed that the status quo has remained to be the biggest employer in the region until a change in the structure of the regional economy and global exposure of the Manufacturing sector especially steel to International competitiveness. It is envisaged that the manufacturing sector will remain the dominant economic sector in the District for the foreseeable future

There are two main sub-sector of manufacturing, namely (1) fabricated metal and (2) chemicals. In the metal sector, the Arcelor-Mittal (formerly ISCOR) steel plant, the Cape Gate Davsteel wire and steel plant and the ferromanganese plant of Samancor, are the three main large baseline plants in the District, while DCD-Dorbyl Heavy Engineering is the biggest manufacturer of massive engineered products in Southern Africa. SASOL, a major player in the chemical industry sector in the District, is actually based in the Metsimaholo Local Municipality in the Free State.

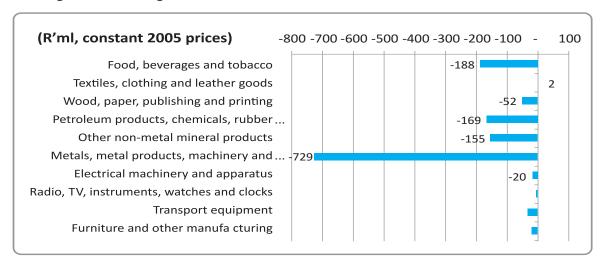


Figure above shows that metal products contributed to 51.4% of manufacturing GVA. All manufacturing and metals declined except for all textiles, including clothing and leather. A positive element is the evidence of some new manufacturing projects to the regions. These include:

- **Heineken:** 1,000 jobs were created during the construction of the Heineken plant and 250 permanent jobs have been created to drive its production process
- **Liquid Fuel Mass Storage Hub:** Site Construction has started as has the installation of a pipeline for liquid petroleum from Durban
- Coca-Cola South Africa: 500 jobs were created during construction and investment of R 400 million took place
- Regional Sewer Scheme: R 120 million funding was committed by the Department of Water Affairs.

The positive initiatives notwithstanding, overall the manufacturing sector of Sedibeng mirrors that of Gauteng, and as such remains vulnerable to major structural constraints. Without dedicated and speedy attention, the sector may suffer permanent damage.

## **Tourism**Growth in GVA of SDMs catering and accommodation services on total economy



Although Sedibeng is not at the forefront of tourist destinations, it offers permanent waterways, natural attractions such as the Suikerbosrand Nature Reserve, as well as cultural attractions such as the Sharpeville Memorial that could place the district on the tourism map not only in Gauteng but for domestic tourists from other provinces. The catering and accommodation services experienced negative annual average growth of -2.1% for the period 2006 – 2010. Sedibeng

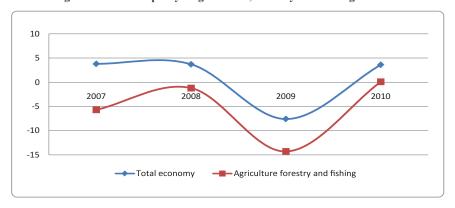
needs to leverage its tourism attraction to bring both Gauteng residents, national, and international visitors into the region.

Sedibeng has a total of 72 listed graded accommodations. The SDM has developed 11 Tour routes throughout the District. These include two Struggle Routes through Sharpeville, Boipatong, Evaton and Sebokeng. A birding route is in the process of being developed. A total of 293 Tourism signs have been erected in the District. A Tourism Development Strategy for the area was developed and adopted in 2003 and principles, programmes and projects were encapsulated in the Sedibeng Growth and Development Strategy (2004).

A Generic Tourism Brochure profiling the tourism offerings in the District has been printed and distributed. A promotional tourism DVD was developed in partnership with private sector as a destination marketing tool to promote the District as a collective. A tourism map has been developed with attractions and tourism products according to the 11 tourism routes in the Sedibeng region.

#### **AGRICULTURE**

#### Growth in GVA of the Sedibeng District Municipality's agriculture, forestry and fishing sector and total economy



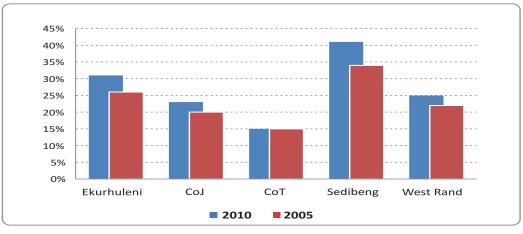
Agriculture had a negative growth over the period 2006 –2010. The annual average growth was -5.4%. It will be necessary to promote new projects to revive the Agricultural sector. An example of such a new initiative is the Maize Triangle. This programme launched on 29 October 2010 by the National Department of Agriculture, aims to:

- · provide support and build capacity among farmers
- assist them to become self-sufficient and ensure food security
- · develop a successful grain development programme

Other agricultural development programmes include the Bantu Bonke Project that is supported by Rand Water, the Vereeniging Fresh Produce Project, and land restitution.

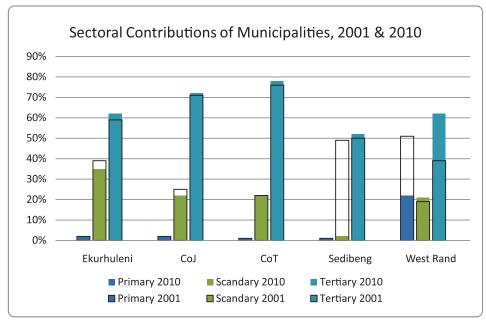
#### **Economic Contributions by Municipalities in Gauteng**

#### GDP-R by Municipalities, 2001 & 2010



Source: IHS Global Insight, 2012

#### Sectoral Contributions of Municipalities, 2001 & 2010



Source: IHS Global Insight, 2012

In Sedibeng, the secondary sector's contribution was almost as large as that of the tertiary sector in 2001, with less than a percentage point between them, but the difference had increased to 8 percentage points by 2010. The district's manufacturing sub-sector lost a portion of its share of GDP-R by 2010, while the construction subsector grew but from a low base. The district's finance & business services, by contrast, experienced comparatively brisk growth. Its larger base, however, resulted in manufacturing remaining the largest sub-sector in Sedibeng in 2010.

#### LABOUR FORCE OVERVIEW

#### **EMPLOYMENT TRENDS**

Between 2006 and 2011, the economy created 3,976 jobs. This means 1 in three people of the working age population was employed and every fifth person of working age was unemployed. Over the period, unemployment declined by 0.8%. A much more significant intervention around employment creation is needed to address employment in Sedibeng.

The table below shows population of employed different groups in the region.

Race	Male		Female		Total	
Black	153,212	82.4%	131,602	85.8%	284,814	83.9%
White	28,695	15.4%	19,057	12.4%	47,752	14.1%
Coloured	2,071	1.1%	1,822	1.2%	3,893	1.1%
Asian	1,939	1.0%	897	0.6%	2,836	0.8%
Total	185,917	100.0%	153,379	100.0%	339,296	100.0%

Source: Global Insight 2010

The total number of the Economic Active Population across all sectors is 325 763. This represents 40.4% of the population of the District. The Blacks account for 83.9% of the economically active, followed by Whites at 14.1%, Coloureds at 1.1% and Asians at 0.8%.

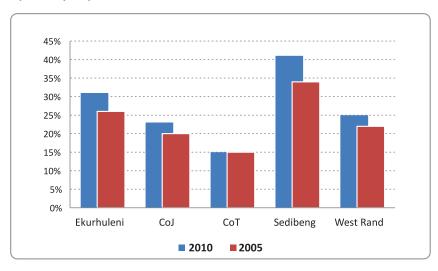
#### LEVEL OF UNEMPLOYMENT

	Male		Female		Total	
Black	50 592	94.89%	60 090	95.84%	110 682	95.43%
White	2 267	4.25%	2 256	3.59%	4 524	3.9%
Coloured	289	0.54%	267	0.42%	557	0.48%
Asian	134	0.25%	81	0.13%	215	0.19%
Total	53 283	100.00%	62 694	100.00%	115 977	100.00%

Source: Global Insight 2011

The above table shows unemployment by race and by gender in the Sedibeng District. The Black population accounts for 95.43% of the unemployed population with Black females recording the highest figures of unemployment in the District at 95.84%. The White population accounts for 3.9% of the unemployed, while Coloureds, Asians are at 0.48% and 0.19% respectively.

#### Unemployment Rate by Municipality, 2005 & 2010



Source: IHS Global Insight, 2012

The district has one of the highest unemployment rates in Gauteng. The graph indicates a significant increase from 2006 to 2010. Some of the reasons for the high unemployment rate in Sedibeng may include the shedding of jobs by the Arcelor Mittal steel company which is situated in the district.

#### 1.3 SERVICE DELIVERY OVERVIEW

## SERVICE DELIVERY INTRODUCTION T 1.3.1

#### SUSTAINABLE HUMAN SETTLEMENT AND IMPROVED QUALITY OF HOUSEHOLD LIFE

Sedibeng is the leading District municipality in terms of basic service delivery. Improvements in access to services were exhibited in respect of piped water inside the dwelling, refuse removal by Local authorities, formal housing, sanitation and electricity. Sedibeng District Municipality has high water service levels, with 95.5% of the households having access to RDP water services with a backlog of 1.4%.

#### Water

NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS BY LEVEL OF ACCESS TO WATER								
Sedibeng District Munici-	Piped water inside dwell-ing	Piped water in yard	Communal piped water: less than 200m from dwelling (At RDP-level)	Communal piped water: more than 200m from dwelling (Below RDP)	No formal piped water	Total		
pality	177,843	59,665	3,871	6,554	4,943	252,876		

(Source: Global Insight, 2010)

#### **SANITATION**

Sedibeng has high sanitation service levels, with 91.2% of the households having access to sanitation. Sedibeng has a sanitation backlog of 1.5%.

NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE OF TOILET							
Flush toilet Ventilation Improved Pit (VIP) Pit toilet Bucket system No toilet <sup>Total</sup>							
Sedibeng District Municipality	225,099	5,641	19,245	731	2,160	252,876	

(Source: Global Insight, 2010)

The Statistics SA Community Survey of 2007 also indicates that Sedibeng has high sanitation service levels, with 98.4% of the households having access to sanitation. Emfuleni has the highest sanitation service levels in the District (99.1%), followed by Midvaal (98.3%) and then Lesedi with 91.7% of its households having access to sanitation. Sedibeng has a sanitation backlog of 1.5% of provincial backlog.

Lesedi has the largest backlog in the District, of 8.2% and contributes 44.8% to the District backlog and 1.7% to the provincial backlog. Emfuleni has the smallest backlog (0.8%) and contributes 44.2% to the District backlog and 1.7% to the provincial backlog. According to Global Insight information 225 099 of the households have access to flush toilets, 5641 with Ventilated Improved Pit and the total of 252 876 of Sedibeng District Municipality.

#### Share of Households with Hygienic Toilets, Municipalities, 2001 & 2010

The largest increase was in Sedibeng, with its proportion rising by 6.3 percentage points from 85.4 percent in 2001 to 91.7 percent in 2010.

There are eight waste treatment plants among Sedibeng's three local municipalities; they had an average Green Drop score of 62.5 percent and none received Green Drop certification. The Premier, mentioned in her State of Province Address that the Sedibeng Regional Sanitation Scheme includes maintenance and repairs of four of the district's treatment plants to date and will concentrate on the expansion of the capacity of two of these plants.

#### **ELECTRICITY**

The Community Survey 2007 indicates that 92.1% of the households in Sedibeng have access to electricity. Emfuleni has the highest percentage of households with access to electricity (93.4%) and Lesedi has the lowest percentage of households with access to electricity (81.4%). Sedibeng has an electricity backlog of 7.8%.

Lesedi has the largest electricity backlog in the District (18.5%) and contributes 19.9% to the District backlog and 0.7% to the provincial backlog. Emfuleni has the smallest electricity backlog (6.5%), accounting for 67.1% of the District backlog and 2.4% of the provincial backlog.

NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS BY ELECTRICITY USAGE				
	Electricity for lighting only	Electricity for lighting and other purposes	Not using electricity	Total
Sedibeng District Municipality	1,517	222,789	28,570	252,876

(Source: Global Insight, 2010)

The Global Insight indicates that 88.7% of the households in Sedibeng have access to electricity, with a backlog of 11.3% of household with no electricity.

#### **REFUSE REMOVAL**

In terms of refuse removal, 95.6% of the households in Sedibeng have access to refuse removal, having a backlog of 4.4%.

NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS BY ACCESS TO REFUSE REMOVAL						
	Removed weekly by authority	Removed less often than weekly by au- thority	Removed by commu- nity members	Personal removal (own dump)	No refuse removal	Total
Sedibeng DM	241,507	211	666	6,314	4,178	252,876

(Source: Global Insight, 2010)

According to Community survey 2007, in terms of refuse removal, 84.8% of the households in Sedibeng have access to refuse removal. Emfuleni has the highest refuse removal levels (85.8%), followed by Lesedi with (82.6%) and then Midvaal with 78.2% of its households having access to refuse removal services. Midvaal has the largest refuse removal backlog (21.7%) and contributes 14.4% to the District backlog and 1.1% to the provincial backlog. Emfuleni has the smallest refuse removal backlog (14.1%) and accounts for 75.8% of the District backlog and 6.2% of the provincial backlog.

#### **HOUSING**

According to Community survey 2007, approximately 83.9 % of the population has access to formal housing and 16.1% has access to informal housing and other type of dwellings such traditional dwelling. The majority of new low cost housing developments have been located in Emfuleni. Large housing developments which have been implemented within the district primarily focus on subsidized housing to eradicate existing housing backlog. Larger subsidized housing developments are being established on the periphery or as natural extensions to historically disadvantaged areas.

Formal Housing has increased in the last 16 years in the Sedibeng District Municipality, with an increase of 5.9 percent which led to formalisation of Informal settlement.

NUME	NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE OF DWELLING UNIT						
	Very Formal	Formal	Informal	Traditional	Other dwelling type	Total	
SDM	161,131	50,942	38,308	347	2,148	252,876	

(Source: Global Insight, 2010)

The extensive development of new formal subsidised housing (formerly known as RDP) in the district has led to increased migration into the region and the backlog remaining constant. The consequently informal settlements have increased.

#### **INFORMAL SETTLEMENT**

Informal residential settlements can be defined as settlements that do not conform to any formal town-planning and building control regulations. They tend to have limited access to basic engineering services such as water, sewerage and electricity. These settlements are usually built at the edge of the cities where land is neglected. In 2004, the department of Housing declared to eradicate informal settlement in South Africa by 2014 following the unprecedented housing backlog, the rising number of Informal settlement, social exclusion, and the inability of the municipality to provide basic infrastructure to the urban poor households.

Sedibeng District Municipality currently has a total of 16 812 informal structures located in approximately 50 incidences of informal settlement scattered throughout the Sedibeng District. In addition to this, approximately 54 820 units have been recorded as backyard units. This may partly represent a rental demand for the municipal area. Of the estimated backlog of 16 812 units, approximately 402 units are located in rural areas. The official Housing Demand Database of the Sedibeng District Municipality stands at 55 698 units. It is at this stage not certain what percentage of these units are for informal settlement upgrading, hostels upgrading or comprise current backyard dwellings.

The high increase of informal settlement may be as results of lack of opportunities for foreigner and the rural areas especially of Free State, Eastern Cape and Northern Cape for people who have migrated into the area in search for a better life particularly working as labourers in informal sectors, contributing sectors of the economy in Sedibeng such as Arcelor Mittal, Cape Gate, Samancoretc. and even domestic workers. This problem is associated with the housing problems, increasing competition for jobs between local residents and foreigners.

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSIS**

Environmental quality has been an ongoing concern in the Sedibeng Region for a number of years. The Growth and Development Strategy through the pillar of "Reviving Our Environment" finally gives the region the means to comprehensively address this issue and ensure that its citizens live in an environment that supports a positive quality of life for them, their children and future generations. The Environmental Division developed an Environmental Programme of Action (EPoA) as one of the outcomes of the regional environmental retreat that was held in June 2007. The aim of the EPoA is to provide strategic guidance for the environmental revival as envisaged in the Sedibeng Growth and Development Strategy. The aim of the EPoA is to assist in ensuring a consistent approach across the municipalities and other key government stakeholders towards environmental management in the region. The EPoA identified three priority areas for intervention to address major environmental challenges namely: only 3 are mentioned i.e. water, waste and air quality.

- 1. Water pollution;
- 2. Waste; and
- 3. Air quality

#### **WATER POLLUTION**

Sedibeng is face with serious water pollution challenges in river systems and water bodies, notably the Kliprivier and Blesbokspruit which are polluted from runoffs from industrial areas, townships, waste water treatment works, and acid mine drainage.

The Kliprivier is one of the most polluted rivers in the Sedibeng District as a result of mining and industrial activities in the upper catchments, outside the borders of the Sedibeng. (Source: Strategic Environmental Focus 2009).

The state of Sedibeng's surface and ground water quality is influenced by activities within and beyond the boundaries of Sedibeng. External pressures, emanating from mining and industrial activities on the West Rand (Roodepoort and Randfontein) and East Rand (Germiston, Boksburg, Brakpan and Springs), are major contributing factors to the current state of surface and ground water quality in Sedibeng. The largest internal pressures are limited to the industrialised and urban areas in Emfuleni, including Meyerton, Vanderbijlpark and Vereeniging. Rural areas in Midvaal and Lesedi, where agricultural activities dominate, have a lesser, but nonetheless important, influence on the surface and ground water quality. Heidelberg and Devon, which are the main urban areas of Lesedi, also contribute to surface and groundwater deterioration through urban associated pollution.

The main pressures on the quality of surface and groundwater resources in the Sedibeng District are the following:

- Mining activities, including physical mining practices and mining effluent release from mineral extraction and mine dumps;
- Industrial activities;
- Water treatment works;
- Informal settlements, which usually lack services;
- Poorly serviced high-density residential settlements;
- · High-density urban areas;
- Coal combustion on the Mpumalanga Highveld, which results in acid rain in the Sedibeng District;
- Water abstraction for urban and agricultural use;
- Flow reduction in streams and rivers as a result of dams and weirs; and
- Agricultural activities.

Sedibeng's history with regards to waste management is not that different to the South African situation in general. The issue of waste as with most Local, provincial and national departments has many facets including economical, physical, social and political. Waste management has traditionally taken place on an ad-hoc basis to meet the current needs, with very little foresight into the future needs of an ever-increasing population. Identification of landfill sites has generally taken the form of unplanned site location with little or no thought of design to reduce potential impacts to the environment, neighbouring communities, etc. With the development of the minimum requirements by the Department of Water Affairs and Forestry (DWAF) for waste disposal by landfill the identification of landfill sites now take a much more pro-active approach in reducing further negative consequences related to an activity such as planning and design.

Local authorities in Sedibeng have indicated that they have neither sufficient funding nor adequate trained staff, to effectively plan and execute their waste management functions in a sustainable manner.

Communities have also not been involved in the identification of the landfills, which has resulted in community resistance and/or limited support. The level of services varied by area and in particular the previously disadvantaged areas have been left without proper waste management services.

In order for Sedibeng to address waste management it needs to address the following:

- Waste prevention;
- Waste minimization;
- · Resource recovery;
- Treatment; and
- Safe disposal

#### **AIR QUALITY**

Air quality is affected by the climate, the landscape, natural and economic activities that take place in an area. There are different sources of Air pollution: emissions from industrial processes, domestic fuel burning, vehicle exhaust emissions and waste facilities.

Sedibeng District Municipality is regarded as one of the most polluted municipality because of the level of industrialization in the areas within the Emfuleni Local Municipality and Midvaal Local Municipality. The Emfuleni Local Municipality and Midvaal Locals Municipality have been declared because of the elevated atmospheric pollutant concentrations within the area.

These result from the industrial activities, combined with the fuel manufacturing of Sasol. A series of studies undertaken over the years have clearly indicated the negative impact of pollution on the health of people living and working in the area. As a result the Vaal area (including Emfuleni and Midvaal) was declared a Priority Area in terms of the National Environmental Management Air Quality Act in 2006.

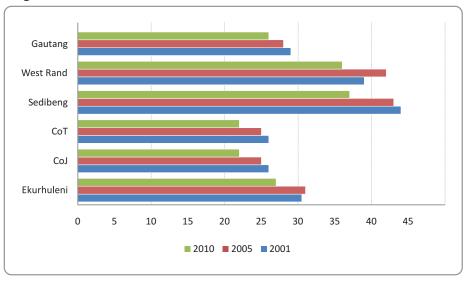
As of the 1st of April 2010 Sedibeng District Municipality has been delegated the function of an Atmospheric Emission licensing authority in terms of the Air Quality Act 39 of 2004. The licensing authority functions involves the licensing

of listed industrial activities. The municipality is currently having a number of challenges both human and financial resource to efficiently execute the function. The lack of these minimum resources results in the district not being able to implement programmes that are directed at reducing air pollution within the region.

Source: Environmental Management: Air Quality Act in 2006 & Gauteng economic outlook 2010.

#### **DEVELOPMENT INDICATORS**

#### Poverty Rate, Gauteng, 2001, 2005 & 2010



(Source: IHS Global Insight, 2012)

The high poverty rate in Sedibeng could be explained by the fact that it is more rural in nature than the other municipalities. The poverty rate declined from 44 percent in 2001 to 38 percent in 2010. At 36 percent, the West Rand's 2010 poverty rate was slightly lower than that of Sedibeng for the same year. The province's poverty rate decreased from 30 percent in 2001 to 29 percent in 2005 and to 26 percent in 2010. Sedibeng had the highest poverty rate over the reviewed period, although this also has been declining.

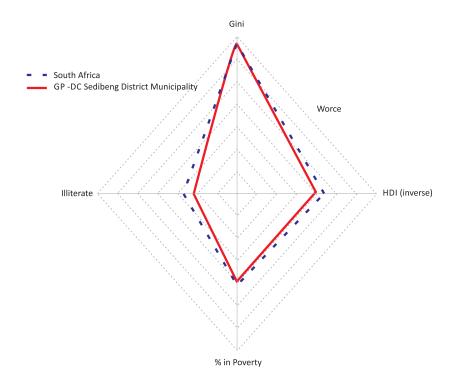
The four main development indicators which the Sedibeng uses to track progress are highlighted. The indicators illustrate where improvements have been made and which areas still need attention. The four main development indicators are Gini coefficient, the Human Development Index (HDI), percentage of people living in poverty and functional literacy rates

The HDI is made up of three indexes: life expectancy at birth, educational attainment and per capita income. The HDI ranges between 0 and 1, with 0 indicating no human development and 1 indicating a high level of human development.

The poverty rate is made represented by the percentage of people or households living in poverty, where poverty is defined as earning an income less than the poverty income. Poverty income is regarded as the minimum monthly income needed to sustain a household and varies to the size of the household.

The four main development indicators used in the Analysis can be configured are into a shape "Development Diamond". Each corner of the diamond represents one of the development indicators. The relative size of the diamond illustrates the level of the development for a particular society/ part of the society. In other words the closer to the center the corners are, the higher the level of development for a particular society. The bigger the corners of the diamond protrude from the centre, the worse off a society is in terms of the development.

Sedibeng Development Diamond indicator: 2007 - 11



The above diagram shows that Optimum Gini co-efficient is zero, representing an absolute equality in society and the above illustration point to the fact that in Sedibeng District Municipality, our Gini- coefficient is about 68 %, which is 0.68. The four quadrants represent our variables be greater, extent of illiteracy, poverty, underdevelopment inequality.

The diagram also indicates the SDM level of illiteracy, percentage of poverty, underdevelopment and inequalities are better than the national averages in all variables. Therefore, the larger Development diamond, the less developed the District. The smaller (close to the centre) the more developed the District is considered to be.

#### **EDUCATION**

Education is the driving force for economic, social and political development and prosperity. It creates choices and opportunities for people and communities and reduces the burdens of poverty, unemployment, and disease creating a dynamic workforce that is able to participate in the global economy.

Highest Level of Education completed by year					
Education Level	2006	2010	Absolute Change	% Change	
Grade 0/ No Schooling	66 411	58 331	-8 080	-12.2%	
Some Primary	242 928	256 296	13 368	5.5%	
Some Secondary	389 080	407 134	18 054	4.6%	
Certificate / Diploma	37 762	46 054	8 292	22.0%	
Bachelor's Degree	10 216	12 493	2 277	22.3%	
Post Graduate Degree & higher	4 867	5 906	1 039	21.3%	
Other/Unspecified/NA	107 832	102 007	-5 825	-5.4%	
Total	859 097	888 222	29 126	3.4%	

There has been an overall increase in the level of education. The biggest increase was in tertiary qualifications. The biggest decrease was in the 'no schooling and grade 0' educational level.

#### 1.4 FINANCIAL HEALTH OVERVIEW

#### **FINANCIAL OVERVIEW**

The financial overview and analysis on the financial health of the municipality is extensively covered in chapter 5 of this report.

#### 1.5 ORGANISATIONAL DEVELOPMENT OVERVIEW

#### ORGANISATIONAL DEVELOPMENT PERFORMANCE

The Sedibeng District Municipality during the year under review focused on some areas of concern. The key areas were:

- management of sick leave
- misconduct
- capacitation of employees

It is important to note that on sick leave, the number of days taken by employees in the post levels 5 – 10 was much higher than those taken by employees at the lowest and management levels. The absence of employees from work as a result of sick leave has cost the municipality around R1,5 million for the year under review.

It is also important to note that employees at post levels 13 and 5 - 8 took sick leave without provision of medical certification. This is attributed to the fact that the rules allow for employees to take 1 to 2 days without providing medical certification. Whilst this trend is an undesirable and unintended result, the municipality decided to introduce stringent control measures in the management of time and attendance, for instance by enforcing submission of leave registers signed by both the employee concerned and the supervisor providing reasons for absenteeism.

Another trend that is significant to note is the area around management of deviant behaviour and misconduct by employees. During the year under review only 8 out of more than 850 employees allegedly committed misconduct. This is a reflection of a high standard of discipline amongst the employees. It also reflects high levels of honesty in employees.

Over the year under review the municipality also paid attention to capacitation of employees. To this end the municipality spent R2 115 000, 00 in training and up-skilling of employees. It is also significant to note that the expenditure in this regard exceeded the budgeted amount of R2 050 000, 00. More female employees were trained than male employees.

#### 1.6. **AUDITOR GENERAL REPORT**

AUDITOR GENERAL REPORT: YEAR (CURRENT YEAR)

NB: The Auditor General's Report is attached at the end of this report.

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#### 1.7. STATUTORY ANNUAL REPORT PROCESS

No.	Activity	Timeframe	
1	Consideration of next financial year's Budget and IDP process plan. Except for the legislative content, the process plan should confirm in-year reporting formats to ensure that reporting and monitoring feeds seamlessly into the Annual Report process at the end of the Budget/IDP implementation period		
2	Implementation and monitoring of approved Budget and IDP commences (In-year financial reporting).		
3	Finalisethe 4th quarter Report for previous financial year	July	
4	Submit draft year 0 Annual Report to Internal Audit and Auditor-General		
5	Municipal entities submit draft annual reports to MM. (SDM has no entities).		
6	Audit/Performance committee considers draft Annual Report of municipality and entities (where relevant)		
8	Mayor tables the unaudited Annual Report		
9	Municipality submits draft Annual Report including consolidated annual financial statements and performance report to Auditor General	August	
10	Annual Performance Report as submitted to Auditor General to be provided as input to the IDP Analysis Phase		
11	Auditor General audits Annual Report including consolidated Annual Financial Statements and Performance data	September - October	
12	Municipalities receive and start to address the Auditor General's comments		
13	Mayor tables Annual Report and audited Financial Statements to Council complete with the Auditor- General's Report	November	
14	Audited Annual Report is made public and representation is invited	November	
15	Oversight Committee assesses Annual Report		
16	Council adopts Oversight report		
17	Oversight report is made public	December	
18	Oversight report is submitted to relevant provincial councils		
19	Commencement of draft Budget/ IDP finalisation for next financial year. Annual Report and Oversight Reports to be used as input	January	
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#### COMMENTON THE ANNUAL REPORT PROCESS

The municipality considers planning as paramount in ensuring success in everything it does. The planning relating to IDP and Budgeting is fully covered and reflected in the discussion under Component C paragraph 2.5 of this report.

The process as reflected above is fully aligned to the process proposed by National Treasury.

It has occurred that in certain instances that deadlines are not met due to unforeseen circumstances, such as delayed compilation and submission of reports. When such deviations occurred they were rectified in subsequent activities to ensure compliance. In order to tighten compliance with the Annual Report process the municipality has automated the management and monitoring of performance.

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#### **CHAPTER 2 – GOVERNANCE**

#### INTRODUCTION TO GOVERNANCE

The relationship of all structures of government are regulated by, in the first instance the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa and secondly by primary legislation governing local government, namely:

- The Local Government: Municipal Structures Act, 1998.
- The Local Government: Municipal Systems Act, 2000
- The Local Government: Municipal Finance Management Act, 2003

The Sedibeng District Municipality as a statutory body is a creature of the above mentioned legislation and therefore is sound by its dictates. Pursuant thereto it comprises of Political and Administration arms. The political arm is made up of politicians whilst the administrative one is of officials. The administration accounts to the political segment of the municipality.

It is important to note that the SDM is mindful of the fact that it does not exist in isolation of the other spheres of government. Pursuant thereto it has adopted an Inter-Governmental Relations Framework and policy. It has further established various IGR structures such as Joint Mayors Forum Joint CFO's Forum, etc. It further participates in structures beyond its borders, such as the Premier's Coordinating Forum and MEC/MMC Fora.

Through these structures alluded to above, SDM embarked on outreach campaigns and programmes to achieve its mandate and objectives. These activities focused on ensuring public accountability and participation in government.

In the ensuring discussion reference will be made to mechanisms that the SDM has employed in this regard.



#### **COMPONENT A: POLITICAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE GOVERNANCE**

#### INTRODUCTION TO POLITICAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE GOVERNANCE

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The Political segment of the municipality comprises of a Council (made up of 43 Councillors) and a Mayoral Committee (made up of 8 Councillors). The Chairperson of the Council is the Speaker whilst that of the Mayoral Committee is the Executive Mayor. The responsibility for the management of code of conduct of Councillors rests with the Chief Whip. This ensures harmonious relationships within Council.

All Councillors as politicians provide a bridge through which needs of communities and various stakeholders are channelled into the Council for consideration. The Executive Mayor takes full responsibilities for the execution of all policies and resolutions of the Council.

On the other hand the Administration is headed by the Municipal Manager who is supported by the Chief Operations Officer, Chief Financial Officer and Executive Directors. All other officials report to the afore mentioned top management. The Administration is tasked with the responsibility to render services to communities.

In order to ensure accountability the SDM has established structures that exercise oversight over Council and its Committees, as well Administration. These structures are:

- Municipal Public Accounts Committee (MPAC)
- Audit Committee (including Performance and Risk Management)

The two Committees ensure further that there is good governance within the municipality and the issue of compliance are considered paramount.

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#### 2.1 POLITICAL GOVERNANCE

#### **POLITICAL STRUCTURE**

#### **EXECUTIVE MAYOR**

Honourable Councillor Mahole Simon Mofokeng

#### **SPEAKER**

Councillor BusisiweModisakeng

#### **CHIEF WHIP**

Councillor Christina Sale

#### MAYORAL COMMITTEE/ EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Councillor S. Maphalla

Councillor Y. Mahomed

Councillor S.A. Mushudulu

Councillor M.E. Tsokolibane

Councillor B. Mncube

Councillor Z. Raikane

Councillor P.B.Tsotetsi

Councillor F. Mnguni

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#### **COUNCILLORS**

Sedibeng District Municipality (SDM) being a district municipality consists of 19 directly elected proportional representatives and seconded Councillors from local municipalities comprising the district. In this current term SDM consist of 48 Councillors arranged as follows: 19 proportional representatives and 29 seconded Councillors (23 Emfuleni LM, 3 Midvaal LM and 3 Lesedi LM). Political representation is thus 14 Democratic Alliance, 2 Pan African Congress and 32 African National Congress.

Refer to Appendix A where a full list of Councillors can be found (including committee allocations and attendance at council meetings).

Committees of Council established according to Local Government Structures Act of 1998, Section 33 are as follows:

**Elections Committee** 

**Ethics Committee** 

**Rules Committee** 

**Gender Committee** 

Municipal Public Accounts Committee

Petitions Management Committee

NB! A full detail of Councillors is provided in Appendix A and B. T2.1.2

#### POLITICAL DECISION-TAKING

The Administration develops report based on requests from Councillors, communities, individuals, and various stakeholders. These reports are then submitted firstly to various committees of council such as the committees established under Section 80 of the Local Government: Municipal Structures Act, 1998 (as amended). These Committees after extensive consideration the reports recommends to Mayoral Committee of full Council for final decision (resolution).

It sometimes happens that Councillors submit motions for consideration by full Council.

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#### 2.2 **ADMINISTRATIVE GOVERNANCE**

#### INTRODUCTION TO ADMINISTRATIVE GOVERNANCE

The Administration as headed by the Municipal Manager is run by the Chief Operations Officer, Chief Financial Officer and Executive Directors. All other officials report to the afore-mentioned top management. The Administration is tasked with the responsibility to render services to communities.

The administrative decisions within the Council are taken at different levels depending on their nature and the extent of delegation to the official taking such decisions. The Municipal Manager holds weekly meetings with the top management referred to above. It is at these meetings that decisions relating to operations within Council are taken. Authority to decide on matters is contained in a set of delegations that have been approved by council. Any deviation from the set rules and delegations is considered as misconduct and punishable in terms of the disciplinary procedures as adopted by council.

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#### **TOP ADMINISTRATIVE STRUCTURE**

#### **MUNICIPAL MANAGER**

Mr YunusChamda

#### **CHIEF OPERATIONS OFFICER**

Mr T I Mkaza

#### **CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER**

Mr B. Scholtz

#### **EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR: CORPORATE SERVICES**

Mrs M. Phiri-Khaole

#### **EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR: COMMUNITY SERVICES**

Mrs M. Mazibuko

#### **EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR: STRATEGIC PLANNING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

Ms M. Mahlulo

#### **EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR: TRANSPORT, INFRASTRUCTURE AND ENVIRONMENT**

Mr S. Manele

#### **COMPONENT B: INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS**

#### INTRODUCTION TO CO-OPERATIVE GOVERNANCE AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS

The Sedibeng District Municipality has an organised structure and function to implement successful programmes in Inter-Governmental Relations. The relevant Forums were operational in the year under review: The Joint Municipal Managers Forum and the Joint Mayor's Forum. Other functional-based Forums were also effective, the Chief Financial Officer's Forum, Environmental and Waste Management Forum, Road and Transport Forum, Sedibeng Records Forum, and IDP IGR Forum. The Provincial government conducted a District-wide Lekgotla workshop. The Sedibeng District undertaken two successful study tours in September 2011 to the Buffalo City and Mangaung Metro.

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#### 2.3 INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS

#### NATIONAL INTERGOVERNMENTAL STRUCTURES

The Sedibeng District receives correspondences from National IGR Forums and keep communication abreast. For instance, through CFO's Forum our municipality was invited to various sessions by the National Treasury.

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#### PROVINCIAL INTERGOVERNMENTAL STRUCTURE

Premier's Coordinating Forum, MEC/MMC Forum, Inter-sectoral broad-based Forum, and International Relations Forum. All Forums are found to be benefitting processes in our municipality. The province assists the District thorough IGR District-wide workshops and with provision of updated information.

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#### RELATIONSHIPS WITH MUNICIPAL ENTITITIES

NB! The Sedibeng District Municipality has no entities.

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#### DISTRICT INTERGOVERNMENTAL STRUCTURES

The Sedibeng District has functional Joint Committees wherein local municipalities participate. The Joint Mayors Forum, Joint Municipal Managers Forum, District IDP Forum, Transport IGR, Infrastructure IGR, Basic Services IGR, Municipal Health Services (MHS) IGR, Air Quality Management (AQM) IGR, Environmental Planning IGR, Sedibeng Regional Sanitation Scheme, Rural Development Forum, Farmers Forum, Business Forum, AIDS Council, etc. These IGR structures help the District to bridge the gap between departments, all spheres of government and itsthe communities.

The Budget & Treasury offices of the three local municipalities and the district municipality conduct formal engagements via vibrant and active dialogue facilitated through the CFOs Forum provided for in the IGR structures.

During this reporting period, pertinent issues discussed were related to the strategic focus of the region and the participation and contribution of financial and procurement management to the realisation of the goals as envisioned within the strategy of the GDS and the IDP of the region. These included the drafting of a long-term financial plan for the region, the development of tariff-structuring models with the aim to make tariffs more cost-reflective whilst not deterring from the pro-poor objectives of the region, a strategy to integrate supply chain databases, to develop a preferential procurement strategy for the region and to implement Project Operation Clean Audit (OPCA) as the region strives towards strengthening confidence in their financial management.

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#### **COMPONENT C: PUBLIC ACCOUNTABILITY AND PARTICIPATION**

#### **OVERVIEW OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTABILITY AND PARTICIPATION**

The Sedibeng District Municipality embarked on various programmes and projects with full participation of its stakeholders. The whole organisation, led by the Honourable Executive Mayor, Mr Simon MaholeMofokeng, rolled out activities such as Summits, IDP Stakeholder Participation, and Izimbizos to ensure public accountability and participation in government.

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#### 2.4 **PUBLIC MEETINGS**

The Sedibeng District Municipality rolled out intensive and extensive public engagement processes, including meetings,

events and consultations. These encompassed one on one stakeholder consultations and various community reach out programmes. A complete list of all public participation session is attached as Appendix D.

All public participation and commemorative events are publicized in various media to maximise attendance, thus used as means of educating and informing stakeholders about their rights, roles and significance of all municipal service delivery programmes and events.

The External Communications Directorate has employed the following participatory initiatives as part of deepening democracy:

- Interactive Radio interviews by the Executive Mayor, MMCs, Municipal Manager and other designated officials;
- Website updates on current service delivery programmes and campaigns;
- Newspaper interviews by the Executive Mayor, MMCs, Municipal Manager and other designated officials;
- Production of booklets and brochures on service delivery programmes and campaigns;
- Television interviews by the Executive Mayor, MMCs, Municipal Manager and other designated officials;
- General local & mainstream media coverage of our service delivery programmes & campaigns throughout the District;
- Interactive updating of the Executive Mayor's Facebook Page on the service delivery and other programmes;
- Placement of user-friendly newspaper & radio adverts in the local media;
- Production and distribution of pamphlets and posters throughout the District

#### WARD COMMITTEES

NB! The Sedibeng District Municipality has no Ward Committees.

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#### COMMENT ON THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE PUBLIC MEETINGS HELD:

NB! Comments on the effectiveness of public meetings have been included the Public Participation table above.

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#### 2.5 **IDP PARTICIPATION AND ALIGNMENT**

IDP Participation and Alignment Criteria*	Yes/No
Does the municipality have impact, outcome, input, output indicators?	Yes
Does the IDP have priorities, objectives, KPIs, development strategies?	Yes
Does the IDP have multi-year targets?	Yes
Are the above aligned and can they calculate into a score?	Yes
Does the budget align directly to the KPIs in the strategic plan?	Yes
Do the IDP KPIs align to the Section 57 Managers	Yes
Do the IDP KPIs lead to functional area KPIs as per the SDBIP?	Yes
Do the IDP KPIs align with the provincial KPIs on the 12 Outcomes	Yes
Were the indicators communicated to the public?	Yes
Were the four quarter aligned reports submitted within stipulated time frames?	No
* Section 26 Municipal Systems Act 2000	T2.5.1

#### INTRODUCTION TO IDP

Sedibeng District Municipalities had undertaken preparation and completed a 5 year IDP for the term starting in 2012/13 Financial Year to 2016/17.

The District council, in consultation with its local municipalities adopted a framework for the Integrated Development Planning (5) five year plan. The District and its Local Municipalities prepared a Process Plan within the Framework as agreed to by all the Municipalities in the District at the strategic session that was held in Maccauvlei on Thursday, 11 August 2011. The framework outlined procedures for coordination, consultation and alignment between the District and the Local Municipalities and therefore bind them. The Process Plan outlined all events detailing all events and activities involved leading to the drafting and completion of the Five year plan/ the Annual review.

In terms of the Municipal Systems Act, the Sedibeng District prepared an Organisational Performance Management system that linked to the IDP and Budget. The IDP, performance management systems (PMS) and budget are all components of one overall development planning and management system.

Since the integrated development planning is an inter-governmental system of planning which requires involvement of all three spheres of government, Sedibeng followed, to the latter, its IDP process plan to put together its final IDP document.

#### **COMPONENT D: CORPORATE GOVERNANCE**

- IGR Framework is implemented and the coordination is functional and effective.
- All MEC/MMC meetings are attended and reports brought back to the Mayoral Committee.
- Fraud and Corruption issues are being addressed in Licensing Centres in particular, and in all other departments.
- Capacity-building programmes undertaken by SDM continuously
- Code of Conduct for Councillors and Officials distributed to all
- Conducted Human Resource Audit and qualification verification to ensure that Council achieves outcome 9 deliverable
- Engaged in capacity building programmes for officials to meet minimum competency requirements
- Adhered to all legislative compliance requirements
- · All Committees of Council are fully functional
- Oversight Committees which are Audit and MPAC are all functional.
- Conducted internal financial procedures training
- Institutionalised internal Financial Controls
- Political Management Team is fully functional
- Established Local Labour Forum to ensure harmonious work place relationships with organised labour

#### 2.6 **RISK MANAGEMENT**

#### Introduction

In terms of the requirements of Section 62(1)(c)(i) of the Municipal Finance Management Act 56 of 2003 "the accounting officer of a municipality is responsible for managing the financial administration of the municipality, and must for this purpose take all reasonable steps to ensure that the municipality has and maintains effective, efficient and transparent systems of financial and risk management and internal control"

In terms of the requirements of Section 165(2)(a) and (b) of the Municipal Finance Management Act, 56 of 2003 internal audit is required to develop an annual internal audit plan which is risk based as well as a plan that addresses the review and evaluation of the municipality's risk management system.

The Sedibeng District Municipalityconducted an annual risk assessment process to identify, assess and rank the significant risks within Sedibeng. Business Innovations Group facilitated this process.

A Risk Management workshop for the identification of Organisational Strategic Risks was conducted for top management (MANCO) on 01 March 2012. The workshop produced a Strategic Risk Register. This Risk Assessment conducted per Cluster identified the operational risks which were populated in the risk registers. The Final Risk Assessment Report was tabled before the Audit Committee at its meeting held on 10 April 2012.

The Risk Management Policy and Framework were completed and approved by Council. Through discussions with the newly appointed Internal Auditors (Grant Thornton), it was agreed that the Internal Audit Unit will install the electronic system Barn Owl to use as an audit tool and also as a Risk identification and management tool in the 2012/13 financial year. The Business Continuity Plan and Disaster Recovery Plan have been reviewed by the Internal Auditors (Grant

Thornton) and will be tabled before Council in the 2012/13 Financial Year for approval.

#### 5 Key Risks and how they are being managed:

- 1. Capacity to implement programmes in economic development is constrained by unavailability of relevant human capital and skills within existing SDM employee compliment. Response: dedicated training as per PDP's and proposal to delink LED Department from Communications and other functions)
- 2. Inadequate regional sewer capacity impacts on development of SDM region. Response: accelerate RSS project with National and Provincial government.
- 3. The vision towards one municipal authority may not be achieved due to lack of political buy-in. Response: Continue to pursue demarcation of a Metro with MDB and consolidate political mandate for a Metro.
- 4 Inadequate management of staff costs due to internal and external factors. Response: Transfer EMS back to the Province, Pre-approval of overtime, Staff Reduction strategy underway.
- 5. Limited or reduced level of public participation within local government meetings. Response: Encourage active engagement on GDS, IDP, Budget to solicit comments and to respond to inputs beyond compliance.

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#### 2.7 ANTI-CORRUPTION AND FRAUD

An Anti-Fraud & Corruption Register has been developed and reported incidents of alleged fraudulent activities are captured therein. The Register is kept in the office of the Municipal Manager (COO) to regulate accessibility, due to its sensitivity.

The Sedibeng DM is providing a full basket of licensing services as an agent to the Gauteng Department of Roads and Transport. The licensing services are characterised by activities of fraud and corruption in the areas of vehicle registration and licensing, and in learner/driver testing areas.

The municipality is continually developing and implementing strategies to prevent fraud and corruption, and the following have been implemented in the under review: i) installation of CCTVs, ii) unannounced site visits by senior officials and politicians, iii) putting contact information of senior officials on the SDM website for direct complains from the public and media, iv) taking actions against those officials that are alleged to have committed fraud and corruption, v) installation of improved cash management systems (credit/debit card payment machines and on-site banking machines - drop safes) to minimise the amount of cash held by cashier at any given point.

For the 2011/12 year, five officials have been suspended and charges have been laid against them. Their misconducts have some elements of criminality and hence they will formally be reported to the law enforcement agencies.

The key risk areas are fraudulent registration and licensing of vehicles, and testing of learners and drivers. Future processes to be put in place as a deterrent are: i) extension of CCTV cameras to unmonitored areas, ii) installation of improved CCTV equipment that can be monitored off site, iii) establishment of a public relation desk, iv) shortening the turnaround time regarding disciplinary matters, v) establishment of the monitoring and evaluation unit, vi) exposing staff to care and growth development.

#### 2.8 SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

#### **OVERVIEW SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT**

NB! Detailed report on Supply Chain Management is in Chapter 5 of this Report.

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#### 2.9 BY-LAWS

Municipal Health Services (MHS) and the Air Quality Management (AQM) - management of Atmospheric Emission Licences, are district functions.

The SDM has started with the development of the MHS and AQM By-laws which are now in their 3rd draft. Representatives from the Local Municipalities, GDARD and DEA participated actively in the development process. The 4th drafts are almost complete and will be presented to Council in October 2012 in order to get approval and to start with the public consultation process.

This process will allow all stakeholders to comment on the draft by-laws upon which the final comments will be

incorporated before same is submitted again to Council for final adoption and promulgation.

The Sedibeng District Municipality have other active by-laws guiding the Tariffs in relation to Council facilities.

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#### 2.10 **WEBSITES**

Municipal Website: Content and Currency of Material				
Documents published on the Munucupality's / Entity's Website	Yes/No	Publishing Date		
Current annual and adjustments budgets and all budget-related documents	Yes	15/10/2012		
All current budget-related policies	No			
The previous annual report (Year1)	Yes	30/01/2012		
The annual report (Year 0) published/to be published	To be	30/01/2013		
All current performance agreements required in terms of section 57(1) (b) of the Municipal Systems Act (year 0) and resulting scorecards	Yes	06/10/2010		
All service delivery agreements	No			
All long-term borrowing contracts	No			
All supply chain management contracts above a prescribed value (give value) for year 0	No	(R30K) Ongoing		
An information staement containing a list of assets over a prescribed value that have been disposed of in terms of section 14 (2) or (4) during Year 1	No			
Contracts agreed in Year 0 to which subsection (1) of section 33 apply, subject to subsection (3) of that section	No			
Public-private partnership agreements referred to in section 120 made in Year 0	No			
All quarterly reports tabled in the council in terms of section 52 (d) during Year 0	No			
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#### COMMENT MUNICIPAL WEBSITE CONTENT AND ACCESS:

The Strategic Planning and Economic Development cluster, through its External Communication Directorate manages the Sedibeng website. All relevant documentation related to the District functions are uploaded onto the website for public accessibility and interaction with all communities.

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#### 2.11 **PUBLIC SATISFACTION ON MUNICIPAL SERVICES**

PUBLIC SATISFCATION LEVELS

Refer to Gauteng City Region Observatory (GCRO) – Quality of life survey.

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# CHAPTER 3 – SERVICE DELIVERY PERFORMANCE (PERFORMANCE REPORT PART I)

#### **INTRODUCTION**

The Sedibeng District Municipality renders very few services directly to residents. It only delivers the following direct services to communities:

- Licensing
- · Emergency Medical Services
- · Facilities e.g. Theatre, Halls

Further information on the above mentioned services is comprehensively captured under the same titles here under.

Over and above these services the municipality plays a coordinating and facilitation role. For instance it developed a Growth and Development Strategy for the entire Region.

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#### **COMPONENT A: BASIC SERVICES**

This component includes: water; waste water (sanitation); electricity; waste management; and housing services; and a summary of free basic services.

#### **INTRODUCTION TO BASIC SERVICES**

The Sedibeng District Municipality is a District municipality and therefore does not render most of the basic service safe to co-ordinate these services where it covers more than one municipality and is of a regional nature, such as the Regional Sewer Scheme. Detailed information on these services is provided for by Local Municipalities and where the SDM plays a role it is covered in this Annual Report.

The SDM does not have entities that are operated separately from the Council. It however has facilities which are intended to be run as separate entities. These are the Fresh Produce Market, Vereeniging Aerodrome, Vereeniging and Mphatlalatsane Theatres

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#### 3.1. WATER PROVISION

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The function of water provision resides with the local municipalities in the Sedibeng region. The Sedibeng DM can therefore not account on this item.

#### 3.2 WASTE WATER (SANITATION) PROVISION

The function of waste water provision resides with the local municipalities in the Sedibeng region. The Sedibeng DM can therefore not account on this item.

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#### 3.3 ELECTRICITY

The function of electricity resides with the local municipalities in the Sedibeng region. The Sedibeng DM can therefore not account on this item.

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## 3.4 WASTE MANAGEMENT (THIS SECTION TO INCLUDE: REFUSE COLLECTIONS, WASTE DISPOSAL, STREET CLEANING AND RECYCLING)

The function of waste management resides with the local municipalities in the Sedibeng region. The Sedibeng DM can therefore not account on this item.

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#### 3.5 HOUSING

#### **HOUSING**

The responsibility to deliver housing and to address housing needs in the Sedibeng District Municipality rest with the provincial and local government. The functions of the Provincial Housing Department are to:

- · Formulate Provincial Housing Policy;
- · Create Provincial Legislation;
- Support and Intervene where Municipalities are unable to deliver housing;
- · Coordinate Provincial Initiatives;
- Prepare and maintain a multi-year programme;

While the Sedibeng District Municipality is required, in consultation with the provincial department, to:

- · Prepare a Sustainable Human Settlement Plan;
- · Promote housing projects by developers;
- · Establish structures to execute projects;
- · Facilitate and support role player participation in housing.

The Municipal Housing Development Plan was presented to council and incorporated in the IDP.

In Keeping the Housing projects statistics, the detailed housing projects and progress reports has been tabled before the council for noting and the following worth mentioning:

It should be noted that Meyerton Sewer Works is at full capacity and that affects future housing developments in Midvaal Local Municipality. Housing projects have been put on hold up until the sewer works has been upgraded. Vaal Marina sewer works also has to be upgraded as well to be able to service the new development of Mamello. To avert all this problems, the construction of the regional sewer works has to be speeded up to avoid delay in housing development.

To assist in resolving Housing beneficiaries queries, a total of 1385 Housing beneficiaries' queries has been resolved out of 1746 reported.

Four quarterly reports on Evaton Renewal have been submitted to council indicating that Mafatsane Government complex, Temporary Reallocation Village and Show Village has been completed.

#### Land for development for the Sicelo community

The suitable land for housing development has been identified in De Deur and geo-technical study has been conducted. The Gauteng Department of Local Government and Housing is currently negotiating with the private owner to buy the land. The land identified falls outside Midvaal Urban Edge and will have to be incorporated once is procured. The development is progressive.

#### **Tshepiso North Ext3**

The construction is progressing very well. A total of 1107 houses are in different stages of construction in the 2011/12 financial year. Approximately 122 houses have been allocated. The current challenge is the invasion of about 108 incomplete houses. The Province has appointed the service provider to evict the illegal occupants.

#### Tshepiso North Ext 1

In Tshepiso North Ext 1, 272 houses were completed and allocated. Township register not opened yet -transfer cannot take place

#### **Boipatong (Back Yard Upgrading)**

The Backyard Upgrading programme in Boipatong progressed well in 2011/12. The programme is to be rolled out in other areas in the Region. E.gSharpeville ,Sebokeng and Ratanda

#### Lakeside Ext 4

Construction of 143 houses have been started at Lakeside Ext 4 and 26 houses have been completed the rest will be completed in the financial year.

#### Mamello

Midvaal Local Municipality has approved township establishment and the Gauteng Department of Local Government and Housing and is in the process of opening a township register. The project is planned to construct 600 houses.

#### **Tshepong Proper**

The project is 100% completed. A total of 459 houses have been allocation.

The challenge is that 210 houses which were illegally invaded during December month 2011 and the MEC had intervened by evicting the illegal occupants.

#### Sebokeng Ext 24

A total number of houses built is 511. However the challenge is that 13 of the houses were occupied illegally. Letters of eviction have been delivered to these occupants.

#### **Bophelong (Chris Hani) Informal Settlement**

The project Chris Hani Informal Settlement Project is at planning Stage. It is envisaged that implementation will be in 2012/13 financial year. The current focus is on the relocation of the households to an alternative site. The Professional Regional Team (PRT) has been requested to investigate whether Environment Impact Assesment (EIA) will be required to relocate people to airport area, and also do layouts plan for basic services. The project is intended to accommodate 165 stands. The intention is for Province to purchase a land from private owners in the area in collaboration with Emfuleni Local Municipality (ELM).

#### **Sonderwater**

Houses have not been constructed due to the delay caused by the termination of the contractor who was not performing. Tender for the appointment of new contractorhas been made and construction will resume in the financial year 2012/2013.

#### **New Village**

A total of 145 houses are completed. Phase 2 will follow in the next financial year 2012/2013.

#### **RUSTERVAAL (Phase2)**

The feasibility report has been completed for Rustervaal, Phase 2 but needs to be revised by the Professional Regional Team. It is envisaged that construction will commence once the sewer capacity is has been upgrade

#### Johandeo

Construction of houses 1540 completed except for 350 outstanding houses which need to be built. Another contractor is to be appointed in the year 2012/2013 to complete the project.

#### **Westside Park**

The Department, GDLG&H is in a process of purchasing land at Westside Park from the private land owner for the purpose of constructing low cost houses. The purchase agreement signed and stands in process to be transferred to Emfuleni Local Municipality. 193 stands are identified which have approved beneficiaries. Some stands are serviced partially.

#### **Old Vereeniging Hospital**

The project will form part of the Urban Development in the Region which will entails developing rental stock at the Old Vereeniging Hospital. However, the development has been halted due to the fact that the buildings are over 65 years old and are regarded as National Heritage. The Department of Housing and Rural Development has engaged the provincial Heritage Resource Agency for the permission to demolish old buildings. GDLG&H has appointed PRT to do feasibility study and identify the land owner. The report is near completion.

#### Kwama-Siza Hostel Redevelopment

Land has been procured for the Kwama-Siza Hostel Redevelopment, appointment of contractor is complete and the project was launched in January 2012, which will accommodate about 672 families well.

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#### 3.6 FREE BASIC SERVICES AND INDIGENT SUPPORT

These services reside with the local municipalities in the Sedibeng region.

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#### **COMPONENT B:ROAD TRANSPORT**

This component includes: Roads, Transport, and Waste water (storm-water drainage) T3.7

#### 3.7 **ROADS**

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The Gauteng Department of Roads and Transport finally commenced with the upgrading of the R82 after numerous submissions by the district for the need to upgrade the road. The SDM replaced old tourism signage in the district and put new directional signage on major routes in the Emfuleni area and these gave directions to all major areas and places of significance in our region. It is now easy for people travelling on our roads to recognize and reach areas in our region with ease.

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#### 3.8 TRANSPORT (INCLUDING VEHICLE LICENSING & PUBLIC BUS **OPERATION**)

#### a. Vehicle licensing.

The license department has a strategy in place which was devised based on a number of problems and concerns ranging from minor to serious of nature. This strategy addresses the following:

- Upgrading of the Vereeniging LSC,
- Capacity building and training of personnel,
- · Proper and secure cash management activities,
- Extension of the driver license testing terrains, and
- The development of a proper document management and filling system.

Major successes achieved thus far in relation to the above include amongst other:

- In excess of thirty personnel members has been trained as examiners of driver license,
- Cash management systems installed includes credit and debit card payment facilities, drop safes and cash counting and authentication equipment.

The major challenge faced in achieving all the financial dependent projects is the fact that the SDM faces financial constraints.

- Despite challenges the department faced, it still managed to:
- Provide a more effective cash management system and reduce risks.
- Build a more than adequate pool of qualified examiners to meet the demand for learner- and driver license testing.
- Achieved an acceptable level of success despite a huge personnel shortage.

Over and above the challenges, the license department met the financial goals set for it in the 2011/2012 financial year by an unexpected percentage.

### b. Public bus operation.

None of the municipalities in the Sedibeng region has the function of public bus operation. The Sedibeng DM can therefore not account on this item.

### c. Public transport facilities.

The Sedibeng District Municipality in partnership with the Gauteng Department of Roads and Transport has built and completed the Bophelong Public Transport Facility. The facility will also be having formal selling stalls for local community which will help in job creation and poverty alleviation. The cost of the project was R26 million.

The district further mobilized funds for the upgrading of Vereeniging Taxido Junction and the Station. This will be a partnership among the Sedibeng DM, PRASA (Passenger Rail Agency of South Africa) and the Gauteng Department of Roads and Transport. The project will be implemented over a period of three years, from 2012 to 2014. This will help in coping with almost more than 210% over supply of taxis in the Taxido Junction which is a regional public transport facility in the region.

The District together with Local Municipalities helped the National Leadership of SANTACO (South African National Taxi Council) to launch the Operation Hlokomela in the region. We hosted both their President and Secretary. The campaign seeks to improve the image of taxi industry among commuters and forge good relationship with Government to reduce rate of accidents involving the taxi industry.

# · Transport and Infrastructure

Implement Public Transport Plan.

Consultative and engagement meetings held with the operators, the industry, the registrar, and Province.

The meetings were intended to raise support and possible funding from Province regarding the development of the strategy to integrate all modes of transport. Fortunately Province and PRASA have started upgrading public transport facilities into public intermodal transport facilities that caters for all modes of uses – trains, buses, taxis, cars, and bicycles.

The meetings with the industry and the registrar were for the purposes of continual data collection and capturing, but the challenge has been funding to annually update the data and information of the Integrated Transport Plan – a key support factor in lobbying for funding for the upgrading and construction of public transport facilities in the region.

Consultations ongoing with the LMs and Province on the clear role of local government following the devolution of the public transport authority to local govern.

The Department of Transport has invited the SDM to the establishment of the steering committee for the development of the SLA between the DoT and PRASA with regard to commuter rail services. The DoT says that in a long term a regional service level agreement between PRASA and the Metros will be entered into. This is the first step of the devolution

The LMs see the transport matters as the district function but the transport authority lies with the GDRT.

The attendance by the LMs of the Provincial IGRs is very poor. It is therefore difficult for the SDM to convey deliberations

and outcomes of the Provincial IGRs to the LMs as the District IGRs are dysfunctional.

PRASA, GDRT and the SDM have all committed funding to upgrade the Vereeniging Station and Taxi Rank to the tune of R100m.

The 1st PSC was held in November 2011 wherein PRASA reported that according to their project programme, the design and supervision consultant will be appointed in February 2012. The Consultant has however just been appointed in June 2012

The TIE Cluster is preparing to convene the 2nd PSC in August 2012 as we are waiting for a formal correspondence from PRASA on the appointment of the consultant.

The TIE Cluster successfully handed over the bicycles to the learners in the Midvaal and Emfuleni areas during the Shovaka-Lula event on the 12 June 2012 at the premises of the Midvaal Engineering Services.

The event was a low profile but successful and well attended by all the stakeholders. However, the GDRT MEC, the EMs of the SDM, the ELM, and the MLM sent their apologies. The SDM and the MLM were represented by their respective MMCs.

Few learners were symbolically handed the bicycles on the day, but formally all the bicycles were going to be transported to the respective schools in two to three days after the event.

Continue to attend meeting and lobbying for support at the provincial level. The GDRT is taking the lead in this respect.

NWU and its partners are still engaging MITTAL on the land and other issues.

The waste management license has been issued for the proposed new wastewater treatment works has been issued by the Gauteng Department of Agriculture and Rural Development.

Expansion of Meyerton WWTW - progress has been made with the detail design of the biological reactor and detail drawings have been prepared.

The National Treasury granted permission to procure the Project Implementation Office.

Emfuleni Local Municipality has been engaging with the City of Johanessburg to finalise the Service Level Agreement with regarding to the Sebokeng Works.

Section 80 report is being prepared.

Some basic plans received from the LMs and they need some analyzing. The outcome of the analyses will be reported to the Section 80.

The DBSA has done some basic study and consultation is ongoing for the availability of the study. The CSIR will be invited into the proposed study. Lack of internal funding is a challenge.

The Basic Services IGR is dysfunctional. The water, sanitation, and electricity authority lies with the LMs.

The project will be informed by the Provincial project on the development of the Gauteng Strategic Road Framework. GDRT has completed the project and we are waiting for the draft report to be made available. This project will provide the long term (25yrs plus) development of the major road infrastructure in the province.

The section of the report that pertains to the Sedibeng region will be pulled out and compiled into the SDM Strategic Road Framework.

The ELM road signage project is complete and it is in the retention phase until June 2012.

The MLM and the LLM road signage projects were kept on hold due to lack of funding. Their respective tender documents are ready for advertisement once funding is made available.

The SDM is not a Road Authority, LMs and GDRT are the only owners (authorities) of road infrastructure in the Sedibeng regional road network. Our Infrastructure IGRs are therefore being seen as coordination meetings (and hence are less attractive to attend) as the SDM does not have the funding capacity for road infrastructure development and maintenance nor does it have the authority to enforce road infrastructure norms and standards of development and maintenance.

The attendance by the LMs of the Provincial IGRs is very poor. Conveying the IGR deliberations and outcomes to the LMs becomes difficult if not impossible as the District IGRs are dysfunctional.

The GDRT has announced late last year that five streets in Sharpeville will be tarred, but to date no work has started yet.

The list of roads projects for maintenance and upgrading to be done by the GDRT in their 2012/13 year has been submitted to Council.

This policy, the framework which was developed by GDRT, will assist the LMs to collect the road infrastructure developer contribution. We have developed the Terms of Reference (tender document) and it has been signed off by the Bid Specification Committee. However, we were not allowed to go out on tender as the funding for the project has not been approved.

Document management and filling system at licensing centers poses a serious threat in that i) the files get missing, ii) police work is hampered, iii) incorrect filing and management of licensing documents provides a fertile ground for fraud and corruption activities, iv) the papers that are lying all over the place are a high fire risk, etc.

Quotations were requested from service providers to pack, seal, transport, and offload the storage boxes at the identified room at Technorama. The challenge to continue with the project is first and foremost lack of funding to finance the removal of files, lack of funding to procure scanners to scan and destroy the files, lack of funding to convert the identified room at Technorama to house the high security licensing files. Also, the management at Technoramaare saying that no space is available as all the building have been earmarked for their programmes.

Due to a shortage of personnel full compliance of the Best Practice Model and hence to the SLA is not possible.

The required stages of the BPM (enquiries, receiving, verification, implementation, and cashiering) are continuously being sacrificed as a result of staff shortages.

The Drop Safes and the Credit/Debit Card Machines have been installed in all licensing centers and all are in operations.

There are small challenges with the Drop Safes in that the money slots are a bit slow, about 3-5 minutes on average when depositing large amount of cash. Due to lack of personnel, Cashiers are unable to leave their post to do banking as Customers always complain using bad language. The Cashiers hence prefers to do banking at closing time after 15:00.

Due to a shortage of personnel full compliance of the BPM is not possible. Only ad hoc checks and inspections are made.

Preliminary reservations made for two personnel members to be trained as Examiners of Vehicles at the GPG's training college despite the training project not having started due to a lack of funds. The department in conjunction with the HR Department could not secure the funds to cover the costs for the training.

The cost of upgrading the Vereeniging Licensing building has been determined as R7.0m at 2010 rates.

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### Improve local public services and broaden access (Licensing):

For faster service at licensing centres, the municipality has introduced credit card payment system at licensing centres which were not available previously. users have welcomed the service as cash does not need to be carried.

Integration of the licensing centres into one single Sedibeng licensing code (renewals of car license disc can be done anywhere in the Sedibeng region and not only at the local licensing office).

The training of licensing officials into examiners – more capacity to train members of the public for drivers licenses.

Separate unannounced site visits by the portfolio committee, mayoral committee and MANCO to the licensing centres to interact with members of the public to solicit comments on the quality service delivery.

#### 3.9 WASTE WATER (STORMWATER DRAINAGE)

This service is provided by the local municipality. T3.9.1

# **COMPONENT C: PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT**

This component includes: planning; and local economic development.

INTRODUCTION TO PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

T3.10

#### 3.10 **PLANNING**

### **PLANNING**

Spatial Development Framework (SDF)

SDF is a key legislative mechanism to address the numerous developmental challenges of the District. A number of these challenges considered and interpreted by the SDF include:

- a. Integrating the urban spatial form created under apartheid to separate townships from economic areas;
- b. Addressing the services backlogs for the poorest of the poor and the market-related residential development property boom and catering for population growth via densification in major nodes
- c. Providing an effective and affordable district-wide public transportation network that takes into account the reliance of the low-income communities on public transport (at a greater relative monthly cost) and conversely, the dependence of middle income communities on private modes;

In the current year under review the Regional SDF was reviewed and included in the latest approved IDP

In 2007, Sedibeng District Municipality developed the 2010 Strategy. In 2008 Sedibeng District Municipality contracted Arup to investigate the possibility of the kind of Sustainable Development that can be engaged on, in order to develop Sedibeng District. Arup presented an Urban Development Framework which was known as Arup Document. The results identified the following areas for further exploring:

- 1. Sharpeville Precincts
- Sports Precincts: George Thabe Stadium and surrounding sports facilities
- Heritage Precincts: Sharpeville hall, Exhibition Centre, and Constitution walks
- Recreation Precincts: Dhlomo Dam and its surrounding area
- 2. **Vereeniging Civic Precincts**
- 3. **Waterfront Precincts**

The results of the investigation necessitated the need to apply for funding with the National Treasury (NDP Grant). The funding was approved but limited to urban renewal in the in the former disadvantaged areas. Below is the progress on Sharpeville Precinct projects and Feasibility studies done around the Sedibeng District Municipality as contained in the 2011/2012 Integrated Development Plans..

### **Exhibition Centre**

The construction of the Sharpeville Exhibition Centre was completed on the 20th of June 2012 and hand over to the Department of Sports, Recreation, Arts, Culture and Heritage. The project created 85 temporally employment were 60% employed was Youth, 14% women and 1% Disable person. Eight SMME'S that are HDE were granted sub-contracting to the value of R 2 340 679.80.

### **Constitution Walk**

The construction part of the Constitution Walk has been completed and the only outstanding part is sculpture and the statues of which funding is a challenge. Local SMME from Sharpeville has been appointed to do maintenance for the next six months. The project has already created on average 67 temporally employment were 56 % employed was Youth, 24% women. Eleven SMME'S that are HDE were granted sub-contracting.

### Sharpeville Hall

The construction of Sharpeville Hall has been completed. Handover was done on the 10th of December 2011 but only made available for public use from the first of March 2012 due to hitches which had to be fixed for public safety. The

project created on average 46 temporally employment were 34% employed was Youth, 41% women and 1% Disable person.

Forty people from Sharpeville were trained in various trades were issued with certificates after successful completion of the training programme. Twelve SMME'S that are HDE were granted sub-contracting to the value of R 4 147 950, 81.

### **Boipatong Memorial and Youth Centre**

The construction of Boipatong Memorial and Youth Centre has begun where brick work is at 48%, electricity at 35% and storm water drainage at 80%. Nine local sub-contractors were appointed. Sixty people were trained and employed in the project under EPWP. The project is managed by the Gauteng Department of infrastructure Development

### Lesedi and Midvaal Local Municipalities Feasibility Studies

No progress was made in the development of feasibility studies in Lesedi and Midvaal Local Municipalities as the National treasury has changed the terms of reference for technical assistance. The Professional teams are now required to develop precinct plans and projects. The total allocated funding for projects is R 23.7 Million as per council Resolution No. A1039

### **Emfuleni Feasibility Study**

The final Business Plan and projects Plans for Emfuleni Local Municipality has been completed and submitted to National Treasury. The total allocated funding for projects is R 184 Million as per council Resolution No. A1039

### Doornkuil

With regards to a local development plan for the Doornkuil area in Walkerville and the area in the around the Vereeniging Fresh Produce Market no development plans were made due of capacity within the Development planning directorate

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### 3.11 LOCAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT (INCLUDING TOURISM AND MARKET PLACES)

### **LOCAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT (LED)**

# **Sedibeng District Municipality Incentive Policy**

The Sedibeng District Municipality has developed incentive framework with incentive packages which was aimed at providing enabling environment for growth and development of the Emfuleni, Lesedi, and Midvaal economies. Its main purpose is to eliminate the discrepancies between these economies in terms of provided incentives and formulate a uniform approach to promotion of investment and economic growth in these areas.

The primary purpose of the incentive package, i.e. is the elimination of competition between the Midvaal, Lesedi, and Emfuleni LMs in terms of investment attraction.

The objectives of this goal are as follows:

- Develop an incentive package addressing the needs of all three municipalities and;
- Develop incentives that promote healthy competition between three municipalities.

To date SDM developed an Incentive policy for the Region. The package has been completed at the level of the District; however it has not yet been approved. The approval requires a structured public participation process to obtain comments and feedback from businesses.

The presentation was conducted for the mayoral committee for finalisation and it has been canvassed amongst the business role players and private companies. It was recommended that the locals must implement the policy as soon as it has been adopted by the council.

### Industrial Development Zones (IDZ)

The Industrial Development Zones that encourage exports hold "real opportunity", particularly for low or unskilled unemployed people in areas like logistics, light manufacturing and other industries, but this would require "bold and radical action". The information availed to SDM by Emfuleni shows that the process is very cumbersome and ideally the

district must support Emfuleni and other locals' initiatives.

The Lesedi Local Municipality had a number of Zones which were clearly captured in the Lesedi Nodal & Corridor Development Study with the advantage of the N3 connection and other identified flagship projects such as Zone of Opportunity, Heidelberg Showground Industrial Township, Southern Gateway Logistical Hub and Transnet Bulk Liquid

These potential IDZ'S also exists in Midvaal especially along the R 59 because of the upcoming industries along and adjacent Heineken.

It was initially thought that SDM must take one IDZ and make a real go of it. This would see the relaxation of labour regulation, package of incentives in place, whatever is required, and experiment what happens. If it were to takes off, well, then the district would know, and build and creates a momentum, The SDM has equally identified the opportunities and advantages that come with the establishment of an IDZ.

But due to some challenges that affected well known IDZ'S COEGA the DTI opted for new approach of promoting Special Economic Zones. LED SDM attended a workshop on Special Economic Zones Framework (SEZ's) for the Gauteng Province and SDM submitted proposals for an IDZ. The SDM has equally identified the opportunities and advantages that come with the establishment of an IDZ. In an effort to work together with the locals SDM supported the submission of the logistical by Emfuleni Local Municipality.

### **Implement Steel Industry Sector Support Strategy**

The metals, energy and construction sectors have been identified as the main manufacturing sub-sectors in the Sedibeng District. The Sedibeng Steel Sector Support Programme has adequately attended to challenges and problems facing the steel industry in the district. 10 SMMEs in the Steel sector benefitting from down and upstream beneficiation in the steel industry. More than 10 SMME'S were presented with DTI Incentives schemes and GEP opportunities, to access both training and financial support.

The consultant has submitted the report indicating opportunities and challenges that needs to be attended to by the province, district, steel forum and other steel sector role players. i.e. there is an opportunity for the revival and development of the foundry industry and one challenge is that, the industry is experiencing difficulties in attracting highly skilled entrants

### **Construction Sector Economy.**

The previous 5 year IDP identified the construction sector as one area of economic growth for the district. In an effort to realise the assumption above the district developed terms of reference and framework to source outside funding to fund the construction sector strategy.

The district further consulted stakeholders and strategic role players in the industry to consolidate support and inputs through public participation. The CIDB has been requested to directly assist and identify other potential partners for the development of Construction Strategy

## **Agriculture**

There is no officially adopted definition of rural areas. Most departments define rural areas as "the sparsely populated areas in which people farm or depend on natural resources, including the villages and small towns that are dispersed through these areas. In addition, they include the large settlements in the former homelands, created by the apartheid removals, which depend for their survival on migratory labour and remittances." (Rural Development Framework of 1997).

LED consulted relevant stakeholders to get more inputs and identify priority areas aligned to amongst others Outcome 7.

Each of the 12 outcomes has a delivery agreement which in most cases involves all spheres of government and a range of partners outside government.

At the end of April At the end of April 2010, the President signed performance agreements with all 34 Cabinet Ministers. In these performance agreements, Ministers were requested to establish an Implementation Forum for each of the twelve outcomes. In each implementation forum Ministers and all other parties responsible for delivering on an outcome, will develop a Delivery Agreement. All departments, agencies and spheres of government involved in the direct delivery process required to achieve an output, should be party to the agreement.

The unit engaged the Gauteng Division of Rural Development to request for both funding and technical assistance towards developing the strategy.

One of the mostly identified difficulties for the farmers and especially the upcoming ones is the issue of capacity and skills to practice sustainable agriculture. The LED worked organisations such as IDT and AGRISA, to source help for capacity building.

The formal relationship with AGRISA Gauteng in extending their capacity building initiatives for emerging farmers and other related support is being solicited. To date they gave technical support to farmers in Lesedi in pest control, harvesting, marketing and other related agricultural skills.

On the other hand financial support and non financial support remains ongoing challenges for the agricultural sector. The SDM submitted 10 cooperatives to IDT, to source help for capacity building and funding. In terms of the policy of the EPWP non-state sector only one cooperative successfully met the funding criteria. The cooperative concerned was women's cooperative farming herbs next to Sebokeng Hostel.

SDM Projects further were submitted projects to both GDARD and DED for funding consideration. The projects have been captured and confirmed by GDARD and DED for future assistance.

The members of the community continue to submit applications for accessing land from the department of rural development and land reform (DRDLR). Gauteng Rural Development and Land Reform meetings, which screened potential land applicants set for the whole year and some beneficiaries, were allocated farms. The SDM is only awaiting the audited beneficiaries which are confined to borders of the district.

### **SMME'S & Cooperatives**

The development and support of SMME'S and cooperatives remains critical to sustained economic growth and job creation targets. Sedibeng District Municipality in partnership with BHP Billitong graduated 20 SMME'S through an enterprise development programme run by Raizcorp (BHP Billiton Enterprise Development Programme).

This support was also extended to one SMME which was referred to GEP for processing of a loan for a laundry business. The beneficiary of the referral was a military veteran who was based in Sebokeng but unfortunately passed upon approval of his loan. The other SMME' was linked to Raizcorpprogramme for Bottle Cleaning Machine which was bought by BHP Billiton to establish a small factor in Duncanville.

SDM LED facilitated a number of partnerships aimed at establishing working relations on SMME and Co-operatives Development and SDM supported a process undertaken by ELM to have SEDA operating in the district. These partnerships were arranged with SEDA, IDT, BHP Billiton and business chambers. GEP is one of the regional partners that SDM is soliciting long term partnership with and to date much progress has been done in various aspects.

SDM took part in the PLATO programme which is an SMME'S empowerment programme implemented together with Johannesburg Chamber of Commerce & Industry (JCCI). The programme focuses on training and mentoring SMME'S and cooperatives on business skills and incubation programmes

The BBBEE summit amongst others resolved that the established SMME'S, cooperatives, upcoming businesses must be trained and empowered in understanding the legislative framework government both public and private procurement. In order to achieve the objectives and resolutions as stated DED conducted an empowerment workshop on the alignment of PPPFA and BBBEE and this took place on the 7th December 2011.

The SDM has established partnerships with BBBEE rating agencies to assist mainly SMME'S and cooperatives acquire BEE certificates and in construction CIDB has been also taken on board for ratings purposes.

The meetings and briefing sessions were held with Evaton LED Advisory Centre on 27 September to assist on their needs to assist them with information relating SDM procurement processes and SMME'S/Cooperatives development programmes.

### **Sedibeng United Business Forum**

For approximately past 15 years, business and broader private sector role players of Sedibeng District operated and conducted their activities in a more fragmented manner. This has been evident in meetings and engagements the district held in the past 15 years with the business itself. In the light of this reality a number of unfortunate and undesirable situations developed ranging from unfounded perceptions to distortions with regard to government programmes.

It is against this background that the Sedibeng United Business Forum was launched to respond to challenges and problems faced by the business sector. The Sedibeng District municipality initiated a process of facilitating the unity of purpose for different business chambers existing within the district.

The SDM has further involved other spheres of government to give more support to the forum and DTI has welcomed our relationships on programmes that are of national priority. e.g. United Business Forum.

It is therefore important to note that Sedibeng United Business Forum was launched on 15 November 2011 at Stone haven on Vaal and meetings are constantly held. The business chambers which form part of the forum are as follows;

NAFCOC Sedibeng VanderbijlparkSakekamer Vereeniging Sakekamer Heidelberg Sakekamer MidvaalSakekamer Roshgold Investment Holdings.

The Vaal 21 projects and flagship projects have been identified. It was however felt at one stage that due to the magnitude of work and related needs required to implement these projects there must be prioritisation of certain projects.

### Second GenerationDevelopment Strategy (SGDS)

The Second Generation SGDS Summit was held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2011 at Emerald Casino. In the summit the SGDS was reviewed and new priorities were identified and updated. The flagship projects in the Second Generation SGDS only require implementation.

### **Skills Forum**

The deliverable was moved to HR and Knowledge Management.

### **LED Major Projects**

### Sedibeng FabLab

The Sedibeng FabLab initiative was adopted after Gauteng Department of Economic Development (DED) had engagement with Sedibeng District Municipality around establishment and implementation of the project. The Department adopted Sedibeng FabLab project as part of its objectives to develop and promote Urban and Township development. Further, the Department of Economic Development ensured that the conceived project would stimulate and localise economic activity in Sebokeng.

A Project Steering Committee comprising of Sedibeng LED officials, DED officials and CSIR officials will be established to oversee the planning, organizing and providing technical support to the Project Steering Committee. The PSC will be mainly responsible for the overall management of the project, development of implementation plans, appointments of implementing agent, facilitating the process of identifying beneficiaries of the project. The committee will develop schedule of meetings for the accomplishment of the above.

### · Bio-Digester

Sedibeng District Municipality is aiming to initiate and develop sustainable projects to be sanctioned and implemented. The introduction of a renewable energy and energy efficiency programs in an area being one of the SDM targets. A Biofuel Processing and Demonstration Project, as a community based pilot project that reuses organic waste (vegetables; fruits; cow dung; and garden wastes); as biomass feedstock to generate bio-fuel in a bio-digester- is to be introduced in the region.

Bio-fuel technology involves collecting sufficient supply of discard organic matter in the form of decayed vegetables and fruits; cow dung or human waste; as well as garden materials to produce biogas from the digester. The technology re-uses discard organic matter to process and harvest biogas for cooking and lighting.

The end product of the process will result in production of the rich organic fertilizer - which is harvested when the bio-digester tank reaches its intake and carrying capacity. It is environmentally friendly input to soil rehabilitation for gardening and organic food as well as herb production. The project is at the final stage of bid adjudication stage.

The earmarked place for project implementation is two schools in Sharpeville due to the availability of kraal manure for

pilot purposes.

### **TOURISM**

### Tourism promotion and development progress report

### **Background and Mandate:**

### **Constitution and Structures Act:**

The mandate of the Tourism Sector in Sedibeng is vested in the Constitution, 1996 of the Republic of South Africa. The Constitution requires that national legislation must make provision for an appropriate division of powers and functions between municipalities when an area has both district and local municipalities. The powers and functions are derived from the local government matters in Schedule 4B and 5B of the Constitution. Parliament has provided for further national legislation in Chapter 5 of the Structures Act. Schedule 4B of the Constitution; read with sections 84(1) and 84(2) of the Structures Act, a district municipality has the power and function to promote local tourism for the area of the area of the district municipality. Local municipalities have the remaining powers related to tourism in their respective areas.

### **National Tourism Act:**

The National Tourism Act makes provision for the promotion of tourism to and in the RSA. It establishes the SA Tourism Board and regulates the registration of tourist guides.

### **National Tourism Strategy:**

The National Tourism Strategy contributes towards sustainable tourism growth and development for South Africa in line with the Tourism Act, 1993 as amended and the White Paper on the Development and Promotion of tourism in South Africa and specifically addresses institutional arrangements at local level.

### **Gauteng Tourism Authority Institutional Framework:**

This comprehensive strategy serves as a model for the management of tourism within the province of Gauteng. It addresses a wide range of activities and plans to align all stakeholders in the tourism industry. Of particular importance is the establishment of a Regional Tourism Organization as a vehicle between district municipalities, private sector and communities.

## **National and Provincial Outcomes:**

The Tourism Department of the Sedibeng District Municipality responds to Outcome 4 and 10 of the National Growth Plan.

### **Sedibeng Growth and Development Strategy:**

The Tourism Sector responds to the pillar "Reinventing the Economy" in the Sedibeng Growth and Development Strategy, which aims to reinvent the economy from and old to a new by consolidating existing sectors and exploring new sectors to ensure shared and inclusive economic growth, build a local economy and to create more employment and sustainable livelihoods.

### LONG TERM GOALS:

- · Promote tourism in the region through the coordination and facilitation of:
- the establishment of sustainable tourism structures
- · tourism transformation
- · the development of people and decent work within the sector
- · the increase in domestic tourists to contribute to the local economy
- · the entrenchment of a tourism culture among Sedibeng residents
- the positioning of Sedibeng as a tourism destination.
- · the development and maintenance of tourism infrastructure, cultural and heritage attractions.
- the development of tourism products
- tourism research and information
- tourism quality assurance (ensure world-class visitor experience)
- tourism skills development
- PROGRESS ON KEY DELIVERABLES AND KEY PERFORMANCE INDICATATORS FOR 2011/2012

In order to achieve the objectives and goals to promote and develop the tourism and leisure sectors in the region, the following projects and programmes were initiated and achieved during the 2011/2012 financial year:

### Establish regional tourism structures (RTO)

The Interim Regional Tourism Association was established in 2010 to assist Council to establish a regional tourism structure. The Interim Regional Tourism Association met 12 times during 2011/2012. A Business plan, inclusive of a marketing plan and budget, was developed and submitted to Council for approval. A Council Resolution was obtained, approving the establishment of a Regional Tourism Organisation (state owned company), representative of all government, private sector and the community, subject to the sourcing of external funding. Applications for funding were made to the Jobs Fund and the British American Tobacco Company.

### **Conduct Tourism Research**

A regional Tourism research study, with specific information on the trends and demands in the area, has not been achieved due to the fact that no budget was allocated for the project. A tourism supply study has been conducted inhouse and resulted in the development and maintenance of tourism databases. A request for financial and non-financial assistance with regards to regional specific tourism research was made to the Gauteng Tourism Authority.

### Market Sedibeng District Municipality as a Tourism Destination

The Sedibeng region participated in 5 tourism exhibitions, namely the International Tourism Indaba, Meetings Africa, Vaal Wedding Expo, Beeld Outdoor Expo and the Getaway Show. A tourism map "Discover the Vaal" was developed inclusive of 11 tour routes in the region. 3000 Brochures were distributed at OR Tambo International Airport and 2000 tourism maps were distributed during the Easter period at toll gates by the N3 Gateway. A one page advertisement was developed by Sedibeng for inclusion in the local publication of the 2011/2012 Vaal Meander. Packages of Tourism offerings in the region were compiled and regularly posted on the Sedibeng website and submitted to the Gauteng Tourism Authority and the N3 Gateway for inclusion on their respective websites, social media sites and other printed material.

Marketing material for the Vaal Birding Route is in the process of being developed (Website, banners and brochure.)

### Facilitate the development of Tourism

Sedibeng has commenced with the development of the Vaal Birding Route in partnership with the Gauteng Tourism Authority and BirdLife SA.

15 Regional Tour Guides were trained and received certificates. Registration on the Provincial Tourist Guide Database is in progress. 7 Women and 8 men were trained and all of these guides were from disadvantaged or previously disadvantaged backgrounds.

2 Tourism Awareness Workshops for SMME's and emerging tourism entrepreneurs were facilitated in partnership with the Tourism Enterprise Partnership.

The Tourism Department identified non-graded establishments and submitted them for grading by the Tourism Grading Council of South Africa to assure the quality of products in the region. These included Harmsula B&B, Ditsaleng B&B, Weavers Nest and Lords Signature Hotel who were all graded.

24 Tourism SMME's were referred to institutions for financial and non-financial support, such as the Tourism Enterprise Programme (TEP) or Gauteng Enterprise Propeller (GEP), who assist tourism stakeholders with access to funding and other services, such as training opportunities and business support.

11 Tourism routes were packaged and marketed through various marketing platforms. These include:

• T1 River Road; T2 Riverfront Route; T3 Three Rivers Route; T4 Sharpeville Struggle Route; T5 Sebokeng Struggle Route; T6 Suikerbos Route; R42 Scenic Route; R23 Heidelberg Ramble; R550 Klip Route; R54 Vaal Marina Route; R557 Walkerville Route

Vaal Nest Boutique Hotel was assisted with their application for funding from the IDC and Jobs Fund.

A grant application for 20 Tourism Internships was submitted to the CATHSETA.

### Facilitate the development of Tourism Infrastructure

A Tourism Infrastructure forum was established with representatives from the Gauteng Tourism Authority, relevant departments in the Sedibeng District Municipality and the Local Municipalities. This forum met twice and aims to assist

the Gauteng Tourism Authority's newly established Infrastructure Planning and Investment Facilitation Unit (IPIFU) who will be responsible for managing infrastructure projects in the province. The forum also aims to manage infrastructure in the region on a local level.

A total of 13 Tourism Infrastructure projects were submitted to be included in the Provincial Tourism Infrastructure Strategy and Portfolio. These include the Sedibeng Regional Tourism Organisation (as a soft infrastructure project) and the Precinct Development projects across the region (as a hard infrastructure project), amongst others.

Tourism Signage policies from local municipalities were received and distributed to other municipalities to update and align their policies.

### Develop Township Tourism strategy

The development of a Township Tourism strategy was not achieved due to the fact that no budget was allocated for the project. A request for assistance with the project was sent to the Gauteng Tourism Authority.

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### **COMPONENT D: COMMUNITY& SOCIAL SERVICES**

This component includes: libraries and archives; museums arts and galleries; community halls; cemeteries and crematoria; child care; aged care; social programmes, theatres.

INTRODUCTION TO COMMUNITY AND SOCIAL SERVICES

T3.52

### LIBRARIES; ARCHIEVES; MUSEUMS; GALLERIES; COMMUNITY FACILITIES; OTHER (THEATRES, ZOOS. 3.12 ETC)

T3.12.1

### **Heritage Department**

The Heritage Department is responsible for three operational museums in the Sedibeng Region as well as several declared and/or identified Heritage Sites in the Sedibeng Region. The three museums are the Vaal Teknorama Museum, Sharpeville Human Rights Precinct and the Heidelberg Museum.

The Heritage Department have been successful in declaring several historically important sites as Provincial Heritage Sites. They are the Old Sharpeville Police Station, Sharpeville Memorial, Sharpeville Exhibition Centre, Sharpeville Community Hall, Roman Catholic Church, Vuka Cemetery, Phelindaba Cemetery and Kwa-Dlomo Dam. The Heritage Department is responsible for museum management at the various facilities mentioned and the identification, preservation and declaration of other Heritage Sites in the region.

According to the National Heritage Resources Act No. 25 of 1999 Heritage is a direct District Function. The Heritage Department has developed a Turn Around Strategy for Museums that captures the way forward for Heritage and Museums to ensure relevance in a modern technology driven world. The Turn Around Strategy will act as a roadmap for Heritage and Museums in the Sedibeng Region to ensure digitized Museums with electronic archives and research capability.

The Heritage Department has the added responsibility of driving GNC (Geographical Name Change) process in conjunction with the Provincial Department SACR, SAGNC and Local Municipalities that includes the regional policy in this regard and the process management of the roll-out strategies for the various Local Municipalities that would include the establishment of GNC committee that would assist in playing an over sight role that would consist of professionals according to the act that would assist in developing the relevant criteria and manage the public participation process in conjunction to the Heritage Division.

The Heritage Department have strong working partnerships with stakeholders in the Heritage Sector. These strategic Institutions are Tertiary Institutions, the National Heritage Council, SAHA, SAHRA and both the Provincial Department SACR and National Department of Arts and Culture and numerous Heritage Museums throughout the Country like Museum Africa, Apartheid Museum, Freedom Park, Luziko Museums, Helen Josephs Memorial centre and the Robben Island Museum to assist in creating strategic partnerships that would assist in best practise around museum management, exchange of exhibitions and assistance in capturing Oral History of local communities in the Vaal and is informed by the following IDP/SDBIP's strategies.

The Heritage Department is also responsible for the promotion of the rich Heritage of the Sedibeng Region through the identification, preservation and declaration of Heritage Sites in the region.

The Heritage Department plays a leading role in the commemoration of identified National, Provincial and Regional Commemorative Days, i.e. Nangalambe Night Vigil Massacre, Human Rights Month, Anglo Boer War – Vereeniging Peace Treaty, Boipatong Massacre, Vaal Uprising, Heritage Month, and the Signing of the South African Constitution.

Libraries and Information Services is a function of Provincial Government and is managed locally by the Local Municipalities.

# **Facilities Management**

FACILITIES MANAGEMI	ENT POLICY OB	JECTIVES TAKEN FROM IDP
	2010/2011	
SERVICE OBJECTIVES	TARGET	ACTUAL
	YEAR	
Specifications finalised and approved for implementation	December 2010	Technical evaluation report finalised and awaiting the sitting of the BAC.
Implement the findings of the Audit Report	March 2011	Technical evaluation report finalised and awaiting the sitting of the BAC.
Develop policy on Municipal Buildings and Sites for persons with Disabilities	September 2010	Specifications for consultant finalised
Develop and implement policy for municipal security management	September 2010	Security Policy approved by Council in December 2010.
Undertake a Condition and Assessment of the of SDM Buildings, Sites and Infrastructure	December 2010	Done by the Council insurers.
Develop and implement the Facilities Management plan	March 2011	TOR's for consultant drawn up but will be withdrawn. Will revert to source documents received from City of Johannesburg and FMISA.     Facilities Management Service Concept and the Occupancy Questionnaire produced.
Implement an Electronic Help Desk System to provide an efficient facilities management service to SDM	December 2010	FM and IT had initial meeting in 2010 and workshop is planned for 19 January, amongst other issues to discuss the system customisation and finalise date to test-run the system before implementation on 1st March 2011.
Implement a system to monitor and evaluate Facilities Management performance	March 2011	Draft FM monitoring and evaluation framework will be presented at next MANCO and a Clients survey questionnaire has been circulated to all Clusters
Develop Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) for Facilities including cleansing and hygienic manual	December 2010	The project is being implemented selectively for Fleet and maintenance, owing to non-availability of funds to roll-it out comprehensive.
Develop a policy for accommodation management	November 2010	Awaiting approval on the comprehensive design for the long-term.
Develop an Office accommodation floor plan – the plan must include office capacity planning	December 2010	Waiting for the feedback on the (Questionnaire) for Clusters Accommodation needs.
Appoint a Project Manager to assist to develop and implement the Municipal long term plan and model for the efficient management and maintenance of our facilities in partnerships with Private sector.	April 2011	Terms of reference finalised and awaiting approval by ED: Corp Serv. Project delayed due to financial constraints.
To undertake a review of existing Fleet Management policy	December 2010	Policy approved in December 2010. Training will be conducted in February 2011.
Appoint the Project Manager to undertake an audit to facilitate the design & implementation strategy for Fleet Management	March 2011	Re-advertised, will be closed on 27 January 2011. Workshop conducted for all clusters. Policy implemented
Implement the findings of the Audit Report	March 2011	Interim systems implemented, pending audit report.
To implement a (Computerised) Fleet Management system underpinned by the Fleet Management Audit findings	June 2011	Tender advertised in closed on 27 January 2011. Technical evaluation report complied EC report completed sitting at Director: Facilities office
Implement AARTO for SDM and monitor compliance	March 2011	Implementation plan to be finalized by March 2011 One session of workshop conducted. 20 Council vehicle users were trained. Second session is scheduled for May 2011.

	2011/2012				
SERVICE OBJECTIVES	TARGET	ACTUAL			
	YEAR				

Implement findings of the Audit Report to municipal facilities friendliness to all persons with disabilities	Dec 2011	Project suspended pending availability of funds
Roll-out an awareness programme to educate staff and councillors on compliance with national policy and legislative	Jun 2012	Drafted a new plan and integrated to other awareness programmes for councillors and staff planned for November 2011.
Design and implement a communication plan on Internal security policy and procedures.	July 2011	The orientation workshop for Councillors' will be integrated to the briefing session with Disaster Management planned for November 2011 by office of the Speaker.
Design and implement a new organizational structure for Facilities Management	July 2011	Report on the new FM Organogram to be presented at next Section 80 meeting
Upgrade the Internal Security Control Room to comply with the provision of the Security Act and relevant national policies	May 2012	The CCTV project upgraded all internal control rooms inclusive of Internal security control room.
Design and implement training programmes for all Facilities Management staff	Dec 2011	Workshops held with staff dedicated to the Facilities Management project to take them through the programmes.
Develop Facilities Management Plan	Sept '11	Selectively implementing the Risk Management report recommendations The comprehensive building and sites Condition Assessment project has been suspended, pending funds availability, FM is undertaking the (maintenance) condition assessment of building using the current Panel of Service Providers
Undertake a Condition Assessment for municipal buildings, sites and infrastructure	Dec 2011	Number of findings of the Condition Assessment report Implemented
Design and implement FM Electronic Help Desk	June 2012	Demo session attended and the final draft will be sent to FM by IT
Identify organizations to be benchmarked against Facilities Management "as best practice"	July 2011	Draft FM monitoring and evaluation framework will be presented at next MANCO and a Clients survey questionnaire has been circulated to all Clusters
Design and implement system to measure the per- formance of Facilities Management	Dec 2011	FM: Performance standards to be discussed at the next Cluster workshop scheduled for 24 November 2011
Develop and implement Standard Operating Procedures for Facilities, including cleansing and hygienic manuals	April 2012	The project is being implemented selectively for Fleet and maintenance, owing to non-availability of funds to roll-it out comprehensively Internal Security expenditure and performance report compiled and submitted for section 80 consideration in April 2012.
Design the accommodation management policy for the Municipality	Nov 2011	Awaiting approval on the comprehensive design for the long-term. Issued questionnaire for Clusters need analysis in April 2012
Develop and implement an Office accommodation floor plan, in partnership with Private sector linked to the municipal long-term capacity planning model	Feb 2011	Waiting for the feedback on the (Questionnaire) for Clusters Accommodation needs.
Audit and design strategy to manage municipal Fleet Management	Sept 2011	Audit of Status quo Report on Council Fleet is due in April 2012. Introduce Electronic Fleet Management System of all vehicle inspection scheduled for May 2012
Establish a Fleet Storage Facility	Mar 2012	Council vehicles are controlled and safeguarded at the Fleet storage Facility.
Implement an electronic fleet management system	July 2012	Electronic Fleet Management System was not implemented owing to absence of funds;
Conduct training for Fleet staff on the e - log sheets system	Sept 2011	Status quo Report on Council Fleet is compiled and submitted for consideration by the section 80 in April 2012.l
Facilitation of workshops for departmental fleet controllers	Jun 2012	New date of workshop on Fleet Management policy to be rescheduled.

	2012/2013	2012/2013			
SERVICE OBJECTIVES	TARGET	ACTUAL			
Percentage of areas accessible	50%	100%			
Percentage of facilities	50%	100%			
Upgrade Municipal facilities to be user friendly for PWD	50%	50%			
Draft policy on PWD	1	1			
Conduct an audit on all Buildings & Sites for accessibility	1	1			

	2012/2013	
SERVICE OBJECTIVES	TARGET	ACTUAL
Develop an implementation plan to enable accessibility	1	1
Implementation of the accessibility plan	50%	100%
Integrated Facilities Management System for SDM	50%	80%
Maintained Integrated Facilities Management System	50%	100%
Develop an Integrated Facilities Management System	50%	100%
Conduct a condition assessment audit	1	1
Develop policy on Maintenance	1	1
Develop Asset Management plan	1	1
Review fleet policy	1	1
Develop a Fleet Management strategy	1	1
Implement Electronic Fleet Management system	100	0%
Review current Internal Facility Security Policy	1	1
Develop Internal Facility Security Strategy and Plan	1	1
Develop a Facility Management Help Desk	100	100%
Integrated Intergovernmental Relation on Facility Management	25%	25
IGR Facilities Governance Framework	100%	100%
Establish IGR Structure to Coordinate Facilities Management Projects	1	1
Establish the Facilities IGR structure	1	1
Produce a status quo report on Facilities Management System for the District and its locals	1	1

#### 3.14 **CHILDCARE; AGED CARE; SOCIAL PROGRAMMES**

This component includes: pollution control; biodiversity and landscape; and costal protection.

# NTRODUCTION TO CHILD CARE; AGED CARE; SOCIAL PROGRAMMES

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# Promote social development of our communities

To perform this function, intergovernmental as well as community structures have been established to facilitate joined planning and integration. The district's main focus is on special groups; namely Youth, People with Disabilities, Excombatants, Women and Gender. Policies have been developed to guide implementation of programmes relating to these groups. A total of 36 learners have been awarded bursaries to further studies at higher learning institutions. 90 young people were recruited by Mr Price Store as casual workers on a R2000 stipend as part of job creation. Capacity building programmes on entrepreneur and life skills were implemented. 84 Women cooperatives were capacitated on business skills. Ex- combatants are supported through life skills and support programmes.

To promote social development, the department of Human Settlements allocated 20 houses to women beneficiaries of which 2 were elderly, 89 delegates from women Co-operatives trained in business and financial management by local financial institutions and the Gauteng Enterprise Propeller and Sanitary Towels distributed to Grade 6 to 12 girl learners at Heidelburg Secondary to promote regular schooling, hygienic conditions and human dignity

SDM is working in partnership with the Hollard Foundation to establish integrated Early Childhood development (ECD) programs, this includes training of identified child minders on ECDs.. 600 Elderlies participated in Regional Golden Games held at IsaakSteyn stadium to promote healthy lifestyles. SDM Elderly Peoples Choir won the Provincial Choir Competition in the Traditional music and position 3 in the Choral category. The Executive Mayor's Luncheon for elderlies above 90 years of age held successfully, graced by 175 pensioners.

# **COMPONENT E: ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**

This component includes: pollution control; biodiversity and landscape; and costal protection.

### INTRODUCTION TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

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### 3.15 POLLUTION CONTROL

Pollution control is one of the priority programmes of the Department: Environment. Pollution control is one of the 9 programmes situated within Municipal Health Services. The function is rendered by local municipalities on behalf of the Sedibeng DM through a Service Level Agreement. Pollution control and surveillance is done on a routine basis and covers all aspects around illegal dumping, sanitation, noise pollution, industrial pollution, odours, dust, and water and air pollution.

Up until June 2012 (the year of review) a total number of 6 AELs (Atmospheric Emission Licences) have been issued to various industries in the Sedibeng region, and these AELs are in effect tools to manage emissions from industrial activities.

The SDM in collaboration with GDARD had to take strong action on several occasions during 2011/12 to prevent pollution of the environment caused as a result of illegal dumping of medical waste in Lesedi, dumping of industrial and hazardous chemicals in Midvaal, and a number of air pollution related incidences in Emfuleni.

Illegal dumping is currently the biggest single contributor regarding the deterioration of our surrounding environment which affects poor communities directly. This indicates that the waste management system in the District is in adequate and that limited law enforcement is done by local municipalities. Noise pollution related complaints are also on the increase followed by air pollution related issues.

All complaints received by the Department are treated as a priority and are attended to within 24 hours. Complainants are also duly informed on progress and outcome of investigations.

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### 3.16 BIO-DIVERSITY; LANDSCAPE (INCL. OPEN SPACES); AND OTHER (EG. COASTAL PROTECTION)

# **Environmental protection.**

Environmental pollution affects all citizens. The Department can only function within its legislative powers and functions to ensure that the environment is protected. All Environmental Impact applications and Basic Assessment reports are duly evaluated and specialist studies requested (where necessary).

Three officials in the Department and about sixty percent of Environmental Health Officers in the local municipalities have been trained on law enforcement. The designation of some staff as Environmental Management Inspectorate (Green Scorpions) will be concluded with GDACE during 2012/13 which will give the department additional powers to do monitoring and enforcement. All communities are beneficiaries in a safe and healthy environment.

The Department participated in two compliance and enforcement activities with DEA and GDARD during 2011/12.

### The Sharpeville dam desktop study.

The South African National Biodiversity Initiative (SANBI) appointed WSP Consultingfor the Sharpeville Dam Desktop quick study and the development of an Environmental Management Plan. The implementation of the project was monitored through a Project Steering Committee comprising of Sedibeng DM and Emfuleni LM as well as SANBI. A total project funding from SANBI was R60,000.00.

The project's objectives were, amongst others, to:

- Have a network of protected areas secured and effectively managed that conserves a representative sample of grassland biodiversity,
- Mainstreaming biodiversity and contribute to the ecological integrity of the grasslands biomass,
- Good management practice across the landscape contributes to sustaining the natural and cultural heritage of the grasslands biome, and
- The awareness and understanding of the value of grasslands biodiversity that contributes to sustainable development. The project commenced in August 2010 and was set to be completed in July 2012. The implementation of the recommendations of the project will translate into job opportunities in terms of Ecological Goods And Services (EGS) and these have been highlighted to be incorporated into the Sharpeville Precinct Project.

### Removal of alien vegetation in the Lesedi Local Municipality

PR Tsapa Consulting was appointed by the Department of Environmental Affairs for the removal of alien invasive plants for two identified sites within the Lesedi LM in Sedaven and KwaZenzele. The implementation of the project is monitored through a Project Advisory Committee comprising of Sedibeng DM and Lesedi LM, as well as DEA. A total project funding is to the tune of R3.000.000.00.

- · The project entails the following:
- Eradication of invasive plants.
- Treatment of the plants removed.

The project commenced in February 2012 and it is scheduled to end inNovember 2012. To date a total of 28 out of 108 hectares of alien vegetation has been removed and treated.

About 25% of the total budget has been spent to date. About 64 beneficiaries have been recruited with temporary job opportunities.

### Rehabilitation of the PelindabaCemetry

The Department of Environmental Affairs has appointed Basadzi Pele Consultingfor the rehabilitation of the Phelindaba Cemetery. The implementation of the project is monitored through a Project Advisory Committee comprising of Sedibeng District Municipality and Emfuleni Local Municipality as well as DEA. A total project funding is to the tune of R10,000,000.00.

- The project's objectives seek to:
- · Construction of the guard house,
- · Paving of roads and parking areas,
- Planting of trees and flowers, and
- · Art work through dump rock and shrubs.

The project commenced in February 2012 and it is scheduled to end in February 2013. To date site clearance, site establishment, a shed for beneficiaries has been done and the perimeter fence around offices for security purpose erected. Currently the project implementer is busy with the land survey and final designs whilst the process of the registration of local SMME's on the database is unfolding.

About 18% of the total budget has been spent to date. About 149 beneficiaries have been recruited and are working on the project.

### Buyisela creating Eco-towns: Greening Project.

Mdelo Landscaping was appointed by the Department of Environmental Affairs for the greening component of the Buyisela programme. This involved greening of parks and open spaces. Monitoring of the project was done by Sedibeng DM and Emfuleni LM and DEA.

A Greening component had a total of R14,915,000.00 budget of the total of R53,289,247.70 of the programme.

The greening component objectives sought to:

- · Create recreational parks,
- · Greening and beautification of open spaces,
- Landscaping, and
- Environmental awareness campaigns to optimise the benefits of the greening initiatives.

Two community parks that included one in Motebang Street, Zone 11, Sebokeng which is 30,000m<sup>2</sup> in size and the park in Graceland Park, Evaton West which is 19,250m<sup>2</sup> in sizes were developed. The project was successful and handover was planned to take place on the 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2012.

The DEA's EPWP criteria of 40% women, 30% youth and 3% disabled was applied. Thus 90% of the people working on the project were employed locally in these wards: Ward 18; 19; 24; 26; 27; 28; 34; 29; and 43. About 2% of the budget was allocated for non-accredited training. Cooperatives are to be established upon exit to provide after-care maintenance and sustainable job opportunities.

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This component includes: clinics; ambulance services; and health inspections.

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# BACKGROUND: HEALTH AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT DIRECTORATE

The purpose of the Directorate is to promote the health and social development of our communities focusing mainly on two strategic objectives; namely

Primary Health Care is an Area of Provincial Legislative Competency in terms of the Health Act. Sedibeng District Municipality therefore supports the development of the District Health System within the context of Provincialization. Currently Primary Health Care services are implemented by Local Municipalities on an agency basis which claim back funding from the Province on a quarterly basis while some clinics are managed by Province directly. The view is to have the services under a single authority guided by the Health Act No 61 of 2003. The district therefore coordinates activities and supports implementation of plans on health across the district. District Health Technical Committee involving provincial as well as local municipality managers has been established to facilitate consultative processes and joint planning. The District Health Council which is established in terms of the Health Act and chaired by the District Member of Mayoral Committee responsible for health plays an over side role to health matters across the district. The Intergovernmental committees and structures are functional. Five reports were handled by the District Health Council. Preventive and promotive as well as curative health programmes are implemented in all clinic facilities. Immunization coverage has increased to reach 115%.

Employees: Health and Social Development									
Job Level	Year -1			Year 0					
Health and Social Development	Employ- ees	Posts	Vacancies (as a % of total posts)						
Administrators	No.	No.	No.	No.	%				
Director: Health and Social Development (02)	1	1	0	0	0 %				
Coordinator Social Development (05)	1	1	1	0	0 %				
Coordinator Health programmes (05)	1	1	1	0	0%				
Coordinator Woman & Gender (05)	1	1	1	0	0%				
Coordinator Youth Development & External Bursaries(05)	1	1	1	0	0%				
Admin support Officer (09)	1	1	1	0	0%				
Youth Advisory Centre officers(9)	12	12	7	5	40%				
Admin clerk(10)	3	3	3	0	0%				

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### **INTRODUCTION TO HIV & AIDS**

As HIV-infections stabilise, the devlopment and governance impacts of AIDS are becoming increasingly apparent. Although the epidemic threatens human development, the positive aspect is shown by the fact that HIV&AIDS provide opportunities to address socio-economic and cultural perspective, including structures that obliterate good governace, community empowerment and development.

Based on the District AIDS Strategy 2007-2011, the district set to:

- -Implement a ward-based approach to reach out to every household with HIV&AIDS education
- -Improve on the utilisation of HCT services by community members
- -Ensure that all the four AIDS Councils are functional

During the period under review, the district, through ward-based coordinators and volunteers (who are on stipend), reached 33 411 households and 99 071, while 21 012 people were refered to relevant departments and service points and distributed 746 843 during door to door campaigns.

For the period under review, of 172 719 (target), the district reached 228 819 people with HCT services, compared to 150 154 people who utilised HCT services in 2010/2011. The target for 2012/2013 finacial year is 331 692.

The District AIDS Council, including those of Local Municipalities, are functional and meet regularly, chaired by the respective Executive Mayors.

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#### 3.18 **AMBULANCE SERVICES**

Emergency Medical Services (EMS), commonly known as Ambulance Services, is an area of Exclusive Provincial Legislative Competency in terms of the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa. The Services are currently provided by the Sedibeng District Municipality on an agency basis within the context of Provincialisation of Primary Health Care and EMS.

During 2011/12, only 54.07% (National target-85%) of confirmed Priority 1 incidents were reached within 15 minutes in Urban Areas and 96.08% (National target=85%) of confirmed Priority 1 incidents within 40 minutes in Rural Areas, which indicates an underperformance in terms of Priority 1 incidents mainly due to the underfunding of EMS services resulting in the critical shortages of Human and Capital resources, which undermines service delivery in this regard.

On average less ambulances were operational in a 24hour shift, per shift. Only 0.87 instead of at least 1 advanced life support primary response vehicles was operational per shift on average and only 1 of 20 Advanced Life Support positions is currently filled. Hence, the possible transfer of EMS back to Province was considered as the process of requesting Province to review the funding allocation of EMS to the District proved to be not successful.

The upgraded Tetra Radio System operationalized through the District Disaster Centralised Communication Centre was implemented to improve communications and delays in dispatching of Ambulances.

Seven(7) Basic Life Support Refresher training courses were conducted with twenty-nine (29) paramedics and four(4) Basic Life Support for Health Care Practitioners couses were arranged with thirty(30) personnel staff attending the trainind successfully.

Thirty-nine(39) Courses were conducted to empower communities in basic first aid with 1702 Community members trained. 1057 Community members and 5 schools were reached with public awareness vists.

To improve delivery in rural and outlying areas, as from 22 July 2011 Gauteng Provincial EMS Staff are rendering the service in Devon, in Lesedi Local Municipality. However, Evaton is still a challenge as there are no facilities for EMS currently. Province is busy investigating accommodation possibilities within the area.

Ambulance Service Data									
	Details	Year -2	Y	ear -1	Year 0				
		Actual No.	Estimate No.	Actual No.	Estimate No.				
1	Number of patients taken to medical facilities during the year			6583					
2	Average time from emergency call to arrival at the patient - in urban areas			15.53 min					
3	Average time from emergency call to arrival at the patient - in rural areas			16.40 min					
4	Average time from emergency call to the transportation of patient to a medical facility - in urban areas								
5	Average time from emergency call to the transportation of patient to a medical facility - in rural areas								
6	No. ambulance		18	12.31					
7	No. paramedics		1	0.87					

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Ambulances Policy Objectives Taken From IDP									
Service Objectives	Outline	Yea	r-1	Year 0		Year 1		Year 3	
	Service Targets	Target	Actual	Ta	Target			Targe	et
Service Indicators		*Previ- ous Year		*Previ- ous Year	*Current Year		*Current Year	*Current Year	*Following Year
(i)	(ii)	(iii)	(iv)	(v)	(vi)	(vii)	(viii)	(ix)	(x)
Service Objective xxx									
Ambulance turnaround time (Timeout to patients and back to medical facility)	Average turnaround time in rural areas					67.89 min			
	Average turnaround time in ur- ban areas					67.89 min			
	1								T 3.18.3

Employees: Ambulances									
	Year -1								
Job Level	Employees	Posts	Employees	Vacancies (fulltime equivalents)	Vacancies (as a % of total posts)				
	No.	No.	No.	No.	%				
0 – 3	0	1	1	0	0%				
4 – 6	0	28	7	21	75%				
7 – 9	0	71	44	27	38%				
10 – 12	0	180	128	52	29%				
13 – 15	0	0	0	0	#DIV/0!				
16 – 18	0	0	0	0	#DIV/0!				
19 – 20	0	0	0	0	#DIV/0!				
Total	0	280	180	100	36%				

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	Year -1	Year 0						
Details	Actual	Original Budget	Adjustment Budget	Actual	Variance to Budget			
Total Operational Revenue	0	35114000	36280000	35138362	0%			
Expenditure:								
Employees	0	51655301	44769162	44768923	-15%			
Repairs and Maintenance	0	8115	0	0	#DIV/0!			
Other	0	1190060	903647	820096	-45%			
Total Operational Expenditure	0	52853476	45672809	45589019	-16%			
Net Operational Expenditure	0	17739476	9392809	10450657	-70%			
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#### 3.19 HEALTH INSPECTION; FOOD AND ABBATOIR LICENSING AND INSPECTION; ETC

Surveillance of premises and food hygiene are both priority programmes within the Environment Department.

The top delivery priorities during 2011/12 were:

- Issuing of Certificates of Acceptability (CoA) to all food handling premises which are in compliance with minimum health requirements and standards.
- Improve the hygiene quality of milk produced within the Sedibeng region.
- Development of a data base on all medical waste generators within the Sedibeng region.

Sixtypercent(60%) of all food premises within the District comply with minimum health/hygiene standards and have been issued with a Certificate of Acceptability. No cases of food poisoning were reported in the Sedibeng District during 2011/12.

The improvement in the quality of milk is unsatisfactory despite the effort put in by the Department. We intend to intensify the programme during the 2012/13 year.

An updated database on all medical waste generators within the Sedibeng district has been compiled. All such generators are now monitored on a routine basis.

All abattoirs within the Sedibeng region are monitored continuously in collaboration with GDARD who has the mandate to register such facilities.

All inspections are recorded and reported on a monthly basis to the Sedibeng DM in terms of the reporting regime as contained in the service level agreement on Municipal Health Service. The IGR: MHS is the vehicle and platform through which service delivery is gauged and remedial action taken where there is under performance.

The 2012/13 financial year will see a change in how environmental services are rendered as the approach and output of the Department will be outcome based.

### **Air Quality Management**

The district municipality has identified the licensing of listed industrial processes as an important component towards effective regulation of these activities and improving the quality of air in the region. Despite the capacity challenges the licensing function has been prioritised by the department. To date a number of licenses have been issued and the industries have started reporting their emissions to the municipality on a quarterly basis. This information has also assisted the municipality together with the Provincial Environmental Management Inspectors to start instituting compliance monitoring actions within the region and some industries have been issued with compliance notices in this regard.

The monitoring of ambient air quality is one important component of air quality management It is generally believed that one cannot improve something that is not known. The two ambient air quality stations that are owned by Sedibeng are not operational partly due to lack of maintenance and vandalism. The lack of maintenance of the stations was mainly due to lack of funds. The municipality is currently looking at different options available to get the stations operational in order to understand the quality of air that the residents of the region are exposed to. The department have established good relations with the local NGO's around issues of air quality in the region and this relations will further be strengthened in order to ensure that collectively with the public are working towards improving the air quality in the region.

### **COMPONENT G: SECURITY AND SAFETY**

This component includes: police; fire; disaster management, licensing and control of animals, and control of public nuisances, etc.

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### INTRODUCTION TO SECURITY & SAFETY (COMMUNITY SAFETY)

Through this Directorate, SDM's key IDP strategic objective is to "Promote a safe and secureenvironment" for communities of Sedibeng. To ensure that this particular objective is achieved SDM established an Intergovernmental Relations Structure on Safety and Security, namely; a Community Safety Forum. This Forum is made up of various stakeholders such as the South African Police Services, Department of Correctional Services, Local Municipalities, Gauteng Department of Community Safety, Department of Education, Department of Social Development, Department of Home Affairs, Community Policing Forums, etc. The key responsibility of this Forum is to coordinate and facilitate developmental and implementation of crime prevention and road safety programs in Sedibeng. This approach has eliminated silo's attitudes and practices and brought various role-players in working together towards a common service delivery goal of ensuring that Sedibeng is safe and secure.

To ensure integrated development and implementation of crime prevention and road safety programs in the region, a Community Safety Plan was developed through the Community Safety Forum to be used as a guiding document during the developmental and implementation phases of safety and security programs and projects. Some of the intervention measures introduced include; installation of CCTV Systems in various towns across the District, installation of CCTV Systems at all Licensing Service Centres in the region, establishment of a Regional Victim Empowerment Centre in the region, Conduct awareness and educational programs on social crime prevention (schools safety, domestic violence, road safety, etc) and capacity building for Community Policing Forums through skills development programs.

Job Level	Year -1	<u>'</u>	munity Safety	Year 0	
Community Safety	Employees	Vacancies (fulltime		Vacancies (as a % of total posts)	
Administrators	No.	No.	No.	No.	%
Director: Community Safety (02)	1	1	0	1	
Assistant Manager: Crime Prevention (04)	1	1	1	0	
Coordinator Social Crime Prevention (05)	1	2	1	1	50%
Head: VIP Protection Unit (05)	1	1	1	0	0%
CCTV Operations Officer (06)	0	1	0	1	100%
VIP Protection Officers (07)	14	14	14	0	0%
Events Security Officer (07)	1	1	1	0	0%
Security Investigating Officer (07)	1	1	1	0	0%
Evidence & Data Processor (07)	2	2	2	0	0%
CCTV Technicians (07)	2	2	2	0	0%
Admin Assistant (09)	1	1	1	0	0%
CCTV Receptionist (11)	1	1	1	0	
Total	26	28	26	3	11%

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Financial Performance Year 0: Community Safety

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	Year -1	Year 0					
Details	Actual	Original Budget	Adjustment Budget	Actual	Variance to Budget		
Total Operational Revenue							
Expenditure:							
Staff Members Salaries	4,915,264.00	5,270,854.00	1,292,122.00				
Repairs and Maintenance	100,000.00	100,000.00	93,476.00	248	-40223%		
Other	1,586,800.00	1,192,926.00	735,728.00	248	-480919%		
Total Operational Expenditure	1,686,800.00	1,192,926.00	735,728.00	496	-240409%		
Net Operational Expenditure	1,686,800.00	1,192,926.00	735,728.00	496	-240409%		

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Capital Expenditure Year 0: Community Safety R' 000											
Capital Projects	Capital Projects Year 0										
	Budget	Adjustment Budget	Actual Expendi- ture	Variance from original budget	Total Project Value						
Total All	3000000	0	0	#DIV/0!							
Integrated CCTV Street Surveil- lance Project	3000000	0	0	#DIV/0!	39490786						
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#### 3.20 **POLICE**

### INTRODUCTION TO POLICE

NB! The Sedibeng District Municipality coordinates the Community Safety function as explained in detail below.

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### **Community Safety**

In support of the Victim Empowerment Centres, about 594 victims of crime have been treated at the Regional Victim Empowerment Centre. Through the Community Safety Plan, a number of social crime prevention awareness programs that include road safety (05), gender based violence (39), schools safety (12) and community based programs (12) have been conducted across the region. Eleven Youth Crime Prevention Desk are functional and Community Patrollers have also been deployed at various schools to render guarding services. About (09) areas were cleaned in support of Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design principles. Communities were also mobilized in rural areas in pursued of rural safety and through this process, about (05) community meetings were held. Community Safety IGR Structure is functional and about (11) meetings thereof were held.

Optic fibre network has been upgraded and expanded to other areas within the region. (07) CCTV cameras that were initially intended for Heidelberg were moved to Ratanda to make a total number of 10 in Ratanda. In Vereeniging, civil work has been completed and camera poles planted for 16 cameras that need to be installed. 24 cameras were installed in the Vanderbijlpark CBD and (05) in Bedworthpark. As a result of this project, about 50 employment opportunities were created through a local sub-contractor (25) and the main contractor (25).

A VIP Close Protection Policy was also developed and approved by Council to serve as a guideline and working document tfor safety and security of the Executive Political Principals.

### 3.21 FIRE

### INTRODUCTION TO FIRE SERVICES

This is a competency of the local municipality, and the Sedibeng District is responsible for specific services as per the table below.

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		[	Disaster Manag	ement							
Service Objectives		Year	0		Year 1		Year 2	Yea	ar 3		
	Outline Service	Target	Actual	Taı	get	Actual	Target				
Service Indicators	Targets	*Previous Year		*Previ- ous Year	*Current Year		*Current Year	*Current Year	*Follow- ing Year		
(i)	(ii)	(iii)	(iv)	(v)	(vi)	(vii)	(viii)	(ix)	(x)		
Service Objective xxx											
Ensure the state of readiness and alertness aimed at combating potential disaster situations within the region.	reviewed district DMP,3 workshops with locals, 3 signed-off NKP plans, provision of relief items, events emer- gency plans	1 reviewd district plan,3 workshops with locals, 3 NKP plans,	1 reviewed district plan,3 workshops with locals, 3 NKP plans,	reviewed district plan,3 work- shops with locals, 3 NKP plans,	1 reviewd district plan,2 work- shops with locals	1 reviewed district plan,2 work- shops with locals	1 reviewed district plan,2 work- shops with locals	1 reviewed district plan,2 work- shops with locals	1 reviewed district plan, 2 work- shops with locals		
Ensure effective stakeholder partici- pation and engage- ment on Disaster Management issues	3 Sedibeng Dis- aster Manage- ment Advisory Forum sittings	3 sittings	3 sittings	3 sittings	3 sittings	3 sittings	3 sittings	3 sittings	3 sittings		
Ensure effective service delivery of the Sedibeng Emergency Communication Centre	average number of consoles manned, num- ber of personnel trained, % of calls answered within 5 rings, % of calls handled within 3 minutes	3 manned con- soles, 24 trained personnel,80% of callls answered within the stipulat- ed times	3 manned consoles, 12 trained per- sonnel,81% of callls an- swered within the stipulated times	3 consoles manned, 12 per- sonnel	3 consoles manned, 6 person- nel to be- trained	5 con- soles, 6 person- nel	5 con- soles, 6 person- nel	5 con- soles, 8 person- nel	5 consoles, 10 personnel		
Ensure execution and implementation of public awareness programs and identi- fied calendar events	3 awareness programs	3 awareness programs	3 programs	3 programs	250 com- munity members	250 community members	250 com- munity members	250 com- munity members	250 community members		

# 3.22 OTHER (DISASTER MANAGEMENT, ANIMAL LICENCING AND CONTROL, CONTROL OF PUBLIC NUISANCES AND OTHER)

INTRODUCTION TODISASTER MANAGEMENT, ANIMAL LICENCING AND CONTROL, CONTROL OF PUBLIC NUISANCES, ETC

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### INTRODUCTION TO DISASTER MANAGEMENT

The Sedibeng Disaster Management Directorate is established within the Community Services cluster and is striving towards the elimination of all avoidable disasters in the Sedibeng District Municipality thereby supporting the social and economic development of our communities.

The key mission of the Directorate is to develop and implement a holistic and integrated disaster management planning and practice in a cost effective and participatory manner, thus ensuring the preparedness of our communities to prevent and respond to disasters.

### **Service Delivery priorities:**

## Ensure the state of readiness and alertness aimed at combating potential disaster situations within the region through plans.

Disaster Management Plan has been reviewed for the financial year as per the legislative requirement. The key objective for the annual review of the plan is to ensure that processes that are to be taken to prevent, mitigate and prepare to manage disasters or disasters threatening to occur within the region are updated and applicable. The reviewed Disaster Management Plan forms an integral part of the IDP processes. The IDP cannot be complete without the attachment of the Disaster Management Plan.

Furthermore, 3 workshops held for reviewal of Local Disaster Management Plans.

This is to ensure and reflect on roles and responsibilities regarding emergency response and post disaster recovery and further more to capacitate and instill knowledge to all role players and stakeholders in particular, Local municipalities. Strategic deliberations on matters of disasters are also shared between role players.

Three workshops were held for the reviewal of the National Key Point plans to ensure readiness to deal effectively with disaster situations. The key purpose of the workshops was to ensure that National Key Points within the region of Sedibeng are prepared and will be able to respond and manage any emergencies they can be faced with.

26 incidents were responded to within the stipulated timeframes of 20 minutes. The incidents are as follows:

Eviction in Kookrus, informal house in Sicelo, Plot 81 Sweetwater St Doornkuil, Emfuleni Caravan Park, H228 SilahliweSicelo, 714 Old Sicelo, Informal house in Sicelo near white house, SebatstrSicelo, 584 Sicelo, Informal house Sicelo near OAC Church, Floods in Zone 10, Informal house in Sharpeville, 4-8 Kena road Evaton, Kookrus plot fire, 5044 Sharpeville, Siceloext 4, Old Sicelo, 240 Verwoerd rd, Sebokeng Zone 11, 75/6 Small Farms, 286 Vaal Marina, 84 Grey Ave, 3375 Zone 13, 62405 Zone 17, Zone 20, Evaton West.

The following relief items were provided for the year.

Tents = 12Blankets:= 173

Food parcels:

Sedibeng = 12 Food bank = 20

Water = 3 Water tankers

Prompt response to all emergencies is vital to ensure safety of communities and safeguarding their vulnerability through provision of relief.

### Ensure effective service delivery of the Sedibeng Emergency Communication Centre

The Emergency Communication Centre, a Unit under Disaster Management directorate, deals with call-taking and despatching of emergency response. It takes calls for, among others:

- Motor vehicle accidents
- Shootings
- · EMS needs
- SAPS related incidents
- Other community emergencies like burst water pipes, electrical black-outs
- Disaster related incidents like storms, floods, tornados, blown roofs etc.

The centre received a total of 33660 calls in the 2011-2012 financial year. 81% of all calls received were handled within the stipulated timeframe. (The targeted % is 80%).

The following systems in the Centre were upgraded to improve service delivery (Faster Call taking &Dispatching times):

- 1. The Call taking & Dispatching software was upgraded.
- 2. The TETRA radio system was implemented to communicate with EMS personnel, (reducing the cost on cellphones& personnel of EMS have hand radios meaning faster handover of ambulance calls).
- 3. New integrated radio system was installed in the centre. (Any computer can now function as a radio in the Centre)

A total of 12 personnel from the Emergency Communication Centre were trained in

Supervisory Management and Telephone Etiquette courses to improve service delivery.

### Ensure execution and implementation of public awareness programmes and identified calendar events

A pre-winter campaign held in Lesedi. The theme for the campaign was "Fire-Setters, the flames of Africa that destroy the lives and property of our communities". The campaign was focused on encouraging communities and families to play an effective role in prevention of home fires and how to protect themselves. Target group for the campaign was school kids.

An awareness campaign was held at Koinonia Church in Sebokeng. The focus of the programme was on promotion of the Emergency number (10177) and critical information and steps to follow when making an emergency call. The target group for the campaign was NGOs. The objective of the campaign was to have well-informed and educated communities on the functioning of the Emergency Communication Centre.

An awareness campaign was held in Emfuleni, Qelang School. The focus of the campaign was on fire safety and the event was commemorated during the ISDR and Fire Safety week.

Four River safety programs were conducted.

The following activities were addressed:

- 1. Wearing of life jackets.
- 2. Displaying of "red flag" when a skier is in the water.
- 3. Cleaning of the river.
- 4. Public Education during the Vaal show on water safety

The above activities are aimed at improving safety in the river especially during festivities along the river and ensuring that patrons adhere to safety regulations when enjoying themselves in the river. Patrons must wear life jackets, display red flag when there's an emergency to make others aware of an incident.

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SERVICE STATISTICS FOR DISASTER MANAGEMENT, ANIMAL LICENCING AND CONTROL, CONTROL OF PUBLIC NUISANCES, ETCT 3.22

Animal licensing and control of public nuisances is a local municipality function.

	Year -1			Year 0	
Job Level	Employees	Posts	Employees	Vacancies (fulltime equivalents)	Vacancies (as a % of total posts)
	No.	No.	No.	No.	%
0 - 3	1	1	1	0	0%
4 - 6	3	3	3	0	0%
7 - 9	4	5	4	1	20%
10 - 12	19	20	19	1	5%

COMMENT ON THE PERFORMANCE OF DISASTER MANAGEMENT

There were no approved capital projects for the Directorate.

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# **COMPONENT H: SPORT AND RECREATION**

This component includes: community parks; sports fields; sports halls; stadiums; swimming pools; and camp sites.

INTRODUCTION TO SPORT AND RECREATION

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#### 3.23 **SPORT AND RECREATION**

### INTRODUCTION TO SPORT AND RECREATION

The Division of Sports and Recreation is component of the Directorate of Sports, Recreation, Arts, Culture and Heritage of the Sedibeng District Municipality which functions at a strategic level to coordinate and facilitate the function of Sports and Recreation in conjunction with the category B Municipalities being Emfuleni Local Municipality, Midvaal Local Municipality and Lesedi Local Municipality from this perspective it should be noted that both conditions and circumstances at these various Local Municipalities are not "Homogeneous" and differ starkly on the basis of being highly urbanized as is the case with Emfuleni Local Municipality against semi- rural characteristics of both Midvaal and Lesedi Local Municipalities and impacts on the capacity of both the fiscal and human resource capability at the various Local category B Municipalities.

Of extreme importance is that the roles and functions between Sedibeng DM being a category C and the Local category B Municipalities differ vastly on the basis that the District Municipality focus in relation to this function is more a coordinating function and its implementation programs is specifically geared and designed to strategically create a climate that is conducive to facilitate the holistic developmental thrust of Sports Development and Regional Recreational development in the Sedibeng area of jurisdiction while the Local Municipalities plays an implementation function in relation to developing and maintaining community parks, sports fields, halls and stadia, swimming pools and camping sites etc.

The Division of Sports and Recreation Sedibeng had previously facilitated a Sports and Recreation Summit where all strategic stakeholders such as the Gauteng Provincial Department SACR, all Local Municipalities (Sedibeng), Department of Education (school sports) and communities including the various Sports Federations and interested institutions developed a strategic blue print that coincides with the six pillars of Sports development of the Gauteng department of SACR that was collectively adopted as the sports development strategy of Sedibeng IDP and SDBIP's of the SRACH Directorate of Sedibeng District Municipality on the following focussed areas:

- The IDP principle of "Releasing Human Potential" captured under "Nurturing peoples potential through Sports, Recreation, Arts and Culture has the following developmental programs-
- Promote Regional Sports Councils programs that focussed on re-establishing the Sedibeng Sports Council and Local Sports Councils including assisting the entity to function properly in our area through assisting with accommodating the regional sports council at the Vaal Technorama Museum and giving administrative support, skills development transfer and mentorship to Provincial sports administration Learnerships that have been deployed to our area to assist the Sedibeng Sports Council and Provincial Sports HUBS at the Local Municipal Level.
- Develop and Promote Sport and Artistic talent through competitive sports and major arts and culture events that focussed on the hosting of the Regional Disabled Games in conjunction with the Provincial Department of SACR.
- Hosting Community Games including other vulnerable groupings i.e. Women in sports, youth and the aged etc.
- Processing of the OR Tambo inter- municipal games and various practise sessions and play off's against Local Municipalities in the area.
- Facilitate the up grading of multi-purpose sports and recreational facilities currently at the Lesedi Local Municipality at Devon Tennis courts upgrading, construction of sports fields in Vischkuil and Jameson Park and the upgrade of Impumelelo stadium with the intentions of rolling out similar projects in Emfuleni and Midvaal in the future.

Fundamentally the SRACH Division of Sports Recreation has been responsible in processing development investment facilitation from the National Lotteries Board to the tune of +- R6, 3 Million for the first phase of sports development facilities in Lesedi as mentioned above over and above this it has been instrumental in assisting Emfuleni Local Municipality in processing the River front Precinct at Dickenson Park Recreational facility and is responsible for the George Thabe Sports Precinct project and parts of the Recreational futuristic Precinct at Dlomo Dam subject to funding from the National Neighbourhood Grant funding from National Treasury or other strategic Donor funding agencies.

		SERVICE STATISTICS FOR SPORT AND RECREATION	
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3.25	FINANCIAL SERVICES		
		INTRODUCTION FINANCIAL SERVICES	
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Section 80 of the Municipal Finance Management Act gives effect to the establishment of Budget and Treasury Office to:

- Advice the Municipal Manager on the exercise of powers and duties assigned to the Accounting Officer in terms of the
- Assist the Municipal Manager in the administration of the municipality's bank accounts.
- Assist the Municipal Manager in the preparation and implementation of budget.
- Advise other managers in the exercise of powers and duties assigned to them in terms of section 78 or delegated to them in terms of Section 79.
- Budget and Treasury Office must perform functions such as budgeting, accounting analysis, financial reporting, cash management, debt management, supply chain management, financial management and other duties delegated to the Chief Financial Officer in terms of Section 79.

### **Summary of achievements**

It can be elaborated that the SDBIP is a detailed plan for implementing the Finance Cluster's service delivery as outlined in the IDP and Budget. It includes the service delivery targets and performance indicators for each quarter which was linked to the performance agreement of the Chief Financial Officer. The performance criteria contained in the SDBIP are designed to achieve Equitable and Effective ServiceDelivery, through the facilitation of the Finance Cluster in achieving its strategies.

The performance of the Cluster's projects and programmes are outlined as per Annexure "A"- in detail, for the Cluster until the end of June 2012. The focus has been aligned to ensure the realization (outcome based) of the following Key Performance Areas deliverables to the IDP aspects Finance has set out to achieve during the year:

### a. Revenue collection, Management and Financial Mobilisation:

All eight (8) tasks 100% has been achieved in this category. Matters to highlight as being continuous achievements are/is the manner in which we manage our assets and recovering our revenue (EMS as an example). One task in our view is a new benchmark and an over achievement relates to the grant and donor funding implementation, done by our Cluster.

### b. Governance of Municipal Finance:

All tasks (100%) in this category have been achieved. It relates to how successful we manage the MFMA compliance in SDM and the training on financial regulations as approved by our Council given to all officials as nominated and councillors.

### c. Financial reporting:

All KPIs were achieved (100%) which include the unqualified Auditor-General's report for 2010/2011, which indicates a nil financial emphasis achieved in relation to existing internal controls on the Audit Report and the compilation of an action plan to mitigate in rectifying the errors made.

### d. Building Capacity to Manage Municipal Finance:

75% of KPI's has been achieved and the remaining 25% has been deferred. Proper research is pending on building capacity through the conduction of a customer survey which would provide Finance with ideas on how to improve our municipal service in Finance from a model perspective. In consultation with the Municipal Manager it was agreed that a new methodology and approach be sorted to map an acceptable way of reporting customer satisfaction from a support basis.

# e. Budgeting and Planning Municipal Finance:

All our KPI's have been achieved 100% and meets all the requirements of the MFMA and budget regulations.

### f. Credibility and transparency of Supply Chain Management (SCM):

On the eighth KPI's and 25 tasks within it, it reflects the following achieved and partly achieved:

- 18 tasks achieved 72% and completed
- 7 tasks partly achieved 28% (some still in progress due to year end process)

The KPI's were well on track to being achieved. The Supply Chain function must however report the following corrective action based on our support role with other User Clusters which are deemed to be out of our control:

System reporting to close on the 07th of each month which would enable SCM to submit reports to the National and Provincial Treasury by the 10th of each month;

- · Deviations to be minimised by User Clusters;
- SCM to participate in budget panel and monthly financial meetings from a cross functional sourcing

### perspective;

- Intenda system to be enforced that all Clusters use it; and
- Acquisition plans to be adhered to by all Clusters to ensure planned projects and programmes are rolled out.

In conclusion, the Finance Cluster can report that our overall achievements stand as follows:

91, 17 % of KPI's

Achievement and completed;

4, 17 % of a KPI
 4, 66 % of KPI's
 Deferred; and
 Partly achieved

- Partly achieved.

100%

- Required Performance

The Finance Cluster targets must be read in conjunction with the final report provided as per **Annexure "A"-** in detail. The Annexure outlines targets achieved and challenges dealt with in the performance period with valid reasons and motivations provided for the Portfolio Committee's information on the achievements to date.

		En	ıployees Financi	al Services
Level	Age	Gender	Notch	Occupation
07	30	F	02	OFFICE MANAGER
07	48	F	02	ADMIN.OFFICER TO MMC
CFO	39	М	01	EXECUTIVE DIR.TREASURY
CON7	28	F	01	FIN.MANAGEMENT INTERN
CON7	26	F	01	FIN.MANAGEMENT INTERN
CON7	36	F	01	FIN.MANAGEMENT INTERN
CON7	25	F	01	FIN.MANAGEMENT INTERN
CON7	25	М	01	FIN.MANAGEMENT INTERN
CON7	28	F	01	FIN.MANAGEMENT INTERN
C012	24	F	01	INTERN:FIN. MANAGEMENT
13	61	F	05	GENERAL WORKER
13	56	F	05	GENERAL WORKER
04CTI	60	М	03	ACCOUNTANT CASH,INVESTMEN
10	31	F	04	CASHIER&SUNDRY DEBT.CLERK
04CTI	55	М	03	ASS.MAN.ASSETS&LIABILITY
09CTI	40	F	04	CREDIT CONTROLLER
04	31	F	03	ASS.MAN.PLAN,CONTR&REPORT
10	28	F	04	CREDITORS CLERK
10	30	F	04	CLERK BUDGET MANAGEMENT
10	26	F	04	PAYROLL CLERK
10	33	М	04	CLERK ASSET MANAGEMENT
04	33	F	03	ASS.MAN.SOURCING DEV.FUND
02	47	М	01	DIRECTOR FIN.MAN.& BUDGET
07	49	F	03	ASS.ACCOUNTANT CREDITORS
07	46	F	03	ASS. ACCOUNT: SALARIES
05	45	М	03	SENIOR ACCOUNTANT EXP
02	33	М	01	DIRECTOR:M SUPPLY CHAIN
10	31	F	04	CLERK GRADE 1
06	27	F	02	SUPPLY CHAIN SPECIALIST
06	25	F	02	SUPPLY CHAIN SPECIALIST
06	40	М	03	DEMAND MAN:SUPPLY CHAIN
09	30	F	02	ADMIN ASS.SUPPLY CHAIN
09CTI	38	F	04	TENDER ADVICE CLERK
04	44	М	02	ASS.MAN.DEMAND&ACQUISITIO
09CTI	62	F	04	DATA CAPTURER

### COMMENT ON THE PERFORMANCE OF FINANCIAL SERVICES OVERALL:

The Municipality undertook compliant processes and systems during the year under review in the management of District finances. This is duly confirmed by our attainment of unqualified audit report, 7th unqualified audit status in a row.

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### 3.26 HUMAN RESOURCE SERVICES

### INTRODUCTION TO HUMAN RESOURCE SERVICES

A detailed report on Human Resources and statistic is covered in Chapter 4 of this report.

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### **COMPONENT I: CORPORATE POLICY OFFICES AND OTHER SERVICES**

This component includes: corporate policy offices, financial services, human resource services, ICT services, property services.

### 3.27 INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY (ICT) SERVICES

### INTRODUCTION TO INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY (ICT) SERVICES

<u>Delete Directive note once comment is complete</u>—Provide brief introductory comments. Set out your top 3 service delivery priorities and the impact you have had on them during the year. Explain the measures taken to improve performance and the major efficiencies achieved by your service during the year.

The main objectives of the IM Department are to ensure proper utilization of Council's ICT resources as well as providing strategic direction and a technology growth path for the region.

The Department is segmented in three main areas, namely Networking, Technical Support and Operations.

ICT was influenced by two strategic objectives in the period under review. Firstly, working towards providing a world-class ICT infrastructure in support of a "smart Sedibeng" and secondly, to improve municipal financial and administrative capabilities.

In line with this the top three service delivery priorities were:

### 1. Roll-out of a fibre optic network in the District

This project runs over a period of five years and aim to link all the main nodal points (Council buildings) in the District through fibre. To this effect 33 kilometres of fibre was laid towards completion of this project. The project also created local jobs and 52 labourers were employed. The project is on schedule and the total expenditure on fibre for the financial year 2011/2012 was R 9,420,070.78.

Towards the end of the financial year budget allocation for this project became extremely difficult with the unavailability of funding. This should be carefully managed in the outer years of this project or the project could fail.

### 2. Maintaining adequate operations and procedures to ensure high up-time of systems and networks

The department continued to ensure a 92% average uptime during the period under review. The infrastructure remained stable and the environment is secure and performing at an optimal level. All software licenses are up to date and all system resources are continuously monitored to ensure peak utilization. Anti-virus signatures are updated online and distributed in real-time ensuring swift identification of infiltrations.

Additional infrastructure was installed and included:

- Fibre roll-out into Fresh Produce Market and the main building link to the main fibre core on Beaconsfield Avenue as well as the Mayoral Parlour fibre link upgrade to Main Building.
- Additional external links installed in Emfuleni: Cecil Oldridge Park (16 points), SRAC Offices VDB (34 points), Storm Water to Metsi (4 points), Bio-kinetic center via fibre (2 points), Zone 13 library (34 points), Sebokeng Water care works (25 points), Boipatong Housing bldg. (30 points).
- Additional external links installed in Midvaal: Waste & Water Treatment Works (WWTW) (monitoring).
- 3. Implement systems to assist the visually impaired community members.

A system was procured to assist the visually impaired that would assist these community members in the following ways:

- Screen reading software (Jaws) will be used for the blind and magnification software (ZoomText) will be used for low-vision citizens.
- Optical character recognition (OpenBook with a scanner) will be used to scan a page or multiple pages (e.g. letter, book, bible, newspaper, etc.). This scanned version of the document can then be emailed or saved as mp3 (citizen can then later listen to the scanned document). This can be used by both the blind and low vision citizens.
- A desktop magnifier offers various options for low-vision citizens. It includes magnify and color contrast (select brightness) settings. The monitor can be tilted (up / down / sideways) to ease usage by citizen

These objectives were all successfully achieved during the period.

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			ICT SERVIC	ES POLICY O	BJECTIVES TA	KEN FROM I	DP			
		2010/2011		2011/2012			2012/2013			
SERVICE	OUTLINE SERVICE	TARGET	ACTUAL	TARGET		ACTUAL	TARGET			
OBJECTIVES (i)	TARGETS (ii)	PREVIOUS YEAR (iii)	(iv)	PREVIOUS YEAR (V)	CURRENT YEAR (vi)	(vii)	CURRENT YEAR (viii)	CURRENT YEAR (ix)	FOLLOWING YEAR (x)	
Providing a world-class ICT infra- structure in support of a "smart Sed- ibeng"	Roll-out of a fibre op- tic network for the District	Not applicable	Not applicable	R 0	R9,500,000	R9,420,070	R8,000,000	R8,000,000	R10,000,000	
	Implement systems to assist the visually impaired community members.	Not applicable	Not applicable	R O	R 100,000	R 96,068	R 100,000	R 100,000	R 110,000	
Improve municipal financial and administrative capabilities	Maintaining adequate operations and procedures to ensure high up-time of systems and networks	Operation- al R822,022 Capital R2,822,344	Operation- al R778,309 Capital R 2,112,528	Operation- al R822,022 Capital R2,822,344	Operation- al R819,194 Capital R2,288,450	Operation- al R650,917 Capital R1,980,496	Operation- al R459,894 Capital R 2,000,000	Operation- al R459,894 Capital R 2,000,000	Operational R550,000 Capital R 3,000,000	

	EMPLOYEES: ICT Services											
	2010/2011											
Job Level	Employees Number	Post Num- Employees ber Number		Vacancy (full time equiva- lent) Number	Vacancies (as % of total posts) %							
0 – 3	4	4	4	0	0%							
4 – 6	10	10	8	2	?							
7 – 9	20	25	20	5	?							
10 - 12	4	4	4	0	0%							
13 - 15	2	1	1	0	0%							
16 - 18	0	0	0	0	0							
19 - 20	0	0	0	0	0							
Total	40	44	37	7								

### COMMENT ON THE PERFORMANCE OF ICT SERVICES OVERALL:

The overall performance of the IT Services component in Sedibeng was excellent. Throughout the period the availability of systems and resources were high (over 92%) and is sure to improve further in the new financial year.

The Department has various Policy documents in place and procedures are well documented to ensure continuance in the Department. IT governance in this are is key, in order to ensure effective utilization of the resources.

During the period there were no security breaches and no loss of data occurred. Our firewalls and peripheral devices functioned well and protected the environment from infections, infiltrations, hacking and excessive browsing.

The report from the Auditor General on IT was also positive. Six issues were raised with only overall medium to low risk value. The medium risk items (matters that are important to the system of internal control and the reduction of overall risk, and should be addressed as soon as possible) were addressed immediately. Matters of low risk (suggested improvements that would enhance internal control or efficiency, but are not vital to the system of internal control) were also addressed during the year. As the mandate of the AG evolves, new matters of risk and other matters will be highlighted. The department is confident that they will be in a position to embrace the changes recommended and is confident that no serious matter will be raised, ensuring a continued unqualified IT Audit Report.

The scope of IT will further be enhanced in the forthcoming period as an effort will be made to draw and implement an IT Strategic Plan for the whole of the district. This Strategic Plan will assist IT to focus on items of relevance and importance. This would ensure that resources (time, talent, money) be properly allocated to those activities that provide the most benefit. The plan will ensure resilience in an ever changing market, where new technology is appearing on a daily basis. Realistic objects with attainable goals could be set, aligning performance with budget allocation in an environment where growth can be accelerated and improved.

A single capital project was embarked on during the period. The roll-out of the Fibre Optic Network will establish Council's vision for maintaining and enhancing communication throughout the District Municipality and to promote public infrastructural growth as per the key strategy "Improve ICT Connectivity in Sedibeng" in-line with the key deliverable "Reintegrating our Region".

The use and demand for optical fibre has grown tremendously and optical-fibre applications are numerous. These involve the transmission of voice, data or video over distances of less than a meter to hundreds of kilometers, using one single strand.

The installation of fibre optic as a "backbone" for communications technology is one of the major projects for the Sedibeng District Municipality in the next 3 years. The installation of fibre optic was primarily driven by the installations of CCTV cameras at various points throughout the District. Significant fibre optic cables were laid down from 2006 onwards. This opportunity was ceased by the IM Department to piggy-back from this project to roll-out fibre dedicated for ICT use. Approximately 58 kilometers of fibre will be laid down to link the municipal infrastructure.

The project is currently running on schedule, and this department is confident that Sedibeng will commission the fibre links into the Wide Area Network as part of our integrated network in the latter half of 2012.

Towards the end of the 2011/2012 financial year, budget allocation for this project became extremely difficult with the unavailability of funding. This should be carefully managed in the outer years of this project or the project could fail. Costs for the project will escalate as new sites are identified and included as part of the roll-out program. Sufficient budget should also be allocated to the maintenance votes to ensure timely replacement and repair of faulty cables and equipment as this would hamper the feasibility of the infrastructure.

It is crucial that funding be sourced and be supported in order to reap the benefits from the money and

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#### 3.28 PROPERTY; LEGAL; RISK MANAGEMENT AND PROCUREMENT SERVICES

### INTRODUCTION TO LEGAL SERVICES

Legal services are rendered under the auspices of the Legal and Support Services directorate. The other business units that fall under this directorate are the committee section, records management, auxiliary service and legal services. Functions of the legal services unit include the rendering of general legal support to council committees and other functionaries, the development/vetting of contracts, contract management and instituting or defending of legal action. The main priority for legal services is to ensure compliance with legislative prescripts and to minimise risk insofar as legal issues are concerned.

Legal Services has largely achieved its objectives in that there have been no legal challenges arising out of contracts and their management, or in any other area of its operation. This has been the result of regular meetings with contract administrators which are aimed at keeping track of the way contracts are managed and timeously identifying milestones and challenges before they escalate into real problems. Regular meetings have also been held with Legal Services of the local municipalities to ensure alignment in the handling of legal matters and to exchange best practices.

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SERVICE STATISTICS FOR PROPERTY: LEGAL: RISK MANAGEMENT AND PROCUREMENT SERVICES.

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	LEGAL SERVICES POLICY OBJECTIVES TAKEN FROM IDP										
			2011	2011/2012			2012/2013				
			ACTUAL	TARGET		TARGET ACTUAL		TARGET			
SERVICE OB- JECTIVES (i)	OUTLINE SERVICE TARGETS (ii)	PREVIOUS YEAR (iii)	(iv)	PREVIOUS YEAR (V)	CURRENT YEAR (vi)	(vii)	CURRENT YEAR (viii)	CURRENT YEAR (ix)	FOLLOWING YEAR (x)		
Render effec- tive support in contract management.	Implementation of internal audit recommendations and ensure proper implementation of contract management policy.	N/A	N/A	100%	100%	75%	100%	100%	100%		
Render effec- tive general legal support.	Ensure that Council committees and other Council functionaries are adequately sup- ported	N/A	N/A	100%	100%	80%	100%	100%	100%		

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	EMPLOYEES: Legal Services										
	2010/2011		2011/2012								
Job Level	Employees Number	Post Number Employees Number		Vacancy (full time equiva- lent) Number	Vacancies (as % of total posts) %						
0 – 3	00010	1 (cti)	1	N/A	N/A						
4 – 6	00064 00963	4	2	N/A	N/A						
7 – 9											
10 – 12											
13 – 15											
16 – 18											
19 – 20											
Total											

# COMPONENT J: MISCELLANEOUS

This component includes: the provision of Airports, Abattoirs, Municipal Courts and Forestry as municipal enterprises.

		UTILITIES SI	ERVICES PO	DLICY OBJEC	TIVES TAKEN	FROM IDE	•			
		2010/2011		2011/2012			2012/2013			
		TARGET	TARGET ACTUAL		TARGET			TARGET		
SERVICE OBJEC- TIVES/KPA (i)	OUTLINE SERVICE TAR- GETS/KPI (ii)	PREVIOUS YEAR (iii)	(iv)	PREVIOUS YEAR (V)	CURRENT YEAR (vi)	(vii)	CURRENT YEAR (viii)	CURRENT YEAR (ix)	FOLLOWING YEAR (x)	
Develop a turnaround Strategy (TAS) for the Fresh Produce Market	Approved turnaround strategy for the Fresh Pro- duce Market. Implementa- tion of the turnaround strategy for the Fresh Pro- duce Market	100%	100%	80%	80%	100%				
Develop a model for management of Utilities	Approved model for management of Utilities	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	60%	30%	10%	

	UTILITIES SERVICES POLICY OBJECTIVES TAKEN FROM IDP										
		2010/	2011		2011/2012			2012/2013			
		TARGET	GET ACTUAL TARGET		GET	GET ACTUAL		TARGET			
SERVICE OBJEC- TIVES/KPA (i)	OUTLINE SERVICE TAR- GETS/KPI (ii)	PREVIOUS YEAR (iii)	(iv)	PREVIOUS YEAR (V)	CURRENT YEAR (vi)	(vii)	CURRENT YEAR (viii)	CURRENT YEAR (ix)	FOLLOWING YEAR (x)		
Develop a model for management of taxi rank	Approved model for management of taxi ranks	100%	100%	80%	20%	100%	20%	10%	10%		
Develop a TAS for airports Vereeniging/ Heidelberg	Approved turnaround strategy for Airports	100%	50%	50%	50%	50%	50%	50%	100%		

Financial Performance 2011/2012						
Details	2010/2011	2011/2012				
	Actual	Original Budget	Adjustment Budget	Actual	Variance to Budget	
	57428119-65	65396841	66645544	64353063	2292481	

### **UTILITIES DEPARTMENT**

For a list of employees in Utilities and their demographics, refer to Human Resource section of this report.

This department was initially linked to facilities as a section but was separated to be an independent department when taxi ranks were included as a component.

The following units form the department of utilities:

- 1. Fresh Produce Market
- 2 Airports, Vereeniging and Heidelberg
- 3. Regional taxi ranks

### **Model for Utilities**

Because this was created after the main organogram was concluded, the council needed to align all the structures to its strategies its process needs to run seamless with its strategies. A consulting firm was appointed to develop a model of management for this department and assist with the development/establishment of entities as envisaged.(State the year)

### **Fresh Produce Market**

With the idea of contributing to the enhancement of the economy of the region and improving the operations at the market, the Council undertook to develop a turnaround strategy at the market, consultants Blue Square Consultants were appointed to develop and implement the turnaround strategy. The implementation is at 80% towards finality.

### **Vereeniging Airport**

Vereeniging Airport as one of the units in this department needed a Turnaround Strategy to enable and maximise on its potential in order to have a meaningful role towards the contribution to the economic upliftment of the region. Consultants were appointed to development a turnaround strategy to improve the operation of the airport. The turnaround strategy was approved by Section 80 for consideration by the Mayoral Committee. Option 3 of the recommended options was approved subject to the Council ratification and the implementation thereof being subject to the normal Supply Chain Management process.

### **Taxi Ranks**

Consultants: Inyosi Consulting was appointed to develop a model to manage the taxi ranks and ensure effective and efficient utilization of the facility, resented to Mayoral. The report was approved by Section 80 for submission to the Mayoral Committee for consideration.

### **Upgrading of Taxido Taxi Rank/Vereeniging Taxi Rank**

An understanding was created that the upgrading and refurbishment of this hub will be undertaken in conjunction with

PRASA and the department of transport and the District, this has never taken place but the situation at this facility is deteriorating worse causing unnecessary emergency needs and constant repairs.

### **Sebokeng Taxi Rank**

The facility is at least for now in a reasonable condition but needs to be consistently checked and maintained a proper maintenance plan should be put in place to sustain the facility and avoid unnecessary deviations.

# **Bophelong Taxi Rank**

A new facility has been developed and furnished awaiting official hand-over to Council and operation.

EMPLOYEES: ICT Services							
	2010/2011	2011/2012					
Job Level	Employees Number	Post Number	Employees Number	Vacancy (full time equivalent) Number	Vacancies (as % of total posts) %		
0 – 3	4	4	2	2	50%		
4 – 6	3	3	2	1	33%		
7 – 9	6	7	8	0	0%		
10 – 12	3	3	4	0	0%		
13 – 15	33	33	25	8	24%		
16 – 18							
19 – 20							
Total							

Financial Performance 2011/2012							
	2010/2011	2011/2012					
Details	Actual	Original Budget	Adjustment Budget	Actual	Variance to Budget		
Total Operational Revenue (excluding tariffs)							
Expenditure:							
Employees	23 316 840.77	23 603 903.00	11 284 376.00	10 934 805.90	1.16%		
Repairs and Maintenance	16 728 557.79	9 828 800.00	17 101 934.00	15 213 995.89	3.46%		
Town hall	21 017.79	282 000.00	1 415 928.00	158 633.11	0.78%		
Internal Security	-	12 500 000.00	15 264 858.00	15 024 669.96	-0.17%		
Fleet Management	1 246 902.06	67 000.00	121 000	1 214 297.10	-046%		
Other: Administration	16 219 718.86	186 480.00	175 309.00	106 102.82	0.75%		
Total Operational Expenditure	57 533 037.27	46 468 183.00	45 363 405.00	42 652 504.78	0.089%		
Net Operational (Service) Expenditure							

Net expenditure to consistent with summary table T.12 in Chapter 5. Variances are calculated by dividing the difference between the Actual and Original Budget by the Actual.

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Capital Expenditure 2011/2012: ICT Services							
Conital Formanditum (Net	2011/2012						
Capital Expenditure (Not projects)	Budget	Adjustment Budget	Actual Expenditure	Variance from origi- nal budget	Total Project Value		
Total All							
Furniture and Equipment	0	0	-4 200.00	-4 200.00			
Computers & Printers	0	0	0				
Capital Projects	1 000 000.00	1 000 000.00	0				
Vehicles	2 000 000.00	0	0				

### COMPONENT K: ORGANISATIONAL PERFOMANCE SCORECARD

### INTRODUCTION

This section provides a consolidated account of activities in relation to the table above, showcasing achievements and progress in each deliverable.

In the 2011/12 year SDM complied with Chapters 6 of the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act, 2000 (Act No.32 of 2000), which requires local government to:

- · Develop a performance management system (electronic system is currently introduced)
- · Set targets, monitor and review performance based on indicators linked to the Integrated Development Plan (IDP).
- Publish an annual report on performance management for the councilors, staff, the public and other spheres of government.
- Incorporate and report on a set of general indicators prescribed nationally by the Minister responsible for local government.
- Conduct an internal audit on performance report audited by the Auditor-General.
- · Involve the community in setting indicators and targets and reviewing municipal performance.

### **BACKGROUND**

The Sedibeng District Municipality in consultation with its stakeholders and employees developed seven Key Priority Areas (KPAs) and IDP Strategies. The specific IDP deliverables/projects, targets, key performance indicators, outputs and outcomes were then identified under each strategy in the formulation of the five year Integrated Development Plan. Each year the IDP was reviewed and annual IDP and its SDBIP were developed through the same process of intensive consultations. SDM identified the following Key Priority Areas (KPAs) in its mission towards broader and long term growth and development of the region:

- · Reinventing our economy
- Renewing our communities
- · Reviving sustainable environment
- Reintegrating our region
- · Releasing human potential
- · Good and financial sustainable governance
- Vibrant democracy

This Chapter focuses on key activities and actions undertaken by relevant Directorates in various Clusters towards the achievement of set targets and objectives under each KPA. These activities were implemented within Key Priory Areas (KPAs), and against each IDP Strategy, thus applied in the valuation and assessment of broader organisational performance.

### **PROGRESS AGAINST KPAs**

The Sedibeng District Municipality undertaken as prescribed most of deliverables in its Service Delivery and Budget Implementation Plan (SDBIP), and have compiled a portfolio of evidence in all Clusters for audit verification.

The detailed information about municipal general performance is in the 2011-12 Annual Performance Report.

# **CHAPTER 4 – ORGANISATIONAL DEVELOPMENT** PERFORMANCE (PERFORMANCE REPORT PART II)

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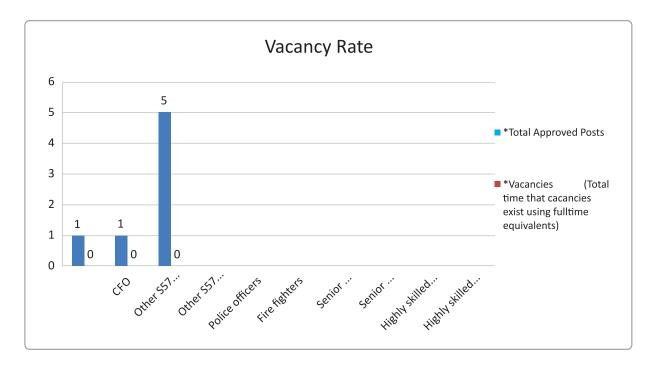
# **COMPONENT A: INTRODUCTION TO THE MUNICIPAL PERSONNEL**

#### 4.1 **EMPLOYEE TOTALS, TURNOVER AND VACANCIES**

Employees						
	Year -1	Year 0				
Description	Employees	Approved Posts	Employees	Vacancies	Vacancies	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	%	
Water	-	-	-	-	%	
Waste Water (Sanitation)	_	_	-	_	%	
Electricity	_	-	-	_	%	
Waste Management					%	
Housing	4				%	
Waste Water (Stormwater Drainage)	_	_	_	_	%	
Roads					%	
Transport	11				%	
Planning					%	
Local Economic Development	4				%	
Planning (Strategic &Regulatary)	7				%	
Local Economic Development					%	
Community & Social Services					%	
EnviromentalProctection					%	
Health	6				%	
Security and Safety	23				%	
Sport and Recreation	4				%	
Corporate Policy Offices and Other					%	
Totals	0	-	-	-	_	
Headings follow the order of services as set out in chapter 3. Service totals should equate to those included in the Chapter 3 employee schedules. Employee and Approved Posts numbers are as at 30 June, as per the approved organogram.						

Vacancy Rate: Year 0							
Designations	*Total Ap- proved Posts	*Vacancies (Total time that vacancies exist using fulltime equivalents)	*Vacancies (as a proportion of total posts in each category)				
	No.	No.	%				
Municipal Manager	1	0	0.00				
CFO	1	0	0.00				
Other S57 Managers (excluding Finance Posts)	5	0	0.00				
Other S57 Managers (Finance posts)							
Police officers							
Fire fighters							

Vacancy Rate: Ye			
Designations	*Vacancies (as a proportion of total posts in each category)		
Senior management: Levels 13-15 (excluding Finance Posts)			
Senior management: Levels 13-15 (Finance posts)			
Highly skilled supervision: levels 9-12 (excluding Finance posts)			
Highly skilled supervision: levels 9-12 (Finance posts)			
Total	7	0	0.00
Note: *For posts which are established and funded in the approved budget or a employee provision have been made). Full-time equivalents are calculated by (excluding weekends and public holidays) while a post remains vacant and add within the same set (e.g. 'senior management') then dividing that total by 250 to accumulated days.	T 4.1.2		



		Turn-over Rate	
Details	Total Appointments as of begin- ning of Financial Year	Terminations during the Finan- cial Year	Turn-over Rate*
	No.	No.	_
Year -2	2	50	2500%
Year -1	19	40	211%
Year 0	62	38	61%
	ber of employees who have left the or oyees who occupied posts at the begin	T 4.1.3	
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## COMPONENT B: MANAGING THE MUNICIPAL WORKFORCE

#### 4.2 **POLICIES**

	Name of Policy	Completed	Reviewed	Date adopted by council or comment on
	_	%	%	failure to adopt
1	Affirmative Action			
2	Attraction and Retention			
3	Code of Conduct for employees			
4	Delegations, Authorisation & Responsibility			
5	Disciplinary Code and Procedures			
6	Essential Services			
7	Employee Assistance / Wellness			
8	Employment Equity			27-Aug-08
9	Exit Management			1-Dec-10
10	Grievance Procedures			
11	HIV/Aids			
12	Human Resource and Development			
13	Information Technology			
14	Job Evaluation			
15	Leave			Draft
16	Occupational Health and Safety			1-Oct-10
17	Official Housing			Draft
18	Official Journeys			29-Oct-96
19	Official transport to attend Funerals			23-Feb-99
20	Official Working Hours and Overtime			Draft
21	Organisational Rights			
22	Payroll Deductions			
23	Performance Management and Development		1-Dec-10	1-Dec-10
24	Recruitment, Selection and Appointments		1-Dec-10	1-Dec-10
25	Remuneration Scales and Allowances			
26	Resettlement			Draft
27	Sexual Harassment			
28	Skills Development			
29	Smoking			
30	Special Skills			
31	Work Organisation			
32	Uniforms and Protective Clothing			
33	Other:			

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#### 4.3 INJURIES, SICKNESS AND SUSPENSIONS

Number and Cost of Injuries on Duty								
Type of injury	Injury Leave Taken	Employees us- ing injury leave	Proportion em- ployees using sick leave	Average Injury Leave per em- ployee	Total Estimated Cost			
	Days	No.	%	Days	R'000			
Required basic medical attention only	0	9	0%	0	405776			
Temporary total disablement	236	31	13%	8	1397674			
Permanent disablement								

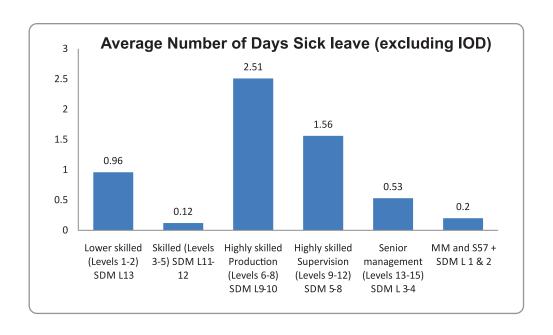
Number and Cost of Injuries on Duty							
Type of injury	Injury Leave Taken	Employees us- ing injury leave	Proportion em- ployees using sick leave	Average Injury Leave per em- ployee	Total Estimated Cost		
	Days	No.	%	Days	R'000		
Fatal							
Total	236	40	17%	47	1803450		
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Numbe	Number of days and Cost of Sick Leave (excluding injuries on duty)									
Salary band	Total sick leave	Proportion of sick leave with- out medical certification	Employees using sick leave	Total employ- ees in post*	*Average sick leave per Employees	Esti- mated cost				
	Days	%	No.	No.	Days	R' 000				
Lower skilled (Levels 1-2) <b>SDM L13</b>	555	90%	10	131	0.96	200				
Skilled (Levels 3-5) SDM L 11-12	72			13	0.12	31				
Highly skilled production (levels 6-8) <b>SDM L9-10</b>	1459			211	2.51	823				
Highly skilled supervision (levels 9-12) <b>SDM L 5-8</b>	904	95%	2	157	1.56	776				
Senior management (Levels 13-15)SDM L 3-4	307			52	0.53	385				
MM and S57 + SDM L 1 & 2	115			17	0.20	187				
Total	3412	93%	12	581	5.87	2402				

 $<sup>^{\</sup>star}$  - Number of employees in post at the beginning of the year

\*Average is calculated by taking sick leave in colunm 2 divided by total employees in colunm 5

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		Number and Period of Su	spensions		
Position		Nature of Alleged Misconduct	Date of Sus- pension	Details of Disciplinary Action taken or Status of Case and Reasons why not Finalised	Date Final- ised
Co-Ordinator Arts & Culture		Fraud	29-Mar-12	Charged	Ongoing
Admin Assistant		Disclosure of Information	Aug-11	Final Written Warning	
Manager: Safety & Security		Disclosure of Information	Aug-11	Charged	Ongoing
Supervisor: LicensingFraud& (	Corruption		16-Apr-12	Charged	Ongoing
Cashier/Clerk		Fraud & Corruption	16-Apr-12	Charged	Ongoing
Investigator		Fraud & Corruption	17-Apr-12	Charged	Ongoing
General Worker		Fraud & Corruption	19-Jun-12	Charged	Ongoing
Examiner		Fraud & Corruption	16-Apr-12	Charged	Ongoing
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Disciplinary Action Taken on	Cases of Finan	Lial Misconduct			
		eged Misconduct and Rand value the municipality	Disciplinary ac	tion taken	Date Final ised
Co-Ordinator Arts & Culture	Fraud R29 20	00.00)	Suspended and	d Charged	Ongoing
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#### 4.4 **PERFORMANCE REWARDS**

		Beneficiary profile								
Designations	Gender	Total number of employees in group	Number of beneficiaries	Expenditure on rewards 30 June 2012	Proportion of beneficiaries within group					
				R' 000	%					
Lauran della della della conda 1 2) CDM L 12	Female	55	0	0	0%					
Lower skilled (Levels 1-2) SDM L 13	Male	76	0	0	0%					
CL'II 1/1 1 2 5\ CDM1 11 12	Female	7	0	0	0%					
Skilled (Levels 3-5) SDM L 11 -12	Male	6	0	0	0%					
Highly skilled production (levels 6-8) SDM	Female	149	0	0	0%					
L 9 - 10	Male	62	0	0	0%					
Highly skilled supervision (levels 9-12)	Female	69	0	0	0%					
SDM 5 - 8	Male	88	0	0	0%					
Senior management (Levels 13-15) SDM	Female	15	0	0	0%					
L 3-4	Male	37	0	0	0%					
	Female	2	0	0	0%					
MM and S57 + SDM L 1 & 2	Male	12	0	0	0%					
Total		578								
Has the statutory municipal calculator bee	n used as pa	art of the evaluation p	process ?		Yes/No					
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## COMPONENT C: CAPACITATING THE MUNICIPAL WORKFORCE

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#### 4.5 SKILLS DEVELOPMENT AND TRAINING

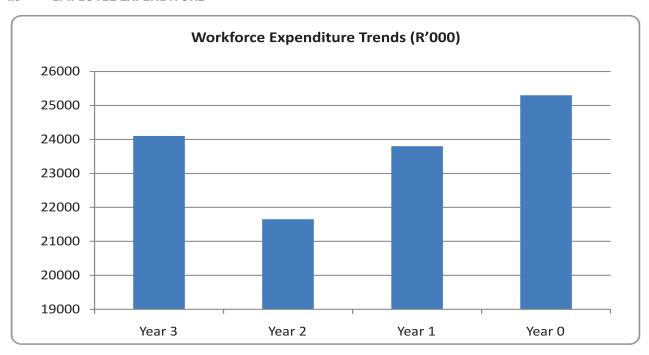
	Skills Matrix													
		Employ-												
Manage-	Gen-	2016		post as at Learnerships Skills 30 June other		ills programmes & Other forms ther short courses		orms of t	of training		Total			
ment level	der	No.	Actual: 30 June 2011	Actual: 30 June 2012	Target: 30 Jun 2012	Actual: 30 June 2011	Actual: 30 June 2012	Target: 30 Jun 2012	Actual: 30 June 2011	Actual: 30 June 2012	Target: 30 Jun 2012	Actual: 30 June 2011	Actual: 30 June 2012	Target: 30 Jun 2012
MM and s57	Female	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
IMIM alla 557	Male	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	2
Council-	Female	41	0	0	0	13	16	17	7	9	9	20	25	26
lors, senior officials and manager	Male	93	0	0	0	8	12	30	4	5	5	12	17	35
Technicians	Female	20	0	0	3	4	2	10	4	4	10	8	6	23
and associ- ate profes- sionals*	Male	31	0	1	2	6	8	10	2	2	8	8	11	20
Profession-	Female	37	7	7	12	7	7	15	0	0	6	14	14	33
als	Male	54	7	7	7	4	2	10	1	0	2	12	2	2
Sub total	Female	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sub lotat	Male	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total		284	14	15	24	42	47	92	18	21	42	74	76	141
*Registered w	ith profe	ssional Asso	ciate Bod	y e.g CA (	SA)								T	4.5.1

				R'O	000							
		Employees as							ment Year 1	ment Year 1		
Management level		Gender	at the begin- ning of the financial year	Learne	erships	Skills prog other sho		Other fo		То	tal	
		No.	Original Budget	Actual	Original Budget	Actual	Original Budget	Actual	Original Budget	Actual		
	Female	2	0	0	0	0	0	0				
MM and S57	Male	6	0	0	0	0	85	84	85	84		
Legislators, sen-	Female	41	0	0	0	24	150	84	0	108		
ior officials and managers	Male	93	0	0	0	44	80	79	0	123		
Duefeerieuele	Female	20	0	0	2	13	50	31	52	44		
Professionals	Male	31	0	30	0	4	50	0	0	34		
Technicians and	Female	37	850	850	0	0	50	5	900	855		
associate profes- sionals	Male	54	658	658	0	58	75	9	733	725		
Clarka	Female	0	0	0	0	69	0	5	0	74		
Clerks	Male					21				21		
Service and sales	Female					39				39		
workers	Male					8				8		
Plant and ma- chine operators	Female											
and assemblers	Male											
Elementary oc-	Female	55										
cupations	Male	76										
Sub total	Female	100	850	850	2	145	250	125	1102	1120		
Jub (Olal	Male	184	658	688		135	290	172	948	995		
Total		284	1508	1538	2	280	540	297	2050	2115		
*% and *R value of	% and *R value of municipal salaries (original budget) allocated for workplace skills plan.								*R			

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#### 4.6 **EMPLOYEE EXPENDITURE**



T 4.6.1 Source: MBRR SA22

Number Of Employees Whose Salaries Were I	ncreased Due To Their Positions Being Upgra	ded		
Beneficiaries	Gender	Total		
Lauren della del (1 a cala de 2)	Female	0		
Lower skilled (Levels 1-2)	Male	0		
	Female	0		
Skilled (Levels 3-5)	Male	0		
Highly skilled production	Female	0		
(Levels 6-8)	Male	0		
	Female	0		
Highly skilled supervision (Levels9-12)	Male	0		
	Female	0		
Senior management (Levels13-16)	Male	0		
MM 1 C E 7	Female	0		
MM and S 57	Male	0		
Total		0		
Those with disability are shown in brackets '(x)' in the 'Number of beneficiaries' column as well as in the numbers at the right hand side of the column (as illustrated above).				

Employees Whose Salary Levels Exceed The Grade Determined By Job Evaluation (NONE)								
Occupa- tion	Number of employees	Job evaluation level	Remuneration level	Reason for deviation				

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	Employees appointed to posts not approved ( NONE)							
Department	Level	Date of appoint- ment	No. ap- pointed	Reason for appointment when no established post exist				
				T 4.6.4				

				R	'000							
			Original Budget and Actual Expenditure on skills development Year 1									
Management level	Employees as at the begin- ning of the Gender financial year		Learnerships		Skills programmes & other short courses		Other forms of training		Total			
		No.	Original Budget	Actual	Original Budget	Actual	Original Budget	Actual	Original Budget	Actual		
4M I CE7	Female	2	0	0	0	0	0	0				
MM and S57	Male	6	0	0	0	0	85	84	85	84		
egislators, sen-	Female	41	0	0	0	24	150	84	0	108		
or officials and managers	Male	93	0	0	0	44	80	79	0	123		
Professionals	Female	20	0	0	2	13	50	31	52	44		
Professionals	Male	31	0	30	0	4	50	0	0	34		
Technicians and	Female	37	850	850	0	0	50	5	900	855		
associate profes- sionals	Male	54	658	658	0	58	75	9	733	725		
21	Female	0	0	0	0	69	0	5	0	74		
Clerks	Male					21				21		
Service and sales	Female					39				39		
vorkers	Male					8				8		
Plant and ma-	Female											
chine operators and assemblers	Male											
Elementary oc-	Female	55										
cupations	Male	76										
	Female	100	850	850	2	145	250	125	1102	1120		
Sub total	Male	184	658	688		135	290	172	948	995		
Total		284	1508	1538	2	280	540	297	2050	2115		
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## **CHAPTER 5 – FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE**

INTRODUCTION

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## **COMPONENT A: STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE**

### INTRODUCTION TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Note: Statements of Revenue Collection Performance by vote and by source are included at Appendix K.

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#### 5.1 STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE

### CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER'S OVERVIEW FOR THE ANNUAL REPORT 2011/2012

### 1. INTRODUCTION

The Sedibeng District Municipality is situated in the southern part of Gauteng Province. As a district municipality it performs a coordinating function over three local municipalities namely Emfuleni, Lesedi, and Midvaal Local Municipalities.

The District Municipality's mission is the creation of a local government dedicated to the provision of quality services in an effective, efficient and financially sound manner by promoting the Batho Pele principles of ensuring cost effective and affordable service delivery, monitoring and developing staff to ensure consistently high work output, adhering to good governance and sound management practices, as well as developing a culture of accountability and transparency.

National Treasury and the Department of Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs (COGTA) launched the Operation Clean Audit Programme in 2009. At this event the National Minister bestowed upon Sedibeng District Municipality and its local municipalities the award as Ambassador of Operation Clean Audit to assist other municipalities in the country to achieve this status as well.

It is within this context that Sedibeng District Municipality works in collaboration with its local municipalities through our intergovernmental relation structures towards a district wide Clean Audit Status approach.

## 2. DISCUSSION

### 2.1 Internal Quality Control Processes:

The annual financial statements attached hereto as ANNEXURE "A" was subjected to a rigorous quality assessment as part of our Operation Clean Audit (OPCA) internal control processes. SDM undertook for our financial statements to be reviewed externally by a professional service provider, in order to assure the quality on the face of the financial statements as well as the accompanying notes and lead schedules. In line with this process we have also reviewed and amended our financial policies and procedures which are also subject and ready for audit by the Auditor-General. In addition SDM has over the last two and a half years implemented a cost containment strategy which purported to place austerity measures within the municipality to save costs. The process is ongoing and the fruits of the outcome has generated a substantial saving in our budget.

## 2.2 Objective:

The basic financial reporting objectives as prescribed by the Accounting Standards Board are:

Financial reporting should assist in fulfilling government's duty to be publicly accountable and should enable users to assess that accountability by:-

Providing information to determine whether current year revenues were sufficient to meet the cost of providing current year services rendered.

Demonstrating whether resources were obtained and used in accordance with Council's legally adopted

budget, and demonstrating compliance with other finance-related legal or contractual requirements.

- · Providing information to assist users in assessing the service efforts, costs, and accomplishments of the entity.
- Financial reporting should assist users in evaluating the operating results of Council for the year by:-
  - · Providing information about sources and uses of financial resources.
  - · Providing information about how it finances its activities and meet its cash flow requirements.
  - Providing information necessary to determine whether its financial position improved or deteriorated as a result of the year's operations.
- Financial reporting should assist users in assessing the level of services that can be provided by Council and its ability
  to meet its obligations as they become due by:-
  - · Providing information about its financial position and condition.
  - Providing information about its physical and other non-financial resources having useful lives that extend beyond the current year, including information that can be used to assess the service potential of those resources.
  - Disclosing legal or contractual restrictions on resources and the risk of potential loss of resources.

This report analyses the financial position and financial performance trends over the past four years of Sedibeng District Municipality as per the UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING 30 JUNE 2012, annexed hereto as ANNEXURE "A".

Accountability, Evaluation, Assessment, Statement of Financial Position, Statement of Key words:

Financial Performance, Statement of Change in Net Assets, Statement of Cash Flow, Assets, Liabilities, Net Assets, Financial Ratios

## 2.3 Statement of Financial Position Definitions

The financial position of a municipality is directly measured by the number of resources controlled by the municipality from which future economic benefits are expected (assets), obligations resulting in a outflow of municipal resources (liabilities) and the residual interest in the assets of Council after deducting all the liabilities of the municipality, also known as the community's wealth or Council's net worth (net assets).

What Council Owns (Assets) – What Council Owes (Liabilities) = Council's Net Assets

Item Description	Item Definition
Current Assets	These are the most liquid assets
Property, plant & equipment	Fixed assets of Council
Current Liabilities	Obligations Council must pay within the next year  Accrued expenses are unpaid expenses  Current portion of long-term debt are the monies owed in the next year on long-term debt
Non-current Liabilities	Monies borrowed to finance long-term assets

The net assets of Council are primarily composed of the accumulated surplus and reserves that Council has built up over the years. The nature of these reserves is that they are ring-fenced for specific purposes. These reserves are not supported by cash but are only used for book entry purposes for the phasing in of increased depreciation charges as a result of the full implementation of GRAP 17.

The accumulated surplus, on the other hand, is built up over the years from savings made every year from the service delivery operations of Council. The accumulated surplus is then utilised for funding those projects that Council were not able to procure external (grant) funding for. These are referred to as internally funded projects. It must be noted that the accumulated surplus is made up of accounting book-entries and does not necessarily imply that these sums are cash-backed by physical funds in investments. The monies held in investments for Council are mostly made up of grant monies received that are not yet utilised.

The statement of financial position states Council's financial position at the end of an operating period of a 12-month fiscal year (July 2011 to June 2012). It represents the assets, liabilities, net assets and their relationship to one another. This report performs a horizontal analysis of Council's balance sheet items over the past four fiscal years.

	2012	2011	2010	2009
ASSETS	237,569,552	265 190 491	339 325 458	351 212 640
Current Assets	51,412,714	70,279,076	170 541 735	221 201 520
Non-Current Assets	186,156,838	194,911,415	168 783 723	130 011 120
LIABILITIES	62,217,351	93,647,803	76 401 755	66 390 200
Current Liabilities	62,217,351	93,647,803	76 401 755	66 390 200
Non-current Liabilities				
NET ASSETS	175,352,201	171,542,688	262 923 703	284 822 440

Item Description	Discussion/ Trend Analysis
Assets	Council assets have shown a diminishing increase over the last four financial periods. The last two financial periods have shown a decline in total assets resulting in an average decrease of 14% in current assets.
Liabilities	Council liabilities have shown an average decrease 6% over the last four financial periods. This is primarily due to Council's increase in operations as there have been no long-term liabilities for the past three financial years.
Net Assets	Council net assets have shown a steady decline of an average of 20% over the last four financial periods. This is mostly due to the decrease in Council assets due the transfer of capital project construction assets of over R85million to the local municipalities as this transfer impacts directly on the calculation of the operating deficit which in turn adversely affects the accumulated surplus.

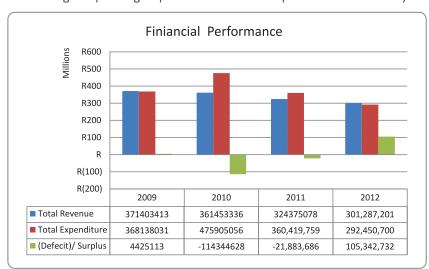
## 2.5 Description of Statement of Financial Performance:

The statement of financial performance shows the results of operations over the past four-year period. It lists sources of revenue and expenses. The statement measures the performance of Council for a given period of time. Surplus or deficit is used to measure financial performance and directly related to the measurement of revenue and expenditure for the reporting period.

Operating expenses are incurred in the course of conducting normal Council business. They are classified by function such as employee related costs, general expenses, finance charges and contributions to provisions.

## 2.6 Analysis of Statement of Financial Performance:

Council has moved from declaring an operating surplus to a deficit for the previous two financial years. This deficit is



directly in relation to the transfer of completed capital projects to the local municipalities paid as grants & subsidies to the value of R85,525,748 in the 2010/11 financial year. Due to our cost containment measures implemented council managed to reduce general expenses which resulted in the 2012 financial year end to close with a operating surplus of R4,4 million. A detailed discussion on various operating line items is provided below.

## 2.7 Operating Revenue:

Revenue is the gross inflow of economic benefits or service potential during the reporting period when those inflows result in an increase in net assets. Revenue categories include:

Category Description	Definition
Sale of goods	Income derived from sale of fuel at the airport
Rental of facilities and equipment	Rental of facilities and equipment such as the town hall and theatres
Interest received Interest received from trading activities as well as on investments	
Income from agency services	
Licenses and permits	Income received from performing the motor vehicle licensing and permits function on behalf of provincial administration
Government grants & subsidies Government grants & subsidies received as per DoRA allocations	
Other income	Other Income consists of income items such as ambulance fees, airfield fees, profit on sale of assets, skills levy income, tender income as well as recoveries from telephone costs and commission on salaries

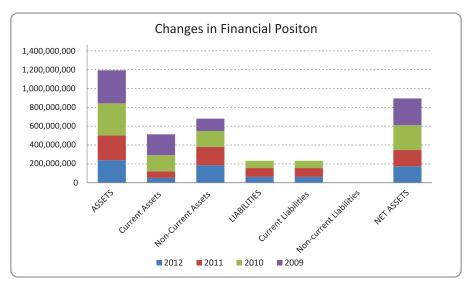
	2012		2011		2010		2009	Ave
Revenue								
Sale of goods	1,217,207	74%	321,965	5%	305,674	-22%	371,463	26%
Rental of facilities and equipment	7,799,499	1%	7,695,109	-10%	8,428,823	5%	8,026,490	-1%
Interest received (trading)	-		-	-	141	-9289%	13,238	
Income from agency services	6,963,365	7%	6,496,536	13%	5,664,190	28%	4,057,196	16%
Licenses and permits	59,605,708	17%	49,309,873	14%	42,223,033	9%	38,477,430	14%
Government grants & subsidies	292,212,987	1%	290,229,183	13%	252,453,877	9%	228,808,544	8%
Other income	1,380,793	16%	1,163,667	-60%	1,865,007	-12%	2,091,036	-19%
Interest received – investment	2,221,854	-181%	6,237,003	-121%	13,813,333	-41%	19,441,804	-114%
Total Revenue	371,401,413	3%	361,453,336	10%	324,754,078	7%	301,287,201	7%

The marginal average increase in income from agency services, licenses & permits, grants & subsidies and "other income" does not compensate for the drastic declines in the other sources of revenue, which is a contributory factor to the closing on a deficit for the previous two financial years. The revenue generated from interest on investments averages at a decline of 114%, with 2011 reporting a decline of 121% and 2012 a decline of 181%. This is directly attributed to

Council's reducing cash held in short-term investments due to the continual compensation of a shortfall in the EMS subsidy allocation from Provincial Department of Health. Revenue has also increased at a lower rate than the CPI rate which had a direct impact on expenses.

## 2.8 Operating Expenses:

Expenses are decreases in economic benefits or service potential during the reporting period in the form of outflows or consumption of assets or incurrence of liabilities that result in decreases in net assets. Operating expenses were divided into ten categories:



Category Description	Definition
General Expenses	Those expenses directly relating to revenue production and service delivery
Employee Related Costs	Labour related costs
Remuneration of Councillors	Costs related to Public Office Bearers allowances as per the Upper Limits gazetted
Debt Impairment	The process of reducing a current asset by the amount by which the carrying amount of the current asset (debtor) exceeds its recoverable amount
Depreciation &Amortisation	The systematic allocation of the depreciable amount of an asset over its useful life with depreciable amount being the cost of an asset, or other amount substituted for cost, less its residual value
Finance Costs	Expenses that reflect the price of purchasing goods, services and financial instruments
Collection Costs	Costs related to the application of Council's credit control & debt collection policy
Repairs & Maintenance	Costs related to the day-to-day servicing of Council's property, plant & equipment
Contracted Services	Expenses related to the engagement of external service providers for the performance of a knowledge-based expertise specialty function
Grants & Subsidies Paid	Government grants & subsidies paid as per DoRA allocations and MTREF

	2012		2011		2010		2009	Ave
Expenditure								
General Expenses	57,591,970	-54%	88,407,759	6%	83,247,398	34%	54,579,209	-4%
Employee related costs	228,392,383	-2%	232,230,971	15%	98,381,839	20%	58,715,935	11%
Remuneration of councillors	9,407,075	11%	8,368,655	8%	7,672,806	6%	7,215,362	8%
Debt impairment	93,999	60%	37,761		-		3,663,701	60%
Depreciation and amortisation	23,602,041	27%	17,198,678	48%	8,962,556	21%	7,106,863	32%
Finance costs	-		-		317	-9245%	29,623	-9245%
Collection costs					218,918	100%	-	
Repairs and maintenance	6,077,486	-29.62%	7,877,686	0%	7,864,470	12%	6,935,182	-6%
Contracted services	42,723,077	13%	37,072,909	9%	33,919,718	28%	24,479,909	17%
Grants and subsidies paid	250,000	-33784%	84,710,637	76%	20,151,737	-48%	29,724,916	-11252%
Total Expenditure	368,138,031	-29%	475,905,056	24%	360,419,759	19%	292,450,700	5%

#### 2.8.1 General Expenses

Council has made a concerted effort to reduce operating expenses by implementing cost cutting and containment practices. This has resulted in a 54% decrease in general expenses from the previous reporting year (2011) to the one under review (2012).

## 2.8.2 Employee Related Costs

Although the average increase in salaries and contributions to benefits has been 11% for the past four financial years, the decrease for 2012 was as a result of the moratorium on placements, demonstrating that cost containment exercises have been proving successful.

### 2.8.3 Debt Impairment

Debt impairment is assessed and recommended on an ad-hoc basis as each case is reviewed and evaluated individually according to the debtor's specific circumstances as per Council's credit control and debt collection policy.

The motivations for the recommendation are tabled accordingly to Council for their approval prior to any write-off's.

## 2.8.4 Depreciation and Amortisation

Depreciation costs are transacted on a straight-line method as per the accounting policies and have increased by an average of 32% for the last four years due to the average increase of 11% (refer to Statement of Financial Position) in Council non-current asset acquisitions.

### 2.8.5 Finance Costs

No finance costs for the reporting period due to the discontinuation of Council long-term liabilities.

### 2.8.6 Collection Costs

No collection costs incurred due to the repeal of RSC levies and write-off of outstanding balances.

## 2.8.7 Repairs & Maintenance

Although repairs & maintenance costs have decreased by an average of 6% over the last four financial years, the decrease in 2012 of 29.62% was well below the average at an indicator of 0,17%. This further indicates that Council has been unable to implement routine repairs & maintenance on Council-owned assets in recent financial periods due to the financial constraints imposed by the global financial crisis of 2009.

### 2.8.8 Contracted Services

There was a 13% increase in 2012 for contracted services and an average increase of 17% over the last four financial years. All contracts entered into by Council are reviewed thoroughly by Corporate Services: Legal and approved by the Municipal Manager.

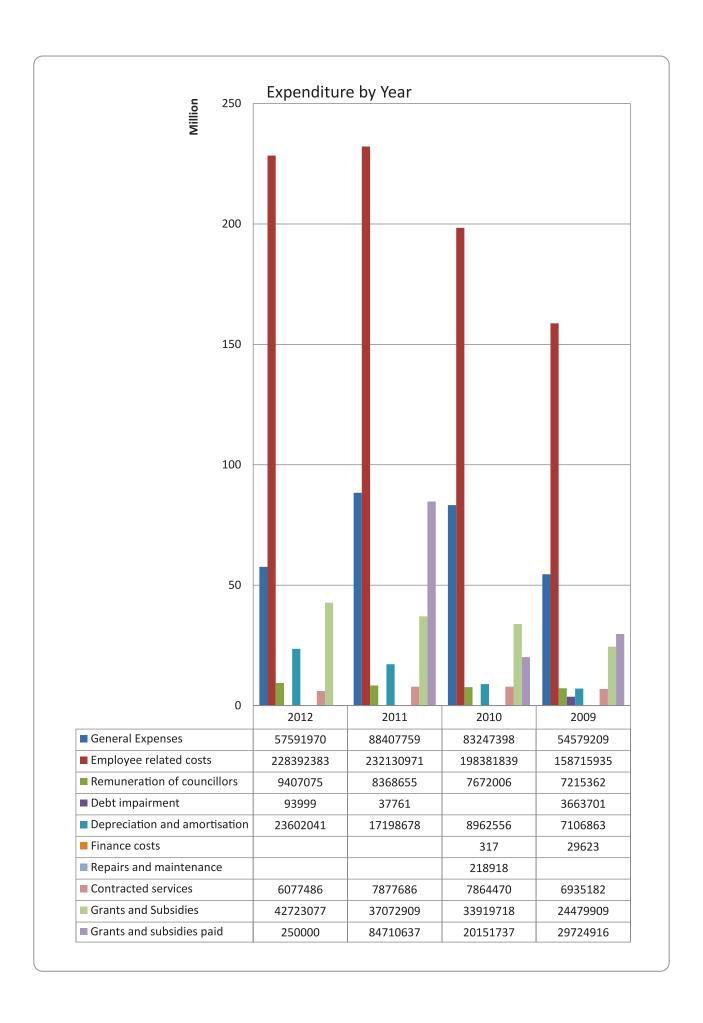
## 2.8.9 Grants & Subsidies Paid

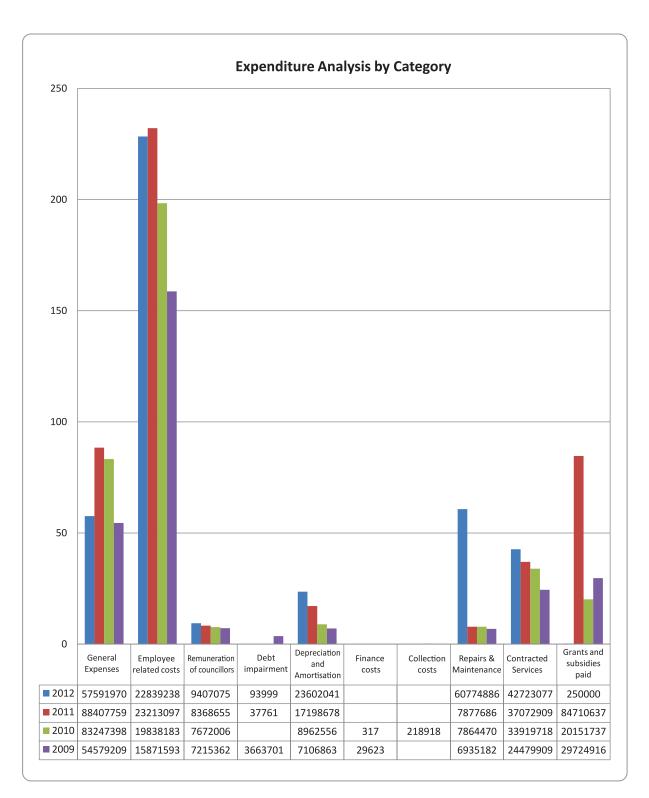
Grants & subsidies of R250 000 was paid to Emfuleni Local Municipality in the 2012 financial year. No Assets under construction will be transferred in the current financial year until a proper evaluation of where the asset belongs based on functions is performed. This was a sharp decrease against 2011 and is due to the several completed construction projects that were handed over to local municipalities in 2011.

## 2.9 Statement of Changes in Net Assets:

The purpose of this statement is to disclose transactions impacting on the components of community wealth (net assets) included in the statement of financial position. These transactions may include adjustments and movements to and from reserves. These reserves comprise of the Government Grant reserve, the Re-valuation Reserve and the Accumulated Surplus. This statement reports on changes in Council's net assets between two reporting dates by reflecting the increase or decrease in its net assets during the period.

The overall change in net assets represents the total net surplus/deficit for the period, other revenues and expenses recognised directly as changes in net assets.





Change in Accumulated Surplus	
Balance brought forward 01 July 2011	R 171,542,689
Less: Total movements for 2012	3,809,512
Balance as at 30 June 2012	R 175,352,201

## 2.10 Cash Flow Statement:

Information about cash flows may be useful to users of SDM's financial statements in assessing Council's cash flows, assessing Council's compliance with legislation and regulations (including authorised budgets) and for making decisions about whether to provide resources to, or enter into transactions with Council. These users and stakeholders are generally interested in how Council generates and uses cash and cash equivalents. Municipalities need cash for

operations related to service delivery. Municipalities use cash to pay for the goods and services they consume, to meet ongoing debt servicing costs, and, in some cases, to reduce levels of debt. According to the standards of GRAP all entities are required to present a cash flow statement.

### Benefits of cash flow information

- Information about the cash flows of an entity is useful in assisting users to predict the future cash requirements of the entity, its ability to generate cash flows in the future and fund changes in the scope and nature of its activities. A cash flow statement also provides a means by which an entity can discharge its accountability for cash inflows and cash outflows during the reporting period.
- A cash flow statement, when used in conjunction with other financial statements, provides information that enables users to evaluate the changes in net assets (net worth) of an entity, its financial structure (including its liquidity and solvency) and its ability to affect the amounts and timing of cash flows in order to adapt to changing circumstances and opportunities. It also enhances the comparability of the reporting of operating performance by different entities, because it eliminates the effects of using different accounting treatments for the same transactions, other events and conditions.
- Historical cash flow information is often used as an indicator of the amount, timing and certainty of future cash flows. It is also useful in checking the accuracy of past assessments of future cash flows.

## 2.11 Financial Ratio Analysis:

The application of financial ratio analysis enables and informs our public office bearers and stakeholders decision making with regards to:

- Ability to meet long-term commitments;
- Ability to meet short-term commitments from liquid resources;
- Determine whether investments are yielding acceptable returns;
- Reduce risks arising from below average performance; and
- Make recommendations to address challenges.

Advantages	Disadvantages
Communicate aspects of an entity's overall economic situation more broadly and succinctly than financial statement data alone	Distort comparisons by over-reliance on book values rather than mar- ket values
Facilitate understanding how certain variables may influence each other	Involve comparative norms which are statistically unreliable due to bias and/or small sample size
Help determine a variety of financial aspects	Be difficult to obtain for use in public sector auditing
	Lead to misleading conclusions if viewed out of context
	Ignore unique factors which make municipalities fundamentally incomparable

It must be noted by the Committee that ratio analysis is not as widespread in government as in private sector as generally no applicable ratios have been developed for the purpose of use at (local) government level as each municipality differs in political and economic climates, demographics, missions, values and goals based on their unique individual nature and community needs. The ratios applied in this analysis were selected based on their usefulness in being able to indicate to Council factors & conditions which may lead to poor financial circumstances.

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These ratios focus on working capital and serve as supplements to the statements of financial performance and cash flow

Ratio	Equation Calculation	2012	2011	2010	2009	Indication
Ratios that measure Council's ability to pay short-term obligations						
Acid Test	Cash+A/R + Short Term Investments Current Liabilities	0.29	0.74	2.28	2.57	A decrease of 155% against the previous year demon- strates a decline in Council's ability to meet its current financial obligations.
Current Ratio	Current Assets  = Current Liabilities	0.82	0.75	2.85	3.07	A increase of 9% against the previous year demonstrates an improvement in Council's ability to meet its current financial obligations.
Ratios measuring Council's a	activity					
Ave. collection period for Accounts Receivables	Average Accounts Receivable  Net credit sales/365 days	25.56	152.22	72.63	12.60	A 72% decrease in the no. of average days taken to recover A/R shows a increase in Council's position to recover debt quickly.
Inventory turnover	Cost of goods sold  Average Inventory	77.04	44.78	81.57	233.37	A increase of 42% in turnover demonstrates that Council has implement measures to optimize on sales for the reporting year.

## 2.8.11 Equity Position

Ratios that measure long-term solvency of Council and its capacity to generate and obtain investment resources.

Ratio	Equation Calculation	2012	2011	2010	2009	Indication
Creditors' Equity to Total Assets	Total Liabilities  Total Assets	0.26	0.35	0.17	0.20	A decrease of 35% indicates that Council's liabilities are decreasing against Council's assets.
Debt to Net Worth Ratio	Total Liabilities  Net Assets	0.35	0.54	0.21	0.24	A decrease of 54% indicates that Council's liabilities are decreasing against Council's net worth (net assets) due to the increase of Council's total assets base.

## 2.8.12 Economic Vitality and Financial Viability

Ratio	2012	2011	2010	2009	Indication
= Total Operating Revenue-Total Operating Grants Received  Total Expenditure	0.51	0.29	0.37	0.19	This ratio is an indicator that Council's dependency on Grants & Subsidies has increased by 43% from the previous financial year as only a fifth of total expenditure is funded by internally generated revenue

## Soundness of Financial Management Practices

Ratio	2012	2011	2010	2009	Indication
Short-Term Investment Income  Total Internal Revenue	0.02	-0.67	0.03		Due to Council's reducing short-term investment balances, Council's ability to generate income from interest received on investment has decreased as opposed to 2011.

#### 3 **EXPRESSION OF APPRECIATION**

Allow me this opportunity to convey my sincere gratitude and appreciation to His Worship the Honourable Executive Mayor, Members of the Mayoral Committee, The Chairperson and Members of the Finance Portfolio Committee, The Audit Committee, The Municipal Manager, The Chief Operations Officer and my Fellow Executive Directors for their support and cooperation during the year under review.

I also wish to convey a special word of appreciation to the staff responsible for the compilation of the annual financial statements for their dedication, as well as to all finance staff for their support.

I further wish to express my gratitude to the staff of the Office of the Auditor-General for their assistance, professionalism and support during the year.

Yours in good governance,

**BRENDON SCHOLTZ** 

CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

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### 5.12 SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

## **Adoption and amendment of Supply Chain Management Policy**

The Local Government: Municipal Finance Management Act (Act 56 of 2003) requires the municipality to have and implement a **Supply Chain Management Policy (SCM Policy)** which gives effect to the provisions of Part 1 of Chapter 11 of the Act that deals with 'Supply Chain Management'.

In addition, the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act (Act 5 of 2000) requires an organ of state to determine its Preferential Procurement Policy and to implement it within the framework prescribed.

On the 30<sup>th</sup> May 2005 the Municipal Supply Chain Management Regulations were issued in terms of Government Gazette Number 27636. Sedibeng District Municipality complies with the provisions of these regulations. The SCM Policy has been approved by Council on the 30<sup>th</sup> January 2012 and the set of applicable system of delegations was approved with the previous SCM Policy on the 08<sup>th</sup> December 2008.

## Oversight role of the council of the municipality

Although Section 117 of the MFMA prohibits a Councilor from being a member of a bid committee or any other committee evaluating or approving quotations and/or bids, the Council has an oversight role to ensure that the Accounting Officer implements all supply chain management activities in accordance with the approved policy.

The Executive Mayor must provide general political guidance over the fiscal and financial affairs of the SDM and may monitor and oversee the exercises of responsibilities assigned to the Accounting Officer and the Chief Financial Officer in terms of MFAM.

There are no Councillors who are members of any bid committees or who participate in the supply chain management processes at Sedibeng District Municipality.

## **Training of Supply Chain Management Officials**

National Treasury has issued Guidelines for Municipal Competency Levels for Heads of Supply Chain Management and Supply Chain Management; these guidelines have been issued in terms of Municipal Regulations on Minimum Competency Levels.

For the purpose of competency regulations, the financial and supply chain management skills required of officials have been categorized into 11 (eleven) competency areas, they are:

- · Strategic leadership and management
- · Strategic Financial management
- · Operational Financial Management
- · Governance, ethics and values in financial management;
- · Financial and performance reporting
- · Risk and change management
- Project Management
- Legislation, policy and implementation
- Stakeholder relations
- Supply chain management
- Audit and assurance

SCM Heads must be competent in the Unit Standards prescribed in regulation 11 for 8 (eight) of the 11 (eleven) competency areas. SCM Managers must be competent in the Unit Standards prescribed in regulation 12 for 6 (six) of the eleven competency areas.

The Director: Supply Chain Management, Assistant Manager: Demand and Acquisition Management and Supply Chain Management Specialist: Logistics Management complies with these minimum competency levels. All other five officials will be enrolled with the South African Institute of Chartered Accountants for this programme.

### Past audit queries and remedial actions taken:

## 1. Three quotations not being obtained.

SCM unit uses an automated system to request quotations from 9 suppliers at the time, on rotational basis. An attempt is made at all times to obtain 3 quotations, in the case where three quotations cannot be obtained, reasons are recorded and reported to the Chief Financial Officer.

### 2. Non-disclosure of deviations from supply chain management procedures

A deviation template to record all deviations has been developed. All deviations are reported to council on monthly basis and annual deviations are disclosed as a note on the annual financial statements.

3. Non-declaration of business, commercial and other financial interests by councillors and officials Declarations of interests by officials are the responsibility of Human Resources Department and the Office of the Speaker is responsible to handle declarations of interests by councillors. Supply Chain Unit can only support the two departments.

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#### 5.13 **GRAP COMPLIANCE**

The annual financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Standards of Generally Recognised Accounting Practices (GRAP).

The annual financial statements are based upon appropriate accounting policies consistently applied and supported by reasonable and prudent judgments and estimates.

The accounting officer acknowledges that he is ultimately responsible for the system of internal financial control established by the municipality and place considerable importance on maintaining a strong control environment. To enable the accounting officer to meet these responsibilities, the accounting officer sets standards for internal control aimed at reducing the risk of error or loss in a cost effective manner.

The standards include the proper delegation of responsibilities within a clearly defined framework, effective accounting procedures and adequate segregation of duties to ensure an acceptable level of risk. These controls are monitored throughout the municipality and all employees are required to maintain the highest ethical standards in ensuring the municipality's business is conducted in a manner that in all reasonable circumstances is above reproach. The focus of risk management in the municipality is on identifying, assessing, managing and monitoring all known forms of risk across the municipality. While operating risk cannot be fully eliminated, the municipality endeavours to minimise it by ensuring that appropriate infrastructure, controls, systems and ethical behaviour are applied and managed within predetermined procedures and constraints.

The accounting officer is of the opinion, based on the information and explanations given by management that the system of internal control provides reasonable assurance that the financial records may be relied on for the preparation of the annual financial statements. However, any system of internal financial control can provide only reasonable, and not absolute, assurance against material misstatement or loss.

The accounting officer has reviewed the municipality's cash flow forecast for the year to 30 June 2013 and, in the light of this review and the current financial position, he is satisfied that the municipality has or has access to adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future.

T 5.13

## **CHAPTER 6 – AUDITOR GENERAL AUDIT FINDINGS**

### **INTRODUCTION**

Note: The Constitution S188 (1) (b) states that the functions of the Auditor-General includes the auditing and reporting on the accounts, financial statements and financial management of all municipalities. MSA section 45 states that the results of performance measurement... must be audited annually by the Auditor-General.

T6.0.1

## **COMPONENT A: AUDITOR-GENERAL OPINION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTSYEAR -1**

## 6.1 AUDITOR GENERAL REPORTS Year -1 (Previous year)

Auditor-General Report on Financial Performance: Year -1					
Audit Report Status*:					
Non-Compliance Issues	Remedial Action Taken				
Note:*The report status is supplied by the Auditor General and ranges from unqualified (at best); to unqualified with other matters specified; qualified; adverse; and disclaimed (at worse)					
	T 6.1.1				
Auditor-General Report on Serv	ice Delivery Performance: Year -1				
Audit Report Status:					
Non-Compliance Issues	Remedial Action Taken				
	T 6.1.2				

## **COMPONENT B: AUDITOR-GENERAL OPINION YEAR 0 (CURRENT YEAR)**

### 6.2 AUDITORGENERAL REPORT YEAR 0

Auditor-General Report on Financial Performance Year 0*					
Status of audit report:					
Non-Compliance Issues	Remedial Action Taken				
Note:* The report's status is supplied by the Auditor General and ranges from unqualified (at best); to unqualified with other matters specified; qualified; adverse; and disclaimed (at worse). This tabb will be completed prior to the publication of the Annual report but following the receipt of the Auditor- General Report on Financial Performance Year 0.					

Auditor-General Report on Service Delivery Performance: Year 0*						
Status of audit report**:						
Non-Compliance Issues	Remedial Action Taken					
* This table will be completed prior to the publication of the Annual report but following the receipt of the Auditor-General Report on Service Delivery Performance Year 0  ** Inclusion of "Status" depends on nature of AG's remarks on Performance Data.						
	T 6.2.2					

## AUDITOR GENERAL REPORT ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS:YEAR 0

<u>Delete Directive note once comment is completed</u> - Attach report.

T6.2.3

## COMMENTS ON AUDITOR-GENERAL'S OPINION YEAR 0:

Delete Directive note once comment is completed - Provide comments from the Municipal Manager / CFO on the Auditor-General's opinion. Include comments on year 0 if it provides useful context. T6.2.4

## COMMENTS ON MFMA SECTION 71 RESPONSIBILITIES:

Section 71 of the MFMA requires municipalities to return a series of financial performance data to the National Treasury at specified intervals throughout the year. The Chief Financial Officer states that these data sets have been returned according to the reporting requirements.

Signed (Chief Financial Officer)...... Dated

T6.2.5

# **GLOSSARY**

GLOSSARI	
Accessibility indicators	Explore whether the intended beneficiaries are able to access services or outputs.
Accountability documents	Documents used by executive authorities to give "full and regular" reports on the matters under their control to Parliament and provincial legislatures as prescribed by the Constitution. This includes plans, budgets, inyear and Annual Reports.
Activities	The processes or actions that use a range of inputs to produce the desired outputs and ultimately outcomes. In essence, activities describe "what we do".
Adequacy indicators	The quantity of input or output relative to the need or demand.
Annual Report	A report to be prepared and submitted annually based on the regulations set out in Section 121 of the Municipal Finance Management Act. Such a report must include annual financial statements as submitted to and approved by the Auditor-General.
Approved Budget	The annual financial statements of a municipality as audited by the Auditor General and approved by council or a provincial or national executive.
Baseline	Current level of performance that a municipality aims to improve when setting performance targets. The baseline relates to the level of performance recorded in a year prior to the planning period.
Basic municipal service	A municipal service that is necessary to ensure an acceptable and reasonable quality of life to citizens within that particular area. If not provided it may endanger the public health and safety or the environment.
Budget year	The financial year for which an annual budget is to be approved – means a year ending on 30 June.
Cost indicators	The overall cost or expenditure of producing a specified quantity of outputs.
Distribution indicators	The distribution of capacity to deliver services.
Financial Statements	Includes at least a statement of financial position, statement of financial performance, cash-flow statement, notes to these statements and any other statements that may be prescribed.
General Key performance indicators	After consultation with MECs for local government, the Minister may prescribe general key performance indicators that are appropriate and applicable to local government generally.
Impact	The results of achieving specific outcomes, such as reducing poverty and creating jobs.
Inputs	All the resources that contribute to the production and delivery of outputs. Inputs are "what we use to do the work". They include finances, personnel, equipment and buildings.
Integrated Development Plan (IDP)	Set out municipal goals and development plans.
National Key performance areas	<ul> <li>Service delivery &amp; infrastructure</li> <li>Economic development</li> <li>Municipal transformation and institutional development</li> <li>Financial viability and management</li> <li>Good governance and community participation</li> </ul>
Outcomes	The medium-term results for specific beneficiaries that are the consequence of achieving specific outputs. Outcomes should relate clearly to an institution's strategic goals and objectives set out in its plans. Outcomes are "what we wish to achieve".
Outputs	The final products, or goods and services produced for delivery. Outputs may be defined as "what we produce or deliver". An output is a concrete achievement (i.e. a product such as a passport, an action such as a presentation or immunization, or a service such as processing an application) that contributes to the achievement of a Key Result Area.
Performance Indicator	Indicators should be specified to measure performance in relation to input, activities, outputs, outcomes and impacts. An indicator is a type of information used to gauge the extent to which an output has been achieved (policy developed, presentation delivered, service rendered)
Performance Information	Generic term for non-financial information about municipal services and activities. Can also be used interchangeably with performance measure.
Performance Standards:	The minimum acceptable level of performance or the level of performance that is generally accepted. Standards are informed by legislative requirements and service-level agreements. Performance standards are mutually agreed criteria to describe how well work must be done in terms of quantity and/or quality and timeliness to clarify the outputs and related activities of a job by describing what the required result should be. In this EPMDS performance standards are divided into indicators and the time factor.
Performance Targets:	The level of performance that municipalities and its employees strive to achieve. Performance Targets relate to current baselines and express a specific level of performance that a municipality aims to achieve within a given time period.
Service Delivery Budget Imple- mentation Plan	Detailed plan approved by the mayor for implementing the municipality's delivery of services; including projections of the revenue collected and operational and capital expenditure by vote for each month. Service delivery targets and performance indicators must also be included.

One of the main segments into which a budget of a municipality is divided for appropriation of money for the different departments or functional areas of the municipality. The Vote specifies the total amount that is appropriated for the purpose of a specific department or functional area.

Section 1 of the MFMA defines a "vote" as:

- a) one of the main segments into which a budget of a municipality is divided for the appropriation of money for the different departments or functional areas of the municipality; and
- b) which specifies the total amount that is appropriated for the purposes of the department or functional area concerned

	APPENDI	1	LLORS C	OMMITTEES ALLOCATED AND	COUNCIL ATTENDANCE	
SURNAME	NAMES	FULL TIME / PART TIME	PARTY	COMMITTEES	PERCENTAGE COUNCIL ATTENDANCE	COUNCIL NON ATTEND- ANCE APOLOGIES
Mofokeng	Mahole Simon	Full time	ANC	-	100	0
Modisakeng	Busisiwe Joyce	Full time	ANC	Elections, Gender, Ethics, Rules, Petitions	91%	9%
Sale	MasabataChristinah	Full time	ANC	Elections, Ethics, Rules	100	0
Mahomed	Yusuf Joseph	Full time	ANC		81.81%	18.18%
Gamede	Lulama Shirley	Part time	ANC	Gender	81.81%	18.18%
Mncube	Busisiwe	Full Time	ANC		100	0
Masilo	Johanna	Part time	ANC	Gender , MPAC, Petitions	81.81%	18.18%
Majola	Abram Kuki	Part time	ANC	MPAC	72.72%	27.27%
Tsokolibane	Maipato Elisa	Full time	ANC		81.81%	18.18%
Mokako	Mvula Samuel	Full time	ANC	Rules, MPAC	81.81%	18.18%
Tsotetsi	PetrusButietjie	Full time	ANC		100	0
Morolong	Nomasonto	Part time	ANC		81.81%	18.18%
Mshudulu	Assistance	Full time	ANC	Rules	81.81%	18.18%
Mollo	Daddy Simon	Part Time	DA	Elections, MPAC	100 %	0
Peters	Frederich Wilhelm	Part time	DA	MPAC	100 %	0
Parson	Andrea	Part time	DA		81.81%	18.18%
Baloyi	Patricia Buyisile	Part time	DA	Gender	100 %	0
Maraka	Teboho Ernest	Part time	DA	Petitions	100 %	0
Pooe	NtsikiShadrack	Part time	PAC	Ethics, Rules, MPAC	100 %	0
Nkosi	Mluleki Nelson Ronald	Part time	ANC		36.36 %	63.63%
Ramothibe	Thembekile Ellen	Part time	ANC	Petitions	81.81%	18.18%
Roos	Adv. Stephanus Johannes	Part time	DA	Petitions	81.81%	18.18%
Maphalla	Simon Tabudi	Full time	ANC		100 %	0
Ryder	Richard Denis	Part time	DA		100 %	0
Radebe	Modiane Martha	Part time	DA	Gender	91%	9%
Mooi	Nomsa	Part time	ANC		81.81%	18.18%
Maseko	Pius	Part time	ANC	Ethics, MPAC,	91%	9%
Matsei	Nozindaba Pauline	Part time	ANC	MPAC	100 %	0
Hlongwane	Daniel Star	Part time	ANC	MPAC, Petitions	100 %	0
Ngubane	Louw	Part time	ANC	Gender, Rules	100 %	0
Dlangalala	Florence	Part time	ANC		100 %	0
Morolong	Abel	Part time	ANC	Ethics	100 %	0
Rani	Siza	Part time	ANC		91%	9%
Malisa	Dimakatso	Part time	ANC		100 %	0
Rapapadi	Lahliwe	Part time	ANC		81.81%	18.18%
Soquza	Sbongile	Part time	ANC	Petitions	100 %	0
Lehlake	Joseph	Part time	ANC	Petitions	100 %	0
Maseko	Thandi	Part time	ANC	Gender, Mpac,	91%	9%
Tibane	Griffiths	Part time	ANC		100 %	0
Raikane	Makhomo	Full Time	ANC		91%	9%
Mnguni	Fetty	FULL TIME	ANC		100 %	0
Hoffman	Danie	Part time	DA		100 %	0
Karsten	Jaco	Part time	DA	Ethics, Rules	100 %	0
Nkosi	Simon	Part time	DA		100 %	0
Louw	Rohan	Part time	DA		81.81%	18.18%
Coetzee	Yvonne	Part time	DA		91%	9%
Moleko	Attie	Part time	DA		100 %	0
Radebe	Abel	Part time	PAC	Elections, Gender, Petitions	100 %	0

## APPENDIX B – COMMITTEES AND COMMITTEE PURPOSES

COMMITTEE	PURPOSE
Gender Committee	Oversight
Elections Committee	Oversight
Rules Committee	Oversight
Ethics Committee	Oversight
Petitions Committee	Oversight
Audit Committee	Oversight
MPAC	Oversight
Remuneration Committee	Oversight
Mayoral Committee	Oversight
Council	Oversight
8 Section 80 Portfolio Committees	Oversight

## APPENDIX C –THIRD TIER ADMINISTRATIVE STRUCTURE

DIRECTORATE	MANAGER/ASSISTANT MANAGER
Mayor Admin: AM Mapetla	1. TN Ndaba 2. TM Sebusi
Speaker Admin: TJ Tsoho	TT Maleka     HM Mpontshane (Acting)     RTP Morobe
Office of the Chief Whip: SJ Dhlamini	
COO's office:	MB Masibihlele     FM Mathe
Financial Management: CE Steyn	<ol> <li>A Lubbe</li> <li>VT Mokoari</li> <li>KZ Kowlessar</li> </ol>
Supply Chain Management: TM Tsie	1. NS Mmbidi
Coorporate Services: GR Deyzel	
Human Resources: MW Ramotsedisi	<ol> <li>TS Maloka</li> <li>SBB Taunyane</li> <li>Pl Modimoeng</li> <li>MI Kolokoto</li> <li>LM Nkele</li> </ol>
Legal: NP Shembe	N Tshabalala     MT Ngake
Facilities: LB Khumalo	BW Johnson     AL Hlongwane (on suspension)     Maranda (Acting Manager)
Utilities: WT Molato	1. TJ Tsotetsi
IT: Y Chamda	MC Visagie     HAJ Mans     AM O'Kelly

DIRECTORATE	MANAGER/ASSISTANT MANAGER
TIE-Environment:	1. MS Dube 2. I Ngobese 3. AJ Van Zyl 4. PM Mahlatsi 5. J Senokoane-Malay 6. MF Thekiso
TIE- Transport & Infra P: M Manqa	MM Khalema     NS Mofokeng
TIE – Licensing: HJH Korb	T Lenake     E Van Zyl     A Msibi
Community Services: Health DL Magagula	
Community Services: SRACH N Felix	<ol> <li>B Tsotetsi</li> <li>B Mosebi</li> <li>S Khumalo</li> </ol>
Community Services: Safety Acting: M Leacwe	
Community Services: HIV/AIDS MJ Makhutle	1. P Mohapeloa
Community Services: RS Tlhapolosa	MMD Taljaard     PJ Niewenhuize
SPED: LED, TOURISM & IDP KS Mbongo	<ol> <li>MD Kantso</li> <li>R Pelser</li> <li>MR Masangane</li> <li>M Dladla</li> <li>M Mokgatlhe</li> <li>SP van Wyk</li> </ol>
SPED: DEVELOPMENT PLANNING, HOUSING &NDP KR Netshivhale	ET Moleko     CH Majola     R Thema     T Mutlaneng
SPED: Communication: Acting: MD Manoeli	MCE Mofokeng     F Safi

Municipal functions	Function Applicable to Municipal (Yes/No)*	Function Applica- ble to Entity (Yes/ No)
Constitution of Schedule 4, Part B functions:		
Air pollution	Υ	
Building regulations	N	
Child care facilities	N	
Electricity and gas reticulation	N	
Fire-fighting services	N	
Local Tourism	Υ	
Municipal airports	Υ	
Municipal Planning	Υ	
Municipal Health Services	Υ	
Municipal Public transport	Υ	
Municipal public works only in respect of the needs of municipalities in the discharge of their responsibilities to administer functions specifically assigned to them under this Constitution or any other law	N	

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Municipal functions	Function Applicable to Municipal (Yes/No)*	Function Applica- ble to Entity (Yes/ No)
Constitution of Schedule 4, Part B functions:		
Pontoons, ferries, jetties, piers and harbours, excluding the regulation of international and national shipping and related thereto	N	
Stormwater management systems in built-up areas	N	
Trading regulations	N	
Water and sanitation services limited to potable water supply systems and domestic waste-water and sewage disposal systems	N	
Beaches and amusement facilities	N	
Billboards and the display of advertisements in public places	N	
Cemeteries, funeral parlours and crematories	N	
Cleansing	N	
Control of public nuisances	N	
Control of undertakings that sell liquor to the public	N	
Facilities for the accommodation, care and burial of animals	N	
Fencing and fences	N	
Licensing of dogs	N	
Licensing and control of undertakings that sell food to the public	N	
Local amenities	N	
Local sport facilities	N	
Markets	Υ	
Municipal abattoirs	Υ	
Municipal parks and recreation	N	
Municipal roads	N	
Noise pollution	N	
pounds	N	
Public places	N	
Refuse removal, refuse dumps and solid waste disposal	N	
street trading	N	
Street lighting	N	
Traffic and parking	N	
*If municipality: indicate (yes or No); *If entity: Provide name of entity		TD

## APPENDIX E -WARD REPORTING[NOT APPLICABLE TO SDM]

## APPENDIX F - WARD INFORMATION[NOT APPLICABLE TO SDM]

## APPENDIX G – RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE MUNICIPAL AUDIT COMMITTEE YEAR 0

	MUNICIPAL AUDIT COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS						
Date of Committee	Committee Recommendations During Year	Recommendations adopted (Enter Yes) if not adopted (Provide explanation)					
13 July 2011 (Special Audit Committee Meeting)	The following reports were presented to the Committee for approval and noting:  1. Mid-Year Performance Report 2010/11  2. Schedule of Audit Committee Meetings 2011/12  3. Evaluation of the Audit Committee 2011/12  4. Report on the year end program for the preparation of the annual financial statements 2010/11  5. Progress Report on the Auditor General action plan 2010/11  6. Auditor General Key Controls Review Dashboard Report 7. Auditor General: Audit Strategy 2010/11	Yes					

	MUNICIPAL AUDIT COMMITTEE RECOMMENDAT	TIONS
Date of Committee	Committee Recommendations During Year	Recommendations adopted (Enter Yes) if not adopted (Provide explanation)
<b>29 August 2011</b> (1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter Meeting)	The following reports were presented to the Committee for approval:  1. Comparative Analysis Report of the unaudited Annual Financial Statements for the year ended 30 June 2011.  2. Annual review of the Audit Committee Charter.  3. Annual review of the Internal Audit Charter.  4. 2011/12 annual Internal Audit Plan.  5. Internal Audit Reports.  - Application Control Review: Venus System  - Strategic Planning and IDP  - Financial Discipline Review  - Performance against objectives Quarter 1-4  - Follow up Audits.	Yes
<b>09 December 2011</b> (2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter Meeting)	The following reports were presented to the Committee for approval: Final Management Letter for Regularity Audit Auditor-General (Deferred to next Audit Committee Meeting) Comparative Analysis Report on the audited annual financial statements (Deferred to next Audit Committee Meeting). Introduction of newly appointed Internal Audit Service Provider. Internal Audit Catalyst and Audit Reports for the period July 2011 to September 2011. Enterprise Risk Management Framework and Policy (Deferred to next Audit Committee Meeting). 6. Annual Organisational Performance Report 2010/11 (Deferred to next Audit Committee Meeting).	2 Reports were adopted by the Audit Committee.  4 of the 6 Reports were deferred to the next Audit Committee Meeting (26 January 2012)
<b>26 January 2012</b> (3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter Meeting, Continuation of 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter Meeting)	The following reports were presented to the Committee for approval: Final Management Letter for Regularity Audit Auditor-General (Deferred from 09 December 2011 Meeting) Comparative Analysis Report on the audited annual financial statements (Deferred from 09 December 2011 Meeting) Annual Organisational Performance Report 2010/11 (Deferred from 09 December 2011 Meeting) Enterprise Risk Management Framework and Policy (Deferred from 09 December 2011 Meeting) Annual Report 2010/11 Action Plan on the Auditor-General Findings 2010/11	2 Reports were adopted by the Audit Committee.  3 of the 5 Reports were deferred to the next Audit Committee Meeting (10 April 2012)
10 April 2012 (4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter Meeting)	The following reports were presented to the Committee for approval:  Action Plan on the Auditor-General Findings 2010/11 (Deferred from 26 January 2012 Meeting) Status Report on the Annual Internal Audit Plan. Risk Assessment Report 2010/11 Enterprise Risk Management Framework and Policy (Deferred from 26 January 2012 Meeting) Electronic performance management system (ePMS) progress report Annual Organisational Performance Report 2010/11 (Deferred from 26 January 2012 Meeting)	Yes

## APPENDIX H – LONG TERM CONTRACTS AND PUBLIC PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS

	Long Term Contracts (20 Largest contracts entered into for the year 2012)							
No.	Name of Service Provider (Entity or Municipal Department)	Description of Services Rendered by the Service Provider	Start Date of Contract	Expiry date of Contract	Project Manager	Contract Value (R)		
1	AXTON MATRIX CONSTRUCTION	Construction of constitutional walk. Bid no: 8/2/4/8-2009	07 March 2011	21 May 2012	Robert Thema	R 19 313 276.42		

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	Long Term Contracts (20 Largest contracts entered into for the year 2012)						
No.	Name of Service Provider (Entity or Municipal Department)	Description of Services Rendered by the Service Provider	Start Date of Contract	Expiry date of Contract	Project Manager	Contract Value (R)	
2	FUTURIS GUARDING SYSTEMS (PTY)LTD	Provision of Security to SDM for 3 years Bid no:8/2/2/25-2012	13 March 2010	12 March 2013	Tilly Hlongwane	R 18 391 235.59	
2	KLATRADE 470 PTY(LTD) T/A	Supply, Installation and commissioning of an integrated CCTV street surveillance system. Bid no: 8/2/5/4-2008	15 June 2009	14 June 2012	MalehoLeacwe	D17.42(111.0)	
3	SECURELINK	proposal for Supply, deliver, Install, Test and commission a fibre optic cabling solution. Bid no; 8/2/2/15-2011	13 April 2011	12 April 2013	Andre Mans	R 17 426 111.60	
4	KAMO BUSINESS ENTERPRISES CC	Additions, Alterations, repairs and renovations to Sharpeville community hall cnrZwane and Seiso Street sharpeville. Bid no: 8/2/6/1-2012	28 August 2010	27 August 2011	Charity	R 5 467 433.00	
5	LE-NASH INTERNATIONAL INVEST- MENTS CC T/A LE-NASH S	Supply and erection of warning, regulatory and directional signs posting for Emfuleni Local Municipality. Bid no: 8/2/4/13-2009	09 November 2010	08 December 2011	SorriousManele	R 4 903 156.45	
6	BOKANA CONTRUCTION & PRO- JECTS	Proposal for facilita- tion and supervision of five (5) taxi ranks in the Emfuleni Local Municipality	01 October 2010	30 September 2013	PhindileZwane	R 3 363 021.31	
7	HALIFAX SUPPLIES CC	Upgrading of Sharpe- ville Exhibition Centre. Bid no: 8/2/4/5-2009	13 April 2010	20 June 2011	Robert Thema	R 2 980 696.37	
8	VEREENIGING TRUST (PTY) LTD	Rental for Office Space at Vaal Value Warehouse	01 December 2010	Month to month until March 2013	JabuKumalo	R 2 973 814.06	
9	LATERAL UNISON INSURANCE BROKERS (PTY)LTD	Proposal for Short Term Insurance Brokers for Sedibeng District Municipality. 8/2/	01 February 2010	30 June 2012	Andre Lubbe	R 2 837 478.39	
10	AKHILE MANAGEMENT AND CON- SULTING (PTY) LTD	Proposals for Performance Management System for Sedibeng District Municipality. Bid no: 8/2/1/2-2011 (Re-advert)	15 November 2011	30-Aug-13	MotsumiMathe	R1 999 981.27	
		Development of funding and tariff model for the district and 3 local municipalities	31 January 2012	24 July 2012	KajalKowlessar	R 623 387.35	
11	BLUE SANDS TRADING 106CC	Construction of Pedestrian Paving in Evaton - Union and Boundary street.	19 July 1900	14 June 2012	MarriousS- choombee	R 2 048 423.14	

	Long 1	erm Contracts (20 Larg	est contracts ente	red into for the year	2012)	
No.	Name of Service Provider (Entity or Municipal Department)	Description of Services Rendered by the Service Provider	Start Date of Contract	Expiry date of Contract	Project Manager	Contract Value (R)
	AMYSA STATIONERS CC	Proposals for Panel of Supply and delivery				
	SAGE COMPUTER TECHNOLOGIES (PTY) LTD	of original printer cartridges to the Sedibeng District Municipality's Infor-				
12	PALMERTON CARTRIDGES CC		23 January 2012	22 January 2015	NnehengSehau	R 1 896 158.30
	SHOSHO INDUSTRIAL SUPPLIERS CCT/A SHO SHO SUPPLIERS	mation Technology Department. Bid no: 8/2/2/49-2011				
13	URBAN GENESIS MANAGEMENT (PTY) LTD	Sharpeville precinct. Construction of exhibition hall, upgrading of cemetery & Sharpeville hall	01 July 2009	01 May 2010, but period of contract kept on being extended	Charity Majola	R 1 864 355.15
14	AMTRONICS CC T/A DIAMOND CORNER	Supply and delivery of Computer Equipment, Printer and other peripherals to the Sedibeng District Municipality Information Technology Department for 3 years. Bid no: 8/2/2/112-2012	15 April 2012	14 April 2015	CorneVisagie	R 1 342 571.09
15	UBUNTU BUSINESS ADVISORY & CONSULTING (PTY) LTD	Proposal for service providers to develop a long tern financial plan for Sedibeng District Municipality. Bid no:	15 January 2011	30 September 2011	TshwaneloMokoari	R 1 315 307.62
16	RANTOA SERVICE PROVIDERS CC	Construction of pedestrian paving in Evaton: Hamilton Street. Bid no: 8/2/4/9-2010	01 August 2010	01 February 2011	MarriousS- choombee	R 1 271 592.16
17	WOZA (PTY) LTD T/A WOZA SER- VICE STATION	Supply of Petrol, Oil and Diesel to Sedibeng District Municipality's fleet management depart- ment	01 July 2008	To date	David Maranda	R 1 119 234.91
18	FRESHMARK SYSTEMS (PTY)LTD	Software maintenance and support agree- ment	01 July 2006	Remain in force until terminated by either party by notice	Sylvia Loubsher	R 1 078 092.30
19	GLOBAL ACCESS TELECOMMUNI- CATIONS SERVICES (PTY)LTD	Proposal for the sup- ply of Audio Visual and Broadcasting Services for the IT de- partment of Sedibeng District Municipality. Bid no: 8/2/2/32-2012	23 May 2012	23 May 2012	CorneVisagie	R 846 756.20
20	GEMINI MOONM TRADING T/A HARVEY WORLD TRAVEL WOODM	Panel of Travel Agency	31 March 2010	30 March 2011	SeikaneMareletse	R 795 833.16

## **Appendices**

## APPENDIX I – MUNICIPAL ENTITY/ SERVICE PROVIDER PERFORMANCE SCHEDULE[NOT **AVAILABLE**]

## APPENDIX J – DISCLOSURES OF FINANCIAL INTERESTS

All Councillors and officials of the Sedibeng District Municipality are not conducting any business with the Council. Their signed Declaration of Interest forms are filed in the Municipal Offices, thus accessible to the public.

	D	isclosure of Financial Interests						
	Period 1 July to 30 June Year 0 (Current year)							
Position	Name	Description of Financial interests (Persons doing business with Council) (Nil/Or details)						
Executive Mayor	Councillor S.M. Mofokeng	N/A						
MAYCO Members	Councillor P.B.Tsotetsi	N/A						
	Councillor S. Maphalla	N/A						
	Councillor Y. Mahomed	N/A						
	Councillor S.A. Mushudulu	N/A						
	Councillor M.E. Tsokolibane	N/A						
	Councillor B. Mncube	N/A						
	Councillor Z. Raikane	N/A						
	Councillor F. Mnguni	N/A						
Council	Councillor B.P.Baloyi	N/A						
Council	Councillor Y. Cortzee	N/A						
	Councillor F. Dlangalala F	N/A						
	Councillor L.S.A Gamede	N/A						
	Councillor S Hlongwane	N/A						
	Councillor D.C.J Hoffman	N/A						
	Councillor A.S.J Karsten	N/A						
	Councillor B.J Lehlake	N/A						
	Councillor R Louw	N/A						
	Councillor A.K Majola	N/A						
	Councillor J.K Malindi	N/A						
	Councillor D.M Malisa	N/A						
	Councillor T.E Maraka	N/A						
	Councillor P Maseko	N/A						
	Councillor T Maseko	N/A						
	Councillor J Masilo	N/A						
	Councillor N Matsei	N/A						
	Councillor B.J Modisakeng	N/A						
	Councillor S.Morolong	N/A						
	Councillor M.S Mokako	N/A						
	Councillor A Moleko	N/A						
	Councillor D.S Mollo	N/A						
	Councillor A. Morolong	N/A						
	Councillor N.J Mooi	N/A						
	Councillor L. Ngubane	N/A						
	Councillor M.N.R Nkosi	N/A						
	Councillor S Nkosi	N/A						
	Councillor A. Parson	N/A						
	Councillor F.W Peters	N/A						
	Councillor N.S Pooe	N/A						
	Councillor A Radebe	N/A						
	Councillor M.M Radebe	N/A						
	Councillor T.E Ramothibe	N/A						
	Councillor S Rani	N/A						

	Disclosure of Financial Interests						
Period 1 July to 30 June Year 0 (Current year)							
Position	Name	Description of Financial interests (Persons doing business with Council) (Nil/Or details)					
	Councillor L. Rapapadi	N/A					
	Councillor S.J Roos	N/A					
	Councillor D.R Ryder	N/A					
	Councillor M.S Sale	N/A					
	Councillor G Tibane	N/A					
Municipal Manager	Mr Y Chamda	N/A					
Chief Operations Officer	Mr T.L. Mkaza	N/A					
Chief Financial Officer	Mr B. Scholtz	N/A					
Other section 57 Of- ficials	Mrs M. Phiri-Khaole	N/A					
	Mrs M. Mazibuko	N/A					
	Ms M. Mahlulo	N/A					
· I	Mr S. Manele	N/A					

## APPENDIX K: REVENUE COLLECTION PERFORMANCE BY VOTE AND BY SOURCE APPENDIX K (I): REVENUE COLLECTION PERFORMANCE BY VOTE

	Year -1		Current: Year (	)	Year (	) Variance
Vote Description	Actual	Original Budget	Adjusted Budget	Actual	Original Budget	Adjustments Budget
Executive & Council	9 959	0	10 170	22 641	100%	55%
Budget & Treasury	263 166 896	237 455 460	225 877 072	234 101 527	-1%	4%
Corporate Service	14 622 437	18 902 427	19 453 987	15 958 229	-18%	-22%
Community & Social Service	34 536 119	39 119 000	46 353 195	37 047 047	-6%	-25%
Fransport & Infrastructure	43 268 762	58 737 984	59 579 437	60 333 081	3%	1%
Planning & Development	30 170	11 690 000	5 673 876	25 100 966	53%	77%
Fotal Revenue by Vote	355 634	365 905	356 948	372 563	0	0

## APPENDIX K (II): REVENUE COLLECTION PERFORMANCE BY SOURCE

Revenue Collection Performance by Source R '000							
	Year -1		Year 0	Year 0 Va		Variance	
Description	Actual	Original Budget	Adjustments Budget	Actual	Original Budget	Adjust- ments Budget	
Property rates	-	-	-	-			
Property rates - penalties & collection charges	-	-	-				
Service Charges - electricity revenue	-	-	-	-			
Service Charges - water revenue	-	-	-	-			
Service Charges - sanitation revenue	-	-	-	-			
Service Charges - refuse revenue	-	-	-	-			
Service Charges - other	7 159	7 623	7 625	7 276	-5%	-5%	
Rentals of facilities and equipment	536	446	613	524	15%	-17%	
Interest earned - external investments	6 237	7 885	2 939	2 222	-255%	-32%	
Interest earned - outstanding debtors							
Dividends received							
Fines							
Licences and permits	49 310	58 728	59 562	59 606	1%	0%	
Agency services	6 497	6 775	6 804	6 963	3%	2%	
T ransfers recognised - operational	290 229	275 088	276 254	292 213	6%	5%	
Other revenue	1 486	9 180	2 970	2 598	-253%	-14%	
Gains on disposal of PPE	107	180	180	1 162	85%	85%	
Enviromental Proctection							
Total Revenue (excluding capital transfers and contributions)	361 560	365 905	356 948	372 563	1.79%	4.19%	

Variances are calculated by dividing the difference between actual and original/adjustments budget by the actual. This table is aligned to MBRR table A4.

## APPENDIX L: CONDITIONAL GRANTS RECEIVED: EXCLUDING MIG

Details	Budget	Adjust- ments Budget	Actual	Variance		
				Budget	Adjustments Budget	Major conditions applied by donor (continue below if necessary)
Neighbourhood Development Partnership Grant	14000000	6000000	26054063	46%	77%	
Other Specify:						

HIV & AIDS	4813000	4813000	1558624			
Lotto Sport	6030000	6030000	392635			
MSIG	800000	800000	800000	-209% -1436%	-209% -1436%	
FMG	1250000	1250000	1288256	0% 3%	0% 3%	
LED Project	1700000	1700000	0			
Dept of Agricultural	270000	270000	0			
Total						

<sup>\*</sup> This includes Neighbourhood Development Partnership Grant, Public Transport Infrastructure and Systems Grant and any other grant excluding Municipal Infrastructure Grant (MIG) which is dealt with in the main report, see T 5.8.3. Variances are calculated by dividing the difference between actual and original/adjustments budget by the actual. Obtain a list of grants from national and provincial government.

### APPENDIX M: CAPITAL EXPENDITURE - NEW & UPGRADE/RENEWAL PROGRAMMES

	Year -1	Year 0			Planned (	Capital expen	diture
Description	Actu al	Original Budget	Adjustment Budget	Actu al Ex- penditure	FY + 1	FY + 2	FY + 3
Capital expenditure by Asset Class							
I n fras tructure - Total	-	-		-	-	-	-
Infrastructure: Road transport - Total	-	-		-	-	-	-
Roads, Pavements & Bridges							
Storm water							
Infrastructure: Electricity - Total	-	-		-	-	-	-
Genera tio n							
Transmission & Reticulation							
Street L ig h tin g							
Infrastructure: W ater - Total	-	-		-	-	-	-
Dams & R e servo irs							
Water pu rificatio n							
R e ticu la tio n							
Infrastructure: Sanitation - Total	-	-		-	-	-	-
R e ticu la tio n							
Sewerage purification							
Infrastructure: Other - Total	-	-		-	-	-	-
Waste Management							
Transpo rta tio n							
Gas							
O ther							
Community - Total	-	-		-	-	-	-
Parks & gardens							
S p ortsfie lds & sta d ia							
Swimming pools							

# **Appendices**

	Year -1	Year 0			Planned (	Capital exper	diture
Description	Actu al	Original Budget	Adjustment Budget	Actu al Ex- penditure	FY + 1	FY + 2	FY + 3
Community halls							
Libraries							
Recreational facilitie s							
Fire, safety & emergency							
Security and policing							
Buses							
C linics							
Museums & Art Galleries							
C em eteries							
Social rental housing							
Other							
Capital expenditure by Asset Class							
Heritage assets - Total	-	-		-	-	-	-
B u ild in g s							
O th e r							
Investment properties - Total	-	-		-	-	-	-
Housing development							
O th e r							
Other assets	-	26871		15643	-	-	-
General vehicles							
S p e c ia lise d v e h ic le s							
Plant & equipment							
Computers - hardware/equipment		12 7 10 000	12 590 450	12 28 1 8 18			
Furniture and other office equipment		13 1 200	13 1 200	166 997			
A b a tto ir s							
Markets							
C iv ic Land and B u ild in g s		2 500 000	2 500 000	0			
O th e r B u ild in g s		500 000	498 000	194 600			
O th e r Land							
Surplus Assets - (Investment or Inventory)							
O th e r		11 030 000	9 030 000	3 000 000			
Agricultural assets	-	-		-	-	-	-
L ist s u b - c la s s							

Biological assets	-	-		-	-	-	-
L ist s u b - c la s s							
Intangibles	-	-		-	-	-	-
Computers - software & programming							
O th e r (list su b - cla s s)							
Total Capital Expenditure on new assets	-	26871		15643	-	-	-
Specialised vehicles	-	-		-	-	-	-
R efu s e							
Fire							
Conservancy							
Ambulances							
* N o te : In fo rm a tio n for th is ta b le may l	oe sourced fro	m M B R R (2 0	09:TableSA	3 4 a)       T M .1	·		

### APPENDIX M (II): CAPITAL EXPENDITURE – UPGRADE/RENEWAL PROGRAMME

	Year -1		Year 0		Planned	Capital exp	enditure
D escrip tio n	Actu a l	Original B u d g e t	A d ju stm e n t Budget	Actu a l Ex- penditure	FY+1	F Y + 2	FY+3
Capital expenditure by Asset Class							
Infrastructure - Total	-	-		-	-	-	-
Infrastructure: Road transport - Total	-	-		-	-	-	-
Roads, Pavements & B rid g e s							
S to rm w a te r							
Infrastructure: Electricity - Total	-	-		-	-	-	-
Genera tio n							
Transmission & Reticulation							
S tre e t L ig h tin g							
Infrastructure: W ater- Total	-	-		-	-	-	-
Dams & Reservo irs							
W a ter pu rific a tio n							
R e ticu la tio n							
Infrastructure: Sanitation - Total	-	-		-	-	-	-
R e ticu la tio n							
Sewerage purification							
Infrastructure: Other - Total	-	-		-	-	-	-
Waste Management							
T ra n sp o rta tio n							
Gas							
O ther							

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T.		1				
C o m m u n ity	-	-	-	-	-	-
Parks & gardens						
S p o rtsfie ld s & sta d ia						
S w im m in g p o o ls						
C om munity halls						
Libraries						
R e c r e a tio n a l fa c ilitie s						
Fire, safety & emergency						
S e c u r ity and policing						
Buses						
C lin ic s						
Museums & Art Galleries						
C e m e te r ie s						
Social rental housing						
O th e r						
Heritage assets	-	-	-	-	-	-
В u ildings						
Other						

### APPENDIX N – CAPITAL PROGRAMME BY PROJECT YEAR 0[NOT APPLICABLE]

APPENDIX O – CAPITAL PROGRAMME BY PROJECT BY WARDYEAR 0[NOT APPLICABLE]

APPENDIX P – SERVICE CONNECTION BACKLOGS AT SCHOOLS AND CLINICS[NOT APPLICABLE]

APPENDIX Q - SERVICE BACKLOGS EXPERIENCED BY THE COMMUNITY WHERE ANOTHER SPHERE OF GOVERNMENT IS RESPONSIBLE FOR SERVICE PROVISION

Service Backlogs Experienced by the community where another Sphere of Government is the Service Provider (where the municipality whether or not act on agency basis)

Services & Locations	Scale of backlogs	Impact of backlogs
Clinics:	areas and informal settlements are serviced through mobile units which provide respective services once or twice a week. There are backlogs of Maternity Obstetric Units	Poor delivery of PHC Services to communities which impedes attainment of Millennium Develop- ment Goals. Health standards and targets are compromised.

Service Backlogs Experienced by the community where another Sphere of Government is the Service Provider (where the municipality whether or not act on agency basis)

Services & Locations	Scale of backlogs	Impact of backlogs
Emfuleni Local Municipality		
Boiketlong Cape Gate	4000 364	
Bophelong(Chris Hani)	591	
Garage	70	
Iron Side Industry	457	
Lybia	891	
New Village	569	
Vereeniging Old Hospital	374	
Polomiet	324	
Sebokeng Ext 24	562	
Sonderwater	1216	Impact on basic emerging services, e.g. water, sewer and electricity
Soul City Tabanica Tayi Bank	407	
Tshepiso Taxi Rank Winnies Park	675	
Zone 17	217	
Zone 7	30	
Zone 7 Ext	230	
Tshepiso North (Temporary Houses)	1090	
Boipatong Informal	337	
Powerville Park	102	
Sharpeville Area	96	
Waterdal	1970	
	97	

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Service Backlogs Experienced by the community where another Sphere of Government is the Service Provider (where the municipality whether or not act on agency basis)

Services & Locations	Scale of backlogs	Impact of backlogs
Midvaal Local Municipality Boitumelo	82	
Brakfontein	5	
Driefontein	20	
Dusting	31	
Herolds Farm	18	
Keyalitsha	116	
Lehlakeng	18	Impact on basic engineering services, e.g. water, sewer and
Mamelo	148	electricity
Schoongezicht	12	
Sicelo	1505	
Skansdam	16	
Sporong	10	
Vogelfontein	30	
Waterval	62	
Lesedi Local Municipality	684	
Ratanda Ext. 8: Formalized informal shack dwell- ings		Impact on basic engineering services, e.g. water, sewer and
ObedNkosi/ Kaydale Informal shack dwellings	140	electricity
Ext. 9: Informal shacks Impumelelo:	360	
Enkanini: Informal shacks Impumelelo Extension 2 & 3	2000	
Kwazenzele: Informal shacks	1600	
Licencing and Testing Centre:	Provincial wide, there are 400,000 applicants sitting with learner licences that need to be tested for driving. The capacity of municipal testing centres in Gauteng can only test 200,000 driver applicants per annum.	The 400,000 application backlog is annually increasing because:  More youth are getting into the age of being required to obtain drivers licences  Out of the 200,000 driver testing capacity only about 60 % do pass the drivers test meaning 80,000 applicants join the queue again.
Reservoirs		Undermine Nation building,
Schools (Primary and High)	Are not adequate in some townships, in rural and informal areas.	Healthy lifestyles and the Quality of Education.
Sports Fields:	Are not adequate in some townships, in rural and informal areas.	Undermine Nation building, Healthy lifestyles and the Quality of Education.

### APPENDIX R – DECLARATION OF LOANS AND GRANTS MADE BY THE MUNICIPALITY [NONE]

### APPENDIX S – NATIONAL AND PROVINCIAL OUTCOMES FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT

	National and Provincial Outcomes for Local Government	
Outcome/Output	Progress to date	Number or Percentage Achieved
Implementation of the Community Works Programme	The project was launched in June 2012 at Saul Tsotetsi for 3000 job opportunities in Emfuleni Local Municipality, Midvaal Local Municipality and Lesedi Local Municipality	0

# **VOLUME II: ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

SEDIBENG D	SEDIBENG DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY				ANNEXURE "A"	ANNEXURE "A"
SUMMARY 0	SUMMARY OF AUDIT FINDINGS					
Number	Finding					
		RESPONSIBLE CLUSTER AND DEPARTMENT	ACTION REQUIRED	TARGET DATE	PROGRESS TO DATE BY SDM.	FINAL OUTCOME AND INPUT BY AG.
Cash and cash equivalents						
99	Investment: Non - disclosure of investment balances in the Financial statements	FINANCE	Rectified in Financial Statements	Nov-12	Completed	
Cash flow statements						
41	Gross cash receipts and payments- Not disclosed	FINANCE	Rectified in Financial Statements	Nov-12	Completed	
Employee costs						
47	Employee related costs: Vacant Posts	CORPORATE SERVICES-HR	The filling of the vacancies was held in abeyance pending the review (a decision made during the year under review) of the organizational structure which process will be concluded in October 2012	Oct-12	Completed	
49	Employee related cost: Non compliance with the Overtime Policy/ Basic Condition of Employment Act	CORPORATE SERVICES-HR	The policy on the regulation of overtime work will be adopted by council during the current financial year and a copy of the draft policy was given to the Auditor General's Office for review. In addition we met with the Department of Labour to obtain advice on this compliance matter and how we should deal with it.	Feb-13	Draft policy in place	
	Employee related cost: HR Development Plan	CORPORATE SERVICES-HR	The Human Resources strategy which flows out of the GDS does exist. Document will be kept with HR	Jan-13	Development plan will be kept with HR for audit purposes	
51	Employee related cost: Minimum Competencies	CORPORATE SERVICES-HR	The council has appointed a service provider that will do the competency assessment and the related capacity development relating to minimum competency requirements. Council will concurrently apply to the National Treasury for extension of the return date for the competency requirements	January 2013 - application to National Treasury 18 months to meet requirements	Service provider currently busy with assesments	
53	Employee Related Cost:Leave Balance	CORPORATE SERVICES-HR	Employees in the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) excessive leave days are/were high and kept due to the fact that they could not take amual leave because of/operational requirements. The EMS function has been migrated to Province	Nov-12	Employees will forfeit leave days in access of 48 days	
Audit Committee						
54	Audit committee was not evaluated by council by year end	OFFICE OF THE COO	The final Audit Committee Evaluation Report prepared by the Provincial Treasury is completed and was presented to Council at its Council Meeting scheduled for 26 September 2012.	Sep-12	Completed	
Predetermined Objectives						
30	AoPO: No consistency between presentation of planned targets in the SDBIP and presentation of targets in the Annual Performance and also between planned and reported objectives	OFFICE OF THE COO	The Sedibeng District Municipality adopted the three templates for reporting purposes thus to make reporting to different structures user friendly. All Clusters report on all 3 templates and tabled differently to different structures. Thus no information is lost or limited.		Ongoing	
29	AoPO: 11-12 SDBIP approved more than 28 OFFICE OF THE COOdays after Budget approval	DFFICE OF THE COO	The 2011-12 IDP/Budget/SDBIP process coincided with the Local Government elections, whereby Municipalities were given an option of timelines to table and approve their IDPs, according to the Mational Treasury Budget Circular released. The options were that either the outgoing Council or the incoming one approves the IDP/Budget-SDM selected option 1, also noting that the new ePMS system was launched in the entire municipality. This process was meant to automise the IDP development process and to change the SDBIP into a Results-based document. Hence timelines were upset	Jul-12	Completed	

59	AoPO: No evidence of the adoption of the PMS Framework for 11/12	OFFICE OF THE COO	The new Performance Management processes and format were concluded in October 2012. The Draft Framework is ready to be tabled before the next MANCO (November '12) Audit Committee (November '12) and SDM Council (December '12).	Dec-12	Ongoing	
48	AoPO: Requested performance management processes not provided and Insufficient information to conclude on performance indicators	OFFICE OF THE COO	We have established an electronic Performance Management system to enhance our current record management of information in a very easy storage and retrievable manner. The system is newly in operation.	Dec-12	Ongoing	
Financial Statements Disclosure						
4	Government Grant Reserve - Fund accounting no longer allowed	FINANCE	Rectified in Financial Statements	Nov-12	Completed	
38	Financial Instruments - Disclosure not in accordance with IFRS 7	FINANCE	Rectified in Financial Statements	Nov-12	Completed	
45	Contracted services – Insufficient disclosure	FINANCE	Rectified in Financial Statements	Nov-12	Completed	
70	Provisions - Incomplete disclosure	FINANCE	Rectified in Financial Statements	Nov-12	Completed	
71	Prior period error not correctly disclosed	FINANCE	Rectified in Financial Statements	Nov-12	Completed	
41	Various Accounting policies not in accordance with the GRAP standards, MFMA and other applicable legislation	FINANCE	Rectified in Financial Statements	Nov-12	Completed	
Internal Audit						
72	Internal Audit working papers not reviewed by the Audit Committee	OFFICE OF THE COO	The Internal Auditors presented Status Reports of each audit assignment during the 2011/12 financial year. Moving forward. Management will ensure that internal audit reports and working papers are provided to the Audit Committee for review on a regular basis		Ongoing	
Information Technology						
73	Information Technology Governance	CORPORATE SERVICES-IT	Whilst IT Sedibeng is engaging in an IT Strategic Plan formulation. this would definitely be included as part of the plan and subsequent roll-out phase (2013/2014).	Financial year 2013/14	Planned phase	
09	User Access Controls	CORPORATE SERVICES-IT	IT acknowledges that rules regarding the review of sensitive rights are critical in reducing the risks of the environment. Although we function in a trusting relationship with our employees, this department will investigate additional reporting mechanisms to enhance the current environment and increase our level of control.	Dec-12	Completed	
61	Program Change Management	CORPORATE SERVICES-IT FINANCE	A log will be requested from the service provider on each VENUS upgrade and properly signed off New	Next Venus upgrade - Nov 2012	Completed	
62	Information Technology Service Continuity	CORPORATE SERVICES-IT COO	The Disaster Recovery and Business Continuity Reviews were conducted by the Internal Auditors, and the draft report has been completed.  1. Copies of the Final DR/BC plan will be kept off-site to ensure access in case of disaster.  2. The DR/BC plan will be tested and distributed to key personnel once completed and adequate training will be provided thereof	Dec-12	Draft report completed	
Immovable assets						
40	Property, plant and equipment - Disclosure FINANCE of land and buildings	FINANCE	Rectified in Financial Statements	Nov-12	Completed	
Revenue						
64	Revenue: Completeness of revenue from the sale of fuel	FINANCE	Additional internal control measures need to be implemented in order to ensure completeness of revenue	Dec-12	Control sheets implemented and need to be monitored on a daily basis by supervisor at the Airport	
76	Revenue: Cut off Test - Source Documents not available to perform Cut off testing	FINANCE	Additional internal control measures need to be implemented in order to ensure completeness of revenue at the Airport	Dec-12	Control sheets implemented and need to be monitored on a daily basis by supervisor at the Airport	
65	Revenue: Reconciliation between TAS 9 report and bank statement is not properly done	FINANCE	The daily taking sheets total is the total of all licensing centres. which should agree to TAS 9 total generated from daily taking sheets at the end of each month.	Nov-12	Completed - Necessary steps already followed in order to address the variances	

### REPORT OF THE AUDITOR-GENERAL TO THE GAUTENG PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE AND THE COUNCIL OF THE SEDIBENG **DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY**

### **REPORT ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

### Introduction

1. I have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Sedibeng District Municipality, which comprise the statement of financial position as at 30 June 2012, and the statement of financial performance, statement of changes in net assets and cash flow statement for the year then ended and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information, as set out on pages H t° 11-

### Accounting Officers responsibility for the financial statements

The accounting officer is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with South African Standards of Generally Recognised Accounting Practice (SA Standards of GRAP) and the requirements' of the Municipal Finance Management Act of South Africa, 2003 (Act No. 56 of 2003) (MFMA), Division of Revenue Act of South Africa 2010 (Act No. 1 of 2010) (DoRA) and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

### **Auditor-General's responsibility**

- My responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on my audit. I conducted my audit in accordance with the Public Audit Act of South Africa, 2004 (Act No. 25 of 2004) (PAA), the General Notice issued in terms thereof and International Standards on Auditing. Those standards require that I comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.
- An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- I believe that the audit evidence! have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a v basis for my audit opinion.

### **Opihion**

In my opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Sedibeng District Municipality as at 30 June 2012 and its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then end in accordance with the South African Standards of Generally Recognised Accounting Practice and the requirements of the Municipal Finance Management Act of South Africa, 2003 (Act No. .56 of 2003)

### **Emphasis of matters**

I draw attention to the matters below. My opinion is not modified in respect of these matters:

### **Significant uncertainties**

As disclosed in note 29 to the financial statements, the entity is a defendant in. various lawsuits. The ultimate outcome of the matters cannot presently be determined and therefore no provision for any liabilities that may result has been made in the financial statements.

### Material underspending

The municipality has materially underspent on the capital expenditure budget amounting to R7 750 950 (33%). As a consequence, the municipality has not achieved some of its capital project objectives.

### Additional matter

### **Annual Financial Statements**

10. I draw attention to the matter below. My opinion is not modified in respect of this matter:

### Unaudited supplementary schedules

11. The supplementary information set out on page xx does not form part of the financial statements and is presented as additional information. I have not audited this schedule and, accordingly, I do not express an opinion thereon

### REPORT ON OTHER LEGAL AND REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

12. In accordance with the PAA and the General Notice issued in terms thereof, I report the following findings relevant to performance against predetermined objectives, compliance with laws and regulations and internal control, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion.

### Predetermined objectives

- 13. I performed.: procedures to obtain evidence about, the usefulness and reliability of , the , .. information in the name of annual, performance report as set out ori pages If to B of the annual report.
- 14. The reported performance against predetermined objectives was evaluated against the overall criteria of usefulness and reliability. The usefulness of information in the annual performance report relates to whether it is presented in accordance with the National Treasury annual reporting principles and whether the reported performance is consistent with the planned development priorities or objectives/The usefulness of information further relates to whether indicators arid targets are measurable (i.e. we!! defined, verifiable, specific, measurable and time bound) and relevant as required by the. National Treasury Framework for managing programme performance information.
  - The reliability of the information in respect of the selected development priorities or objectives is assessed to determine whether it adequately reflects the facts (i.e. whether it is. valid, accurate and complete).
- 15. The material findings are as follows:

Usefulness of information

### Reported indicators and targets not consistent with planned indicators and targets

16. The Municipal Systems Act, section 41(c) requires that the integrated development plan should form the basis for the annual report, therefore requiring the consistency of objectives, indicators and targets between planning and reporting documents.-A total of 23% of the reported indicators and targets are not consistent with the indicators and targets as per the approved SDBIP. This is due to the lack of oversight responsibility regarding performance reporting.

### Reliability of selected objectives in the annual performance report

17. Based on my work described in this report, nothing has come to my attention that causes me to believe the annual performance report is not fairly stated in all material respects, in accordance with the predetermined criteria.

### Additional matters

18. I draw attention to the following matters below. These matters do not have an impact on the predetermined objectives audit findings reported above.

### Achievement of planned targets

19. 19; Of the total number of 1117 planned targets 257 were not achieved during the year under review; This represents 23% of total planned targets that were not achieved during the year. Under review. This was mainly due to the fact'that indicators and targets Were not suitably . developed during the strategic planning process

### Compliance with laws and regulations

20. I performed procedures to obtain evidence that the municipality has complied with applicable laws and regulations regarding financial matters, financial management and other related matters. My findings on material noncompliance with specific matters in key applicable laws and regulations as set out in the General Notice issued in terms of the PAA are as follows:

### Annual Financial statements, performance and annual report

21. The financial statements submitted for auditing were not prepared in all material respects in accordance with

### **Annual Financial Statements**

the requirements of section 122 of the MFMA. Material misstatements of disclosure items for receivables and expenditure identified by the auditors were adequately corrected, resulting in the financial statements receiving an unqualified audit opinion.

### **INTERNAL CONTROL**

22. I considered internal control relevant to my audit of the financial statements, annual performance report and compliance with laws iand regulations. The matters reported below under the fundamentals of internal control are limited to the significant deficiencies that resulted in the findings on the annual performance report and the findings on compliance with laws and regulations included in this report.

### Leadership

23. The accounting officer did not adequately exercise oversight responsibility regarding performance reporting. The performance objectives reported were not consistent with the annual performance plan, resulting in findings being raised.

### Financial and performance management

auditor General

- 24. Management did not have sufficient monitoring controls to ensure consistent reporting on the annual performance report.
- 25. Management did not comply with the accounting framework on the preparation of disclosure notes..

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### **General Information**

The following is included in the scope of operation **District Municipality** 

**Grading of local authority** Grade 11 Local Authority

**Chief Finance Officer (CFO)** Mr Brendon Scholtz

**Registered office Municipal Offices** 

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**Bankers ABSA Bank Limited** 

**Auditors** Auditor General South Africa

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DBSA	Development Bank of South Africa	
GRAP	Generally Recognised Accounting Practice	

IAS **International Accounting Standards** 

IMFO Institute of Municipal Finance Officers

International Public Sector Accounting Standards **IPSAS** 

Member of the Mayoral Committee MMC

Municipal Finance Management Act MFMA

MIG Municipal Infrastructure Grant (Previously CMIP)

**GAMAP** Generally Accepted Municipal Accounting Practice

PPE Property Plant and Equipment

SCM Supply Chain Management

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### **Accounting Officer's Responsibilities and Approval**

The accounting officer is required by the Municipal Finance Management Act (Act 56 of 2003), to maintain adequate accounting records and is responsible for the content and integrity of the annual financial statements and related financial information included in this report. It is the responsibility of the accounting officer to ensure that the annual financial statements fairly present the state of affairs of the municipality as at the end of the financial year and the results of its operations and cash flows for the period then ended. The external auditors are responsible for reporting on the fair presentation of the annual financial statements.

The annual financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Standards of Generally Recognised Accounting Practices (GRAP).

The annual financial statements are based upon appropriate accounting policies consistently applied and supported by reasonable and prudent judgments and estimates.

The accounting officer acknowledges that he is ultimately responsible for the system of internal financial control established by the municipality and place considerable importance on maintaining a strong control environment. To enable the accounting officer to meet these responsibilities, the accounting officer sets standards for internal control aimed at reducing the risk of error or loss in a cost effective manner. The standards include the proper delegation of responsibilities within a clearly defined framework, effective accounting procedures and adequate segregation of duties to ensure an acceptable level of risk. These controls are monitored throughout the municipality and all employees are required to maintain the highest ethical standards in ensuring the municipality's business is conducted in a manner that in all reasonable circumstances is above reproach. The focus of risk management in the municipality is on identifying, assessing, managing and monitoring all known forms of risk across the municipality. While operating risk cannot be fully eliminated, the municipality endeavours to minimise it by ensuring that appropriate infrastructure, controls, systems and ethical behaviour are applied and managed within predetermined procedures and constraints.

The accounting officer is of the opinion, based on the information and explanations given by management, that the system of internal control provides reasonable assurance that the financial records may be relied on for the preparation of the annual financial statements. However, any system of internal financial control can provide only reasonable, and not absolute, assurance against material misstatement or loss.

The accounting officer has reviewed the municipality's cash flow forecast for the year to 30 June 2013 and, in the light of this review and the current financial position, he is satisfied that the municipality has or has access to adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future.

The annual financial statements set out on pages 4 to 34, which have been prepared on the going concern basis, were approved by the accounting officer on 31 August 2012:

**Mr Yunus Chamda** 

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### **Accounting Officer's Report**

The accounting officer submits his report for the year ended 30 June 2012.

### 1.Incorporation

The municipality was incorporated on 01 January 1988 and obtained its certificate to commence its business as a regional services council on the same day.

### 2.Going concern

We draw attention to the fact that at 30 June 2012, the municipality had accumulated surplus of R172,660,370 and that the municipality's total assets exceed its liabilities by R175,352,201.

The annual financial statements have been prepared on the basis of accounting policies applicable to a going concern. This basis presumes that funds will be available to finance future operations and that the realisation of assets and settlement of liabilities, contingent obligations and commitments will occur in the ordinary course of business.

### 3.Accounting policies

The annual financial statements are prepared in accordance with the prescribed Standards of Generally Recognised Accounting Practices (GRAP) issued by the Accounting Standards Board as the prescribed framework by National Treasury.

The current bankers appointed by Council through a formal tender process are ABSA Bank Limited.

### 4. Accounting Officer

NameNationality

Mr Yunus ChamdaRSA

### 5.Bankers

The current bankers appointed by Council through a formal tender process are ABSA Bank Limited.

### 6.Auditors

The Auditor General will continue in office for the next financial period.

### 7.Cost cutting measures

Following the global economic crisis of 2009 and in line with MFMA Circular 48, the executive management of Sedibeng District Municipality had taken the decision to make conscientious efforts to increase revenue and decrease operating expenses by:

Increasing revenue through	Cost containment measures
— Optimizing all revenue streams;	— Educating staff to be more conscientious
— Reviewing billing processes;	— Better cash management
— Rigorously applying credit control;	— Claiming discounts from creditors/ suppliers
— Tightening internal control measures and SCM processes	— Institutionalising discussion on under-provision of EMS grant
	— Institutionalising discussion on under-provision of equitable share
	— Value-for-money spending and application of economies-of-scale pro- curement
	— Closer monitoring of repairs & maintenance will lead to reduction in productivity losses
	— Reducing & reviewing discretionary spending

### **Statement of Financial Position**

Figures in Rand	Note(s)	2012	2011
Assets			
Current Assets			
Construction of assets in progress	4	32,053,089	-
Inventories	5	307,522	370,013
Receivables from exchange transactions	6	5,434,493	22,889,557
VAT receivable	7	1,125,614	4,590,801
Cash and cash equivalents	8	12,491,996	42,428,705
		51,412,714	70,279,076
Non-Current Assets			
Property, plant and equipment	2	184,233,785	192,591,725
Intangible assets	3	1,923,053	2,319,690
		186,156,838	194,911,415
Total Assets		237,569,552	265,190,491
Liabilities			
Current Liabilities			
Payables from exchange transactions	12	46,668,534	57,936,799
Unspent conditional grants and receipts	10	12,793,066	33,740,053
Provisions	11	2,755,751	1,970,951
		62,217,351	93,647,803
Total Liabilities		62,217,351	93,647,803
Net Assets		175,352,201	171,542,689
Net Assets			
Net Assets Accumulated surplus		175,352,201	171,542,689

### **Statement of Financial Performance**

Figures in Rand	Note(s)	2012	2011
Revenue			
Sale of goods		1,217,207	321,965
Rental of facilities and equipment		7,799,499	7,695,109
Income from agency services		6,963,365	6,496,536
Licences and permits		59,605,708	49,309,873
Government grants and subsidies	15	292,212,987	290,229,183
Other income	16	1,380,793	1,163,667
Interest received – investment revenue	21	2,221,854	6,237,003
Gains on disposal of assets		1,161,731	107,092
Total Revenue		372,563,144	361,560,428
Expenditure			
Employee related cost	18	(228,392,383)	(232,230,971)
Remuneration of councilors	19	(9,407,075)	(8,368,655)
Depreciation and amortisation	22	(23,602,041)	(17,198,678)
Debt impairment	20	(93,999)	(37,761)
Public participation		(8,724)	(140,129)
Repairs and maintenance		(6,077,486)	(7,877,686)
Contracted services	25	(42,723,077)	(37,072,909)
Grants and subsidies paid	26	(250,000)	(84,710,637)
General expenses	17	(57,583,246)	(88,267,630)
Total Expenditure		(368,138,031)	(475,905,056)
Surplus (deficit) for the year		4,425,113	(114,344,628)

# **Statement of Changes in Net Assets**

Figures in Rand	Notes	Accumulated surplus	Total net assets
Balance at 01 July 2010		251,206,365	251,206,365
Correction of errors	30	35,167,909	35,167,909
Restated Balance at 01 July 2010		282,579,886	286,374,274
Changes in net assets			
Transfer from /(to) Reserves	9	(486,956)	(486,956)
Net income (losses) recognised directly in net assets		(486,956)	(486,956)
Surplus for the year		(118,084,260)	(118,084,260)
Correction of errors	30	3,739,632	3,739,632
Restated Surplus for the year		(114,344,628)	(114,344,628)
Total recognised income and expenses for the year		(114,831,584)	(114,831,584)
Balance at 01 July 2011		171,542,689	171,542,689
Changes in net assets			
Surplus for the year		4,425,113	4,425,113
Transfer from /(to) Reserves	9	(615,601)	(615,601)
Total changes		3,809,512	3,809,512
Balance at 30 June 2012		175,352,201	175,352,201

### **Cash Flow Statement**

Figures in Rand	Note(s)	2012	2011
Cash flows from operating activities			
Receipts			
Grants		271,266,000	278,718,934
Interest income		2,221,854	6,237,003
License receipts		195,301,700	164,082,041
Other receipts		78,412,634	142,380,094
		547,202,188	591,418,072
Payments			
Employee costs		(237,799,458)	(240,629,523)
License authority		(138,529,619)	(101,446,335)
Other suppliers		(186,379,598)	(289,194,870)
		(562,708,675)	(631,270,728)
Net cash flows from operating activities	27	(15,506,487)	(39,852,656)
Cash flows from investing activities			
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	2	(15,135,073)	(35,718,666)
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment	2	1,569,276	273,656
Purchase of other intangible assets	3	(864,426)	(245,948)
Net cash flows from investing activities		(14,430,223)	(35,690,958)
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		(29,936,710)	(75,543,614)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year		42,428,705	117,972,319
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	8	12,491,995	42,428,705

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### 1. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES TO THE ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### 1.1 BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The Annual Financial Statements have been prepared on an accrual basis of accounting and are in accordance with the historical cost basis unless otherwise stated. Under this basis the effects of transactions and other events are recognised when they occur and are recorded in the financial statements within the period to which they relate.

The annual financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the effective Standards of Generally Recognised Accounting Practices (GRAP) prescribed by the Minister of Finance in terms of General Notices 991 of 2005 and General Notice 516 of 2008, including any interpretations and directives issued by the Accounting Standards Board

Accounting policies for material transactions, events or conditions not covered by the above GRAP have been developed in accordance with paragraphs 7, 11 and 12 of GRAP 3. These accounting policies and the applicable disclosures have been based on the South African Statements of Generally Accepted Municipal Accounting Practices (SA GAMAP) including any interpretations of such statements issued by the Accounting Practices Board.

The Minister of Finance has, in terms of General Notice 1290 of 2008 exempted compliance with certain of the abovementioned standards and aspects or parts of these standards. Details of the exemptions applicable to the municipality have been provided in the notes to the annual statements.

These accounting policies are consistent with those of the previous financial year.

### Offsets

Assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses have not been offset except when offsetting is required or permitted by a standard of GRAP.

The principal accounting policies adopted in the preparation of these annual financial statements are set out below.

### 1.2 PRESENTATION CURRENCY

These annual financial statements are presented in South African Rand and are rounded to the nearest Rand.

### 1.3 SIGNIFICANT ESTIMATES, JUDGEMENTS AND ASSUMPTIONS

### These annual financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis.

In preparing the annual financial statements to conform with the standards of GRAP, management is required to make estimates, judgments and assumptions that affect the amounts represented in the annual financial statements and related disclosures. Use of available information and the application of judgment are inherent in the formation of estimates. Actual results in the future may differ from these estimates.

All significant estimates, judgments and underlying assumptions are reviewed on constant basis. All necessary revisions of significant estimates are recognised in the period during such revisions as well as in any future affected periods.

Specific areas where these significant estimation uncertainties as well as critical judgments and assumptions were made in the application of accounting policies with the most significant effect in the annual financial statements are included in the following notes:

Note 11: Provisions

Note 29: Contingencies

Note 28: Lease classification

Note 20: Debt Impairment

### 1.5 PROPERTY, PLANT & EQUIPMENT

An item of property, plant and equipment which qualifies for recognition as an asset has been initially be measured at cost except where land and buildings have been revalued at fair value at date of the revaluation less subsequent depreciation.

The cost of an item of property, plant and equipment comprises of its purchase price, including import duties and nonrefundable purchase taxes and any directly attributable costs of bringing the asset to working condition for its intended use.

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Where an item of property, plant and equipment was donated, is initially recognised at its fair value as at the date of acquisition.

Where an asset is acquired through a non-exchange transaction, its cost shall be measured at its fair value as at date of acquisition.

The cost of an item of property, plant and equipment acquired in exchange for a non-monetary asset or monetary assets, or a combination of monetary and non-monetary assets was measured at its fair value. If the acquired item could not be measured at its fair value, its cost was measured at the carrying amount of the asset given up.

Subsequent expenditure is capitalised when the recognition and measurement criteria of an asset are met. If expenditure only restores the originally best estimate of the expected useful life of the asset, then it is regarded as repairs and maintenance and is expensed.

Incomplete construction work is stated at historical cost. Depreciation only commences when the assets is ready to be used.

Properties in the course of construction for production, rental or administrative purposes, or for purposes not yet determined, are carried at cost, less any recognised impairment loss. Cost includes professional fees and, for qualifying assets, borrowing costs capitalised in accordance with the Municipality's accounting policy, refer to note 4. Depreciation of these assets, on the same basis as other property assets, commences when the assets are ready for their intended use.

Subsequently property, plant and equipment, are stated at cost, less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses.

Land is not depreciated as it is regarded as having an infinite life.

The gain or loss arising on the disposal or retirement of an item of property, plant and equipment is determined as the difference between the proceeds of disposal and the carrying value and is recognised in the Statement of Financial Performance.

Depreciation is calculated on the asset's depreciable amount, using the straight-line method over the useful life of the asset. The depreciable amount is determined after deducting the residual value of the asset from its cost. The depreciation charge is recognised as an expense unless it is included in the carrying amount of another asset under construction. Assets will be depreciated according to their annual depreciation rates based on the following estimated useful life:

Infrastructure Assets	Years
Street names, signs and parking meters	5
Water reservoirs and reticulation	15 – 20

Community Assets	Years
Parks and gardens	10 -30
Sport fields	20 – 30
Community halls	30
Recreation facilities	20 – 30

Other Assets	Years
Motor vehicles	5
Plant and equipment	2 – 15
Security measures	3 – 10
Buildings	30
IT equipment	3 – 5
Office equipment	3 - 7
Specialised vehicles	10

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The residual value and the useful life and depreciation method of each asset are reviewed at the end of each reporting date. If the expectations differ from previous estimates, the change is accounted for as a change in accounting estimate. Reviewing the useful life of an asset on an annual basis does not require the entity to amend the previous estimates unless expectations differ from the previous estimate.

The municipality has complied with Directive 4 of February 2008 and applied the requirements of the standard of GRAP 3, Accounting policies, Changes in accounting estimates and errors on the standard on Property, Plant and Equipment, GRAP 17, on initial adoption of the standard.

### 1.6 INTANGIBLE ASSETS

Intangible assets acquired separately or internally generated are reported at cost less accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment losses. Refer to impairment of assets accounting policy 1.7

Where an intangible asset has been acquired at no or for a nominal cost, its cost is its fair value on the date of acquisition.

Subsequent expenditure is capitalised only when it increases the future economic benefits embodied in the specific asset to which it relates. All other expenditure, including expenditure on internally generated goodwill and brands are recognised in the statement of financial performance as incurred.

Costs associated with developing or maintaining computer software programmes are recognised as an expense as incurred. Costs that are directly associated with the development of identifiable and unique software products controlled by the Municipality and that will probably generate economic benefits exceeding costs beyond one year are recognised as intangible assets. Costs include the employee costs incurred as a result of developing software and an appropriate portion of relevant overheads.

### 1.6.1 Research and Development

Expenditure on research activities, undertaken with the prospect of gaining new scientific or technical knowledge and understanding, is recognised in the statement of financial performance when incurred.

Development activities involve a plan or design for the production of new or substantially new improved products and processes.

Development expenditure is capitalised only if development costs can be measured reliably, the product or process is technically and commercially feasible, future economic benefits are probable, and the municipality intends to and has sufficient resources to complete development and to use or sell the asset.

The expenditure capitalised includes the cost of materials, direct labour and overhead costs that are directly attributable to preparing the asset for its intended use.

Other development expenditure is recognised in the statement of financial performance as incurred.

### 1.6.2 Amortisation

Amortisation is recognised in the statement of financial performance on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of intangible assets, other than goodwill, from the date that they are available for use. The estimated useful lives for the current and comparative periods are as follows:

Item	Useful Life
Computer software	3 Years

Each item of intangible asset is amortised separately.

Intangible assets that have an indefinite useful life are tested for impairment annually.

The estimated useful life, the amortisation method and the residual values are reviewed annually at the end of the financial year. Any adjustments arising from the annual review are applied prospectively.

### 1.7 IMPAIRMENT OF FINANCIAL ASSETS

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### Impairment of Non-financial assets

Non-Financial assets, excluding investment property and inventories, are assessed at each reporting date to determine whether there is an indication that the carrying amount of the asset may be impaired. If such an indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is determined. Irrespective of whether an indication of impairment exists, the recoverable amount of goodwill, indefinite-life intangible assets and intangible assets not available for use are determined annually.

The recoverable amount of an asset is the higher of its fair value less costs to sale and its value in use. In determining the value in use, the estimated future cash flows of the asset is discounted to their present value based on pre-tax discount rates that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks that are specific to the asset. If the value in use of an asset for which there is an indication of impairment cannot be determined, the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs is determined. An asset's cash generating unit is the smallest group of identifiable assets that includes the asset and that generates cash inflows from continuing use that are largely independent from cash inflows from other assets.

An impairment loss is recognised in the statement of financial performance when the carrying amount of an individual asset or of a cash-generating unit exceeds its recoverable amount. If the loss relates to the reversal of a previous revaluation surplus, it is recognised in equity. Impairment losses recognised on cash-generating units are allocated on a pro rata basis, to the assets in the cash-generating unit.

Impairment losses are reversed if there has been a change in the estimates used to determine the recoverable amount of the asset or cash-generating unit. Reversals of impairment losses on cash-generating units are allocated on a pro rata basis to the assts in the unit. Impairment losses are reversed only to the extent that the carrying amount of the asset does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been recognised in the past. Reversals of impairment losses are recognised directly in the statement of financial performance.

### **Impairment of Monetary assets**

A provision for impairment is created when there is objective evidence that the municipality will not be able to collect all amounts due according to the original terms of the receivables. The carrying value is reduced through the use of a provision and is recognised as a charge to the statement of financial performance. When a receivable is uncollectible, it is written off against the provision. Any subsequent recoveries of amounts previously written off are credited directly in the statement of financial performance.

An available for sale financial asset is impaired when there is a significant or prolonged decline in the fair value of the asset below its cost price or amortised cost. At such a point, a cumulative gains or losses that have been accumulated in equity are removed from equity as a reclassification adjustment and are recognised in the statement of financial performance. Any subsequent impairment losses are recognised directly in the statement of financial performance.

Where Held-to-maturity investments have been impaired, the carrying value is adjusted by the impairment loss and this is recognised as an expense in the period that the impairment is identified.

### 1.8 NON-CURRENT ASSETS HELD FOR SALE

Non-current assets or disposal groups are classified as non-current assets held for sale when the carrying amount of the asset or disposal group is to be recovered principally through a sale transaction rather than through continuing use.

Immediately before the classification of the asset or disposal group as held for sale, the carrying amount of the assets, or the assets and liabilities in the disposal group, are measured in accordance with applicable GRAP standards. Subsequently the asset or disposal group is measured at the lower of its carrying amount and fair value less cost to sell, with any adjustment recorded in the statement of financial performance.

The municipality complied with Directive 4 of February 2008, on initial adoption of the standard of GRAP on Non-current Assets Held for Sale and Discontinued Operations, GRAP 100, and has done so prospectively, for all non-current assets (or disposal groups), that meet the criteria to be classified as held for sale.

### 1.9 LEASES

Leases that transfer substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership are classified as finance leases. All other leases are classified as operating leases.

Operating leases are those leases that do not fall within the scope of the above definition. Operating lease payments are

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recognised as an expense on a straight-line basis over the lease period.

### The Municipality as Lessee

Assets leased in terms of finance lease agreements are capitalied at amounts equal at the inception of the lease to the fair value of the leased property, or lower, at the present value of the minimum lease payments. Capitalised leased assets are depreciated in accordance with the accounting policy applicable to property, plant and equipment; refer to property, plant and equipment policy 1.5. The corresponding rental obligations, net of finance charges, are included in long-term borrowings. Lease finance charges are amortised to the statement of financial performance (unless they are directly attributable to qualifying assets) over the duration of the leases so as to achieve a constant rate of interest on their remaining balance of the liability.

Obligations incurred under operating leases are charged to the statement of financial performance in equal installments over the period of the lease, except when an alternative method is more representative of the time pattern from which benefits are derived.

### 1.10 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

Financial instruments are initially measured at fair value, plus, in the case of financial instruments not at fair value through profit or loss, transaction costs. The fair value of a financial instrument that is initially recognised is normally the transaction price, unless the fair value is evident from the observable market data. The municipality uses a discounted cash flow model which incorporates entity-specific variables to determine the fair value of financial instruments that are not traded in an active market. Differences may arise between the fair value initially recognised in (which in accordance with IAS 39, is generally the transaction price) and the amount initially determined using the valuation technique. Any such differences are subsequently recognised in profit or loss only to the extent that they relate to a change in the factors (including time) that market participants would consider in setting the price.

Financial instruments include cash and bank balance, investments, trade receivables and borrowings. The municipality classifies its financial assets as loans and receivables.

### **Effective interest method**

The effective interest method is a method of calculating the amortised cost of a financial asset and of allocating interest income over the relevant period. The effective interest rate is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash receipts (including all fees on points paid or received that form an integral part of the effective interest rate, transaction costs and other premiums or discount) through the expected life of the financial asset, or, where appropriate a shorter period.

### 1.10.1 Financial assets

Financial assets are recognised in the municipality's statement of financial position when the municipality becomes a party to the contractual provisions of an instrument. Regular way purchases and sales of financial assets are recorded on the trade date.

The municipality classifies its financial assets in the following categories: fair value through profit or loss, loans and receivables, held-to-maturity as well as available for sale. All financial assets that are within the scope of IAS 39 are classified into one of the four categories.

### 1.10.1.1 Financial assets at fair value through profit and loss

An instrument is at fair value through profit or loss if it is held for trading or designated as such. Purchase or sale decisions with regard to these investments are managed in accordance with the municipality's documented risk or investment strategy. Financial assets at Fair value through profit or loss are stated at fair value, with any resultant gain or loss recognised in the statement of financial performance. The net gain or loss recognised in the statement of financial performance incorporates any dividend or interest earned on the financial asset.

### 1.10.1.2 Loans and receivables

Loans and receivables are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market. They are included in current assets, except for maturities in excess of 12 months. These are classified as non-current assets. They include short-term receivables, such as property rates, trade and other receivables, and longterm receivables, such as loans granted. This category may also include financial assets that would have been impaired or past due if the terms of the instrument were not renegotiated.

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Loans and receivables are recognised initially at fair value, plus transaction costs. Subsequently items in this category are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate, and interest income is included in the statement of financial performance for the period. Net gains or losses represent; reversals of impairment losses, impairment losses, refer to impairment of assets policy as well as gains or losses on derecognition. These net gains and losses are included in the statement of financial performance.

### 1.10.1.3 Held-to-maturity investments

Debt securities that the Municipality has the expressed intention and ability to hold to a fixed maturity date are recognised on a trade date basis and are initially measured at fair value plus transaction cost.

Subsequent to initial recognition, held-to-maturity assets are measured at amortised cost calculated using the effective interest method.

Investments which include listed government bonds, unlisted municipal bonds, fixed deposits and short term deposits invested in registered banks are stated at cost.

Surplus funds are invested in terms of Council's Investment Policy. Investments are only made with financial institutions registered in terms of the Deposit Taking Institutions Act of 1990 with an A1 or similar rating institution for safe investment purposes.

The investment period should be such that it will not be necessary to borrow funds against the investments at a penalty interest rate to meet commitments.

### 1.10.1.4 Available for sale assets

Non-derivative assets that do not fall into any of the other categories are classified as available for sale. These financial instruments are stated at fair value plus transaction costs. Fair value is determined with reference to quoted market prices. Gains and losses arising from changes in fair value, with the exception of impairment losses, refer to assets management policy, are recognised directly in equity in the Mark-to-Market reserve.

Dividends on available for sale equity instruments are recognised in the surplus or deficit when the Municipality's right to receive payment is established.

### 1.10.2 FINANCIAL LIABILITIES

Financial liabilities are recognised in the municipality's statement of financial position when the municipality becomes party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

The municipality classifies its financial liabilities in the following categories: at fair value through profit or loss and other financial liabilities. The classification depends on the purpose for which the financial liabilities were issued/obtained.

### 1.10.2.1 Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss

Financial liabilities are classified as at Fair Value Through Profit or Loss where the financial liability is either held for trading or it is designated as at Fair Value Through Profit or Loss.

Financial liabilities at Fair Value Through Profit or Loss are stated at fair value, with any resultant gain or loss recognised in the statement of financial performance. Interest expense is calculated using the effective interest rate method and included as part of finance costs in the Statement of Financial Performance.

### 1.10.3 Other financial liabilities

Other financial liabilities, including interest bearing borrowings, are initially measured at fair value, net of transaction costs.

Subsequently, other financial liabilities are measured at amortised cost using the effective rate method, with interest costs being recognised on an effective yield basis.

### 1.11 INVENTORIES

Inventories are initially measured at cost which cost of inventories comprises of all costs of purchase, costs of development, costs of conversion and other costs incurred in bringing the inventories to their present location and condition.

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Consumable stores, raw materials, work in progress, unused water, and finished goods are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value. In general, the basis of determining cost is the weighted average cost of commodities.

Redundant and slow-moving stock are identified and written down with regard to their estimated economic or realisable values and sold by public auction. Consumables are written down with regard to age, condition and utility.

Unsold properties are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value on a specific identification cost basis. Direct costs are accumulated for each separately identifiable development. Costs also include a proportion of overhead costs.

The municipality complied with Directive 4 of February 2008, on initial adoption of the standard of on Inventories, GRAP 12, and has done so retrospectively according to the Standard of GRAP on Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors.

The necessary disclosures have been made for non-measurement of inventories in accordance with GRAP 12.

### 1.12 CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

Cash includes cash on hand and cash with banks.

For the purposes of the cash flow statement, cash and cash equivalents comprise cash on hand and cash at bank. Short term investments are included. Bank overdrafts are recorded on the facility utilised. Finance charges on bank overdrafts are expensed as incurred.

### 1.13 PROVISIONS AND CONTINGENCIES

Provisions are recognised when the municipality has a present or constructive obligation, as a result of past events, that is probable to cause an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits required to settle the obligation and a reliable estimate of the provision can be made.

Where the effect of the time value of money is material, the amount of a provision is the present value of the expenditures expected to be required to settle the obligation. The discount rate used in calculating the present value is the interest rate implicit in the transaction. Where this is impractical to determine the average interest rate cost of borrowing rate of the Municipality is used.

Provisions are reviewed at each reporting date and adjusted to reflect the current best estimate. If it is no longer probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits or service potential will be required to settle the obligation, the provision is reversed.

The municipality on initial adoption of the standard of GRAP on Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets has done so retrospectively according to the Standard of GRAP on Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors.

Due to the transitional provisions under the Standard of GRAP on Property, Plant and Equipment, certain assets have not been recognised as Property, Plant and Equipment. Due to the non-recognition of such assets, the requirements of the Standard on Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent assets have not been applied until the expiration the Property, Plant and Equipment transitional provisions. All necessary disclosure for those assets not recognised as Property, Plant and Equipment have been made.

The municipality complied with Directive 4 of February 2008, on initial adoption of the standard of on Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets, GRAP 19, and has done so retrospectively according to the Standard of GRAP on Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors.

Where items have not been recognised in accordance with GRAP 17, Property, Plant and equipment as a result of transitional provisions, which take precedence over the requirements of GRAP 19. The GRAP 17 will have to be complied with first, or transitional provisions of this standard are to expire prior to application of GRAP 19.

The necessary disclosures have been made for non-recognition of provisions (which form part of the cost of an asset).

### 1.14 EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

### 1.14.1 Short-term employee benefits

The cost of short-term employee benefits, which include salaries and wages, short-term compensated absences and profit sharing and bonus plans, are expensed in the Statement of Financial Performance in the financial year during which the

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payment is made.

Liabilities for short-term employee benefits that are unpaid at year-end are measured at the undiscounted amount that the municipality expected to pay in exchange for that service that had accumulated at the reporting date.

### 1.14.2 Termination Benefits

Termination benefits are recognised when actions have been taken that indicate that the municipality is demonstrably committed to either terminate the employment of an employee or group of employees before the normal retirement date; or provide termination benefits as a result of an offer made in order to encourage voluntary redundancy.

### 1.14.3 Retirement benefits

The municipality provides retirement benefits for its employees and councilors.

Contributions to defined contribution retirement benefit plans are recognised as an expense when employees and councilors have rendered the employment service or served office entitling them to the contributions.

### 1.14.4 Defined contribution plans

A defined contribution plan is a post-employment benefit plan under which the municipality pays fixed contributions into a separate entity and will have no legal or constructive obligation to pay further amounts. Obligations for contributions to defined contribution pension plans are recognised as an employee benefit expense in the statement of financial performance when they are due. Prepaid contributions are recognised as an asset to the extent that a cash refund or a reduction in future payments is available.

### 1.14.5 Post employment medical care benefits

The municipality provides post employment medical care benefits to its employees and their legitimate spouses. The entitlement to post-retirement medical benefits is based on employees remaining in service up to retirement age and the completion of a minimum service period.

### 1.15 REVENUE RECOGNITION

Revenue shall be measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable. Revenue is reduced for estimated customer returns, rebates, VAT and other similar allowances.

### 1.15.1 Revenue from exchange transactions

### Rendering of services

Flat rate service charges relating to rental of facilities and the reporting date shall be recognised when:

- It is probable that the economic benefits or service potential associated with the transaction will flow to the municipality; and
- The amount of the revenue can be measured reliably.

### Interest, royalties and dividends

Interest shall be recognised on a time proportionate basis that takes into account the effective yield on the asset;

Royalties are recognised as they are earned on a time basis is recognised on a straight-line basis over the period of the agreement. Royalty revenue that is based on production, sales and other measures is recognised in accordance with the substance of the relevant agreement; and

Dividends are recognised on the date that the Municipality becomes entitled to receive the dividend.

### **Agency Services**

Income for agency services is recognised on a monthly basis once the income collected on behalf of agents has been quantified.

The income recognised is in terms of the agency agreement.

Collection charges are recognised when such amounts are incurred.

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The municipality complied with Directive 4 of February 2008, on initial adoption of the standard of on Revenue from Exchange Transaction, GRAP 9, and has done so retrospectively according to the Standard of GRAP on Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors.

### Sale of Goods

Revenue from the sale of goods is recognised when all the following conditions have been satisfied:

- The municipality has transferred to the purchaser the significant risks and rewards of ownership of goods;
- The municipality retains neither continuing managerial involvement to the degree usually associated with ownership nor effective control over goods sold;
- · The amount of revenue can be measured reliably;
- · It is probable that the economic benefits or service potential associated with the transaction will flow to the municipality; and
- The costs incurred or to be incurred in respect of the transaction can be measured reliable.

### 1.15.2 Revenue from non-exchange transactions

### **Grants and donations received**

Government Grants can be in the form of grants to acquire or construct fixed assets (capital grants), grants for the furtherance of national and provincial government policy objectives and general grants to subsidise the cost incurred by municipalities rendering services.

Capital grants and general grants for the furtherance of government policy objectives are usually restricted revenue in that stipulations are imposed in their use.

Conditional grants, donations and funding were recognised as revenue in the Statement of Financial Performance to the extent that the Municipality has complied with any criteria, conditions or obligations embodied in the agreement/ arrangement. To the extent that the criteria, conditions and obligations have not been met a liability is raised in the Statement of Financial Position. Unconditional grants, donations and funding are recognised as revenue in the Statement of Financial Performance at the earlier of the date of receipt or when the amount is receivable.

Contributed assets are recognised at fair value when the risks and rewards associated with such assets are transferred to the Municipality.

### 1.15.3 Transfer revenue

Assets and revenue recognised as a consequence of a transfer at no or nominal cost is measured at the fair value of the assets recognised as at the date of recognition. Non-monetary assets are measured at their fair value, which is determined by reference to observable market values or by independent appraisal by a member of the valuation profession.

### 1.15.4 Other

Revenue from the recovery of unauthorised, irregular, fruitless and wasteful expenditure is based on legislated procedures, including those set out in the Municipal Finance Management Act (Act No.56 of 2003) and is recognised when the recovery thereof from the responsible councilors or officials is virtually certain.

Revenue from the recovery of unauthorised irregular, fruitless and wasteful expenditure is based on legislated procedures.

### **VALUE ADDED TAX**

The municipality accounts for Value Added Tax on the cash basis.

### 1.17 UNAUTHORISED EXPENDITURE

Unauthorised expenditure is expenditure that has not been budgeted, expenditure that is not in terms of the conditions of an allocation received from another sphere of government, municipality or organ of state and expenditure in the form of a grant that is not permitted in terms of the Municipal Finance Management Act (Act 56 of 2003).

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Unauthorised expenditure is accounted for as an expense in the Statement of Financial Performance and where recovered, it is subsequently accounted for as revenue in the Statement of Financial Performance.

### 1.18 IRREGULAR EXPENDITURE

Irregular expenditure is expenditure that is contrary to the Municipal Finance Act (Act 56 of 2003), the Municipal Systems Act (Act 32 of 2000), the Public Office Bearers Act (Act 20 of 1998) or is in contravention of the municipality's supply chain management policy. Irregular expenditure excludes unauthorised expenditure. Irregular expenditure is accounted for as expenditure in the Statement of Financial Performance and where recovered, it is subsequently accounted for as revenue in the Statement of Financial Performance.

### 1.19 FRUITLESS AND WASTEFUL EXPENDITURE

Fruitless and wasteful expenditure is expenditure that was made in vain and would have been avoided had reasonable care been exercised. Fruitless and wasteful expenditure is accounted for as expenditure in the Statement of Financial Performance and where recovered, it is subsequently accounted for as revenue in the Statement of Financial Performance.

### 1.20 COMPARATIVE INFORMATION

When the presentation or classification of items in the annual financial statements is amended, prior period comparative amounts are reclassified. The nature and reason for the reclassification is disclosed.

### **Notes to the Annual Financial Statements**

**Figures in Rand** 2012 2011

### Property, plant and equipment

		2012			2011			
	Cost / Valuation	Accumulated depre- ciation and accumu- lated impairment	Carrying value	Cost / Valuation	Accumulated de- preciation and accumulated impairment	Carrying value		
Land	41,907,735	(608,655)	41,299,080	41,907,735	(608,655)	41,299,080		
Buildings	72,866,451	(8,176,676)	64,689,775	72,653,251	(5,738,828)	66,914,423		
Furniture and fixtures	15,572,819	(11,675,252)	3,897,567	15,010,431	(10,501,683)	4,508,748		
Motor vehicles	10,134,059	(5,753,465)	4,380,594	12,111,460	(5,984,223)	6,127,237		
Electronic equipment	32,372,675	(11,962,447)	20,410,228	22,723,171	(8,541,550)	14,181,621		
Infrastructure	71,796,612	(25,868,354)	45,928,258	68,796,613	(14,763,303)	54,033,310		
Plant and equipment	8,610,440	(5,530,133)	3,080,307	9,468,404	(4,528,615)	4,939,789		
Specialised vehicles	699,972	(151,996)	547,976	745,973	(158,456)	587,517		

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Reconciliation of property, plant and equipment - 2012

253,960,763

Total

	Opening balance	Additions	Disposals	Depreciation	Total
Land	41,299,080	-	-	-	41,299,080
Buildings	66,914,423	213,200	-	(2,437,848)	64,689,775
Furniture and fixtures	4,508,748	699,135	(14,270)	(1,296,046)	3,897,567
Motor vehicles	6,127,237	-	(149,964)	(1,596,679)	4,380,594
Electronic equipment	14,181,621	11,191,319	(53,505)	(4,909,207)	20,410,228
Infrastructure	54,033,310	2,999,999	-	(11,105,051)	45,928,258
Plant and equipment	4,939,789	31,420	(180,630)	(1,710,272)	3,080,307
Specialised vehicles	587,517	-	(9,176)	(30,365)	547,976
	192,591,725	15,135,073	(407,545)	(23,085,468)	184,233,785

### Reconciliation of property, plant and equipment – 2011

	Opening balance	Additions	Disposals	Depreciation	Total
Land	41,299,080	-	-	-	41,299,080
Buildings	68,683,927	640,412	-	(2,409,916)	66,914,423
Furniture and fixtures	4,119,665	2,427,801	(12,670)	(2,026,048)	4,508,748
Motor vehicles	4,415,997	3,163,648	(32,930)	(1,419,478)	6,127,237
Electronic equipment	5,766,453	10,535,418	(120,964)	(1,999,286)	14,181,621
Infrastructure	44,239,324	17,246,200	-	(7,452,214)	54,033,310
Plant and equipment	5,070,803	1,412,305	-	(1,543,319)	4,939,789
Specialised vehicles	311,296	292,882	-	(16,661)	587,517
	173,906,545	35,718,666	(166,564)	(16,866,922)	192,591,725

A register containing the information required by section 63 of the Municipal Finance Management Act is available for inspection at the registered office of the municipality.

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3.	Intang	ible	assets

		2012			2011	
	Cost / Valuation	Accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment	Carrying value	Cost / Valu- ation	Accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment	Carrying value
Computer software, other Reconciliation of intangible ass	4,388,571 ets - 2012	(2,465,518)	1,923,053	3,524,145	(1,204,455)	2,319,690
Computer software, other Reconciliation of intangible ass	ets - 2011		Opening balance 2,319,690	Additions 864,426	<b>Amortisation</b> (1,261,063)	<b>Total</b> 1,923,053
-			Opening balance	Additions	Amortisation	Total
Computer software, other			3,132,491	245,948	(1,058,749)	2,319,690

### 4. Construction of Assets in Progress

**EVATON PEDESTRIAN SIDEWALKS** 

**ROAD SIGNAGE** 

**MSIG Bridging Finance** 

These assets will either be transferred to the Local Municipalities or capitalised in the books of Sedibeng once the functions are resolved and the asset has been completed and finally verified by the Local Municipality.

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3,169,570.49

4,727,916.79		
311,828.38		
2,020,057.17		
18,321,382.24		
392,634.83		
32,053,088.53		
	307,522	370,013
	1,000,830	640,932
	-	85,392
	104,550	107,089
	150,162	1,464,614
	-	16,985,000
	2,921,678	2,959,591
	66,391	-
	66,391 768,465	-
	311,828.38 2,020,057.17 18,321,382.24 392,634.83	311,828.38 2,020,057.17 18,321,382.24 392,634.83 32,053,088.53  307,522  1,000,830 - 104,550 150,162 - 2,921,678

The insurance claim of R 768,465 was a claim lodge for air quality equipment stolen and the claim was settled in July 2012. Government subsidies of R16,985,000 related to the previous year was settled in the current year whereby the funds related to Emergency Medical Services subsidies.

422,417 5,434,493

22,889,557

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Figures in Rand		2012 2011
Trade debtors		
Current (0 – 30 days)	950,754	580,433
31 – 60 days	27,154	28,249
61 – 90 days	20,302	32,947
>91	672,999	1,330,81
Less: Provision for Debt Impairment	(670,379)	(1,331,518
Total Trade Debtors	1,000,830	
Employee Cost in Advance Current (0 – 30 days)		- 85,39.
Pre-payments		
Current (0 – 30 days)	104,550	107,089
Vat on Accruals		
Current (0 – 30 days)	150,162	1,464,614
Government Subsidies		
91 – 120 days >120 days		- 8,492,500 - 8,492,500
Total Government Subsidies		16,985,000
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Local Municipality Agency services	1 105 (75	702.42
Current (0 – 30 days)	1,195,675	
31 – 60 days	504,543	
61 – 90 days	542,680	
91 – 120 days	678,780	
>120 days		562,010
Total Local Municipality Agency services	2,921,678	2,959,593
FMG Bridging Finance Current (0 – 30 days)	66,391	L
Insurance claim		
Current (0 – 30 days)	768,465	
HIV and AIDS Bridging Finance Current (0 – 30 days)		- 646,939
MSIG Bridging Finance		
Current (0 – 30 days)	422,417	7
7. VAT receivable		
VAT	1,125,614	4,590,80
8. Cash and cash equivalents		
Cash on hand	40,125	5 40,12
Cash book balances	12,418,653	
Investment deposits	33,218	20,364,319

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Figures in Rand	2012	2011

### The municipality had the following bank accounts

Account number / description	Ban	k statement bal	ances	Cas	h book balance	s
	30 June 2012	30 June 2011	30 June 2010	30 June 2012	30 June 2011	30 June 2010
ABSA BANK - Account Type - Primary Bank Account	3,007,702	3,583,679	10,603,511	2,707,511	3,503,814	10,306,855
ABSA BANK - Account Type - Licence Fuction Bank Account	9,184,364	16,563,063	12,541,510	9,711,142	18,520,447	12,541,510
ABSA BANK - Account Type - RSC Levy Bank Account	-	-	425,174	-	-	425,174
Total	12,192,066	20,146,742	23,570,195	12,418,653	22,024,261	23,273,539
The Municipality had the following s Standard Bank - 228499054 SERIAL 0		ent deposits at	year end		-	20,271,994
Absa Call Account - 9085796427					33,218	92,325

### 9. Accumulated surplus

### Ring-fenced internal funds and reserves within accumulated surplus - 2012

	Government grant reserve	Total
Opening balance	3,307,432	3,307,432
Offsetting of depreciation	(744,491)	(744,491)
Capital grants used to purchase property, plant and equipment	356,086	356,086
Asset Disposal/Transfer	(227,196)	(227,196)
	2,691,831	2,691,831

### Ring-fenced internal funds and reserves within accumulated surplus - 2011

	Government grant reserve	Total
Opening balance	3,794,388	3,794,388
Offsetting of depreciation	(726,995)	(726,995)
Capital grants used to purchase property, plant and equipment	277,087	277,087
Asset Disposal	(37,048)	(37,048)
	3,307,432	3,307,432

### 10. Unspent conditional grants and receipts

### Unspent conditional grants and receipts comprises of:

### Unspent conditional grants and receipts

	12,793,066	33,740,053
DLG Grants	1,707,487	1,842,654
National Grants	1,362,476	21,575,280
Provincial Grants	9,723,103	10,322,119

### Movement during the year

(37,079,967)	(42,024,290)
(27.070.007)	(42,624,296)
16,133,000	43,525,900
33,740,053	32,838,449
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The nature and extent of government grants recognised in the annual financial statements and an indication of other forms of government assistance from which the municipality has directly benefited; and Unfulfilled conditions and other contingencies attaching to government assistance that has been recognised.

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See note 15 for reconciliation of grants from National/Provincial Government. These amounts are invested until utilised.

### 11. Provisions

The following provisions related to performance bonuses not yet finalized and a further provision for employees older than 50 who are entitled for early pension whereby a pro rata bonus amount is payable on retirement. This amount is calculated on the current salary of each employee.

### Reconciliation of provisions - 2012

	Opening Balance	Additions	Total
Performance Bonus	1,141,900	784,800	1,926,700
Retirement Bonus	829,051	-	829,051
	1,970,951	784,800	2,755,751
Reconciliation of provisions - 2011			
	Opening Balance	Additions	Total
Performance Bonus	1,141,900	-	1,141,900
Retirement Bonus	685,235	143,816	829,051
	1,827,135	143,816	1,970,951
12. Payables from exchange transactions			
Trade payables		4,053,535	15,447,338
Accrued leave pay		17,793,201	16,739,201
Operating lease liabilities		24,670	84,217
Department of Transport (License fees)		15,204,748	15,118,232
Local Municipalities Accounts		4,694,178	6,582,552
Retention on Capital Projects		1,039,626	1,618,832
Compensation Commissioner  Mayoral Event		-	1,563,185
Ambulance fees in advance		98,800 87,262	98,800 87,122
Refundable town hall rental deposits		107,844	71.749
Unclaimed Salaries		25,199	25,199
Salaries accrual 3 <sup>rd</sup> party		2,997,268	-
Unknown deposits		137,045	134,598
VAT on trade receivables		405,158	365,774
		46,668,534	57,936,799
13. Revenue			
Sale of goods		1,217,207	321,965
Income from agency services		6,963,365	6,496,536
Licenses and permits		59,605,708	49,309,873
Government grants & subsidies		292,212,987	290,229,183
		359,999,267	346,357,557
The municipality is selling AVGAS and JET A1 fuel at the Vereeniging Airport a munity group which forms part of Sale of Goods	s part of enhancing ser	vice delivery to a spo	ecific com-
The amounts included in revenue arising from exchanges of goods or services	are as follows:		
Sale of goods		1,217,207	321,965
Rental of facilities & equipment		7,799,499	7,695,109
Income from agency services		6,963,365	6,496,536
Licences and permits		59,605,708	49,309,873
		75,585,779	63,823,483

### **Notes to the Annual Financial Statements**

Figures in Rand	2012	2011
The amounts included in revenue arising from non-exchange transactions is as	follows:	
Transfer revenue		
Levies	292,212,987	290,229,183
14. Cost of sales		
Sale of goods		
Cost of goods sold - Avgas Fuel	1,349,956	413,976
This expense forms part of general expenditure as per note 17		
15. Government grants and subsidies		
Equitable share	220,439,000	213,221,000
Ambulance Subsidies	34,694,000	33,970,000
Support Grants	37,079,987	43,038,183
	292,212,987	290,229,183
Equitable Share		
Current-year receipts	(220,439,000)	(213,221,000)
Conditions met - transferred to revenue	220,439,000	213,221,000
Emergency Medical Services	<u> </u>	
Current-year receipts	(34,694,000)	(33,970,000)
Conditions met - transferred to revenue	34,694,000	33,970,000
Provincial Grants	-	
Balance unspent at beginning of year	10,322,119	10,654,036
Current-year receipts	8,083,000	4,427,900
Conditions met - transferred to revenue	(8,682,016)	(4,759,817)
	9,723,103	10,322,119

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**Reconciliation of Unspent Conditional Grants** 

	Opening Balance July 2011	Grants Received 2011/12	Grants Spent 2011/12	Unspent Grants June 2012
LED PROJECT	(1,700,000)			(1,700,000)
HIV/AIDS	0	(4,813,000)	1,558,624	(3,254,376)
IMPL TOURISM INST FRAMEWORK	(300,000)		0	(300,000)
DEPT AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEV	(280,000)	(270,000)	0	(550,000)
SHARPEVILLE COMMUNITY HALL	(6,934,489)		6,288,294	(646,195)
LOTTO - SPORT	0	(3,000,000)	392,635	(2,607,365)
CRAFT HUB ESTABLISHMENT	(807,630)		311,828	(495,802)
TOURISM BIRDING ROUTE	(300,000)		130,636	(169,364)
	(10,322,119)	(8,083,000)	8,682,016	(9,723,103)

The HIV and AIDS grant were received during June 2012 and therefore the limited expenditure shown.

### **National Grants**

	1,362,476	21,575,280
Conditions met - transferred to revenue	(28,262,804)	(36,872,553)
Current-year receipts	8,050,000	39,098,000
Balance unspent at beginning of year	21,575,280	19,349,833

Reconciliation of Unspent Conditional Grants

	Opening Balance July 2011	Grants Received 2011/12	Grants Spent 2011/12	Unspent Grants June 2012
URBAN ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGENT PROGRAM (DANIDA)	(131,100)		120,485	(10,615)
MUN IMPR SYS GRANT	0	(800,000)	800,000	0
MUNICIPAL FINANCE MANAGEMENT GRANT	(38,256)	(1,250,000)	1,288,256	0
NDPG PROJECT	(21,405,923)	(6,000,000)	26,054,063	(1,351,861)
	(21,575,280)	(8,050,000)	28,262,804	(1,362,476)
DLG Grants				
Balance unspent at beginning of year			1,842,654	2,834,580
Conditions met - transferred to revenue			(135,167)	(991,926)
			1,707,487	1,842,654

### **Notes to the Annual Financial Statements**

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Figures in Rand	2012	2011
16. Other income		
Ad hoc income	488,230	139,037
Skills levy income	-	124,046
Ambulance fees	443,661	442,017
Tender income	52,561	153,246
Commission on salaries	188,428	147,347
Telephone cost recovered	207,913	157,974
	1,380,793	1,163,667
17. General expenses		
Advertising	973,041	1,091,628
Assessment rates & municipal charges	5,107,054	6,728,443
Auditors remuneration	2,925,529	2,018,762
Bank charges	792,977	662,276
Computer expenses	1,796,359	2,363,111
Consulting and professional fees	3,034,671	6,714,995
Consumables	807,197	1,061,427
Debt collection	700.400	2,743,294
Entertainment	760,183	505,997
Insurance	2,818,721	2,453,864
Lease rentals on operating lease	5,894,286	8,278,263 2,841,587
Marketing Magazines, books and periodicals	233,288	2,641,567
Fuel and oil	1,150,853	826,722
Postage and courier	10,368	13,449
Printing and stationery	2,654,849	2,594,941
Promotions	2,074,482	3,392,160
Protective clothing	193,789	912,952
Royalties and license fees	3,621,015	2,276,190
Staff welfare	176,050	187,478
Subscriptions and membership fees	1,421,325	1,296,466
Telephone and fax	3,729,482	4,167,686
Training	746,842	1,970,722
Travel	1,860,191	2,131,845
Campaigns	-	681,430
Office refreshments	382,808	486,061
Workshops	7,114,980	8,867,245
Congresses & Meetings	422,945	504,009
Grant related expenses	2,117,391	16,777,565
External bursaries	413,308	492,000
Donations & grants	472,112	992,462
Catering expenses	2,527,194	1,556,819
Sale of goods - Aircraft fuel	1,349,956	413,976
	57,583,246	88,267,630

### **Notes to the Annual Financial Statements**

Figures in Rand	2012	2011
18. Employee related costs		
Employee related costs exclusive of Section 57 employees	141,468,141	138,410,255
Medical aid - company contributions	12,566,370	11,510,204
UIF	1,157,801	1,188,621
WCA	1,803,450	1,563,185
SDL	1,772,745	1,774,466
Other payroll levies	2,698,069	2,731,895
Leave pay charge	2,565,817	4,142,851
Post-employment benefits - Pension - Defined contribution plan	28,691,427	27,306,816
Overtime payments	5,078,430	9,073,410
13th Cheques	11,735,255	14,777,634
Car allowance	9,174,893	10,890,088
Housing benefits and allowances	1,270,591	1,133,404
Telephone Allowances	500	500
Standby Allowance	1,820,817	1,904,083
	221,804,306	226,407,412
Remuneration of Municipal Manager		
Annual Remuneration	978,092	897,906
Car Allowance	119,784	119,784
Contributions to UIF, Medical and Pension Funds	88,675	83,666
·	1,186,551	1,101,356
Remuneration of Chief Finance Officer		· · · · · ·
Annual Remuneration	593,410	556,417
Car Allowance	122,000	120,000
Contributions to UIF, Medical and Pension Funds	167,500	159,772
Housing Allowance	4,800	4,800
	887,710	840,989
Remuneration of Executive Directors	·	· · ·
Annual Remuneration	2,849,073	2,277,043
Car Allowance	372,348	372,348
Contributions to UIF, Medical and Pension Funds	303,377	294,070
	3,524,798	2,943,461
Remuneration of Chief Operating Officer	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	,,
Annual Remuneration	943,005	894,007
Contributions to UIF, Medical and Pension Funds	46,013	43,746
	989,018	937,753
Total	228,392,383	232,230,971
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19. Remuneration of Councilors		
Executive Mayor	694,124	656,507
Mayoral Committee Members	4,454,813	3,963,438
Speaker	574,916	527,510
Councillors	2,866,775	2,449,887
Councilors' pension contribution	816,447	771,313
	9,407,075	8,368,65
Benefits-in-kind The Executive Mayor, Speaker, Chief Whip and Mayoral Committee Members and secretarial support at the cost of the Council.  The Executive Mayor has the use of a Council owned vehicle for official dutie		
full time bodyguards.	es. The Executive Mayor and	Speaker nave
20. Debt impairment		
Debt impairment	93,999	37,761
21. Investment revenue		
Interest revenue		
Bank	2,221,854	6,237,003
22. Depreciation and amortisation		
Property, plant and equipment	22,340,978	16,153,659
Intangible assets	1,261,063	1,045,019
	23,602,041	17,198,678
23. Finance costs		
Council currently do not have any financial leases		
24. Auditors' remuneration		
Fees	2,925,529	2,018,762
25. Contracted services		
Specialist Services	15,883,633	11,747,604
Security services Contract	15,014,886	13,688,494
Facility Contracts	1,642,103	2,330,960
Utility Contracts	3,838,438	2,352,919
Local Economic Development & Growth Development Strategy Contracts	1,335,422	413,887

### 26. Grants and subsidies paid

### Other subsidies

Other Contracts

Grants paid to Local Municipalities 250,000 84,710,637

5,008,595

42,723,077

6,539,045 37,072,909

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27. Cash used in operations		
Surplus (deficit)	4,425,113	(114,344,628)
Adjustments for:		
Depreciation	23,602,041	17,198,678
Loss / (Gain) on sale of assets and liabilities	(1,161,731)	(107,092)
Debt impairment	93,999	37,761
Movements in provisions	784,800	143,816
Government grant reserve movement	128,889	240,036
Changes in working capital:		
Inventories	62,491	(259,619)
Receivables from exchange transactions	17,455,064	(13,570,968)
Consumer debtors	(93,999)	(37,761)
Construction of Assets in Progress	(32,053,089)	33,205,456
Payables from exchange transactions	(11,268,265)	33,416,019
VAT	3,465,187	3,324,042
Unspent conditional grants and receipts	(20,946,987)	901,604
	(15,506,487)	(39,852,656)
28 Commitments		
Authorized capital and operating expenditure		
Unspent conditional grants and receipts		
Provincial Grants	9,723,103	10,322,119
National Grants	1,362,476	21,575,280
DLG Grants	1,707,487	1,842,654
	12,793,066	33,740,053

The current unspent conditional grants are all committed funds which still need to be utilized in order to meet the conditions as stipulated in the various government gazettes.

### Operating leases - as lessee (expense)

### Minimum lease payments due

	7,230,971	8,423,638
Less: Future Finance charges	59,547	(21,031)
- Later than 5 years	-	1,120,720
- Later than one year and not later than five years	7,171,424	7,323,949

Operating lease payments represent rentals payable by the municipality for certain of its office properties. Leases are negotiated for an average term of seven years and rentals are fixed for an average of three years. No contingent rent is payable.

### 29. Contingencies

### **Contingent Liability**

The Municipality may be liable for claims instituted against the Municipality by employees who have disputes against the Municipality. The amount is uncertain as an arbitration award has not yet being issued against those claims.

There is currently a dispute between Sedibeng District Municipality and the Gauteng Department of Transport relating to the treatment of VAT on agency services. Council may be liable for an amount of R 34,720,142.

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The 2006 financial year VAT review has not yet been finalized and an amount of R2,6 Million might be recovered from the South African Revenue Service.

Emergency Medical Services is the process of being transferred to the Department of Health whereby unfunded expenditure related to the previous year's might be recoverable which amounts to R 43,694,068.

A change in legislation regarding the treatment of UIF payments relating to Councilors resulted in a possible refund to Council which amounts to R 83,823 for the period.

### 30. Prior period errors

The correction of the error(s) results in adjustments as follows:

The municipality has done a vat review exercise and revenue relating to prior period was discovered. Corrections in this regard were made which effect the prior periods. License fees were also recalculated based on a VAT ruling pending while previous year creditors were under and over stated and were rectified accordingly.

### Statement of changes in net assets

Opening Balance 1 July 2010	247,411,977
License revenue understated	18,594,021
VAT recovery Prior periods	16,573,887
Restated Closing balance 1 July 2010	282,579,886

Surplus (Deficit) for the year 2011	-118,084,260
License revenue understated	6,055,598
Creditors under provided	-2,660,989
Creditors over provided	345,023
Restated Surplus (deficit) for the year 2011	-114,344,628

### 31. Risk management

Financial risk management

### Liquidity risk

The municipality's risk to liquidity is a result of the funds available to cover future commitments. The municipality manages liquidity risk through an ongoing review of future commitments and credit facilities.

### Interest rate risk

### **Credit risk**

Credit risk consists mainly of cash deposits, cash equivalents, derivative financial instruments and trade receivables. The municipality only deposits cash with major banks with high quality credit standing and limits exposure to any one counter-party.

Trade receivables comprise a widespread customer base. Management evaluated credit risk relating to customers on an ongoing basis. If customers are independently rated, these ratings are used. Otherwise, if there is no independent rating, risk control assesses the credit quality of the customer, taking into account its financial position, past experience and other factors. Individual risk limits are set based on internal or external ratings in accordance with limits set by the board. The utilisation of credit limits is regularly monitored. Sales to retail customers are settled in cash or using major credit cards. Credit guarantee insurance is purchased when deemed appropriate.

### 32. Going concern

We draw attention to the fact that at 30 June 2012, the Municipality had accumulated surplus of R172,660,370 and that the Municipality's current liabilities exceed its current assets by R10,804,637

In addition SDM has over the last two and a half years implemented a cost containment strategy which purported to place austerity measures within the municipality to save costs. The process is ongoing and the fruits of the outcome has generated a substantial saving in our budget.

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The annual financial statements have been prepared on the basis of accounting policies applicable to a going concern. This basis presumes that funds will be available to finance future operations and that the realisation of assets and settlement of liabilities, contingent obligations and commitments will occur in the ordinary course of business

### 33. Events after the reporting date

A decision was made by the Provincial Department of Health that Emergency Medical Services will return to Province with the target date being March 2012. Based on a consent order obtained from the high court the provincialisation has been re-scheduled to be finalized by the end of August 2012. This will resolve the unfunded portion currently in dispute with the Department of Health.

It has been identified that land is incorrectly registered at the Deeds Office in the name of Sedibeng District Municipality. These properties need to be transferred to their rightful owner, Emfuleni Local Municipality.

### 34. Unauthorised expenditure

None incurred in reporting period

### 35. Additional disclosure in terms of Municipal Finance Management Act

### **PAYE and UIF**

Amount paid - current year	(32,104,375)	(32,270,670)
Current year subscription / fee	32,104,375	32,270,670

### **Pension and Medical Aid Deductions**

### VΔT

VAT receivable

1.125.614 4.590.801

All VAT returns have been submitted by the due date throughout the year.

### 36. Supply chain management regulations

In terms of section 36 of the Municipal Supply Chain Management Regulations any deviation from the Supply Chain Management Policy needs to be approved/condoned by the Municipal Manager and noted by Council. The expenses incurred as listed in the appendix "A" have been condoned.

### 36.1 Deviation from supply chain management regulations

Paragraph 12(1)(d)(i) of Government gazette No. 27636 issued on 30 May 2005 states that a supply chain management policy must provide for the procurement of goods and services by way of a competitive bidding process.

Paragraph 36 of the same gazette states that the accounting officer may dispense with the official procurement process in certain circumstances, provided that he records the reasons for any deviations and reports them to the next meeting of the accounting officer and includes a note to the annual financial statements.

The reasons for these deviations were documented and reported to the accounting officer who considered them and subsequently approved the deviation from the normal supply chain management regulations. The expenses incurred as listed in the appendix "A" have

### 36.2 Declaration of business conducted to close family members of persons in the service of the state

The below table list the awards to close family members of persons in the service of the state and awards to persons in the service of the state.

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### Awards to close family members of persons in the service of the state

Company Name	Initials	Surname	Designation and Employee NO.	Relationship with the company	Amount Paid
Panorama Bloemiste CC	CS	Heunes	Senior Accountant Expenditure 17530	Spouse to the Director/ Shareholder	R 6,710.00
Servigyn 13 CC	N	Monga	Senior Technician: IT	Son to the Director/Share- holder	R 31, 981.14

Company Name	ID NO.	Initials & Surname	Current Employer	Amount Paid
Vaal Community Radio NRC	7304290329084	I Honoko	Sedibeng District Municipality	
Vaal Community Radio NPC	5601017441080	MI Kolokoto	Sedibeng District Municipality	R 20,143.80
Mahlake Kabamba Construction and Projects CC	7204015500086	GM Mtembu	Free State Department of Education	R 79, 541.15
Bongani Makhunga Trading Enterprises CC	6705290400082	MM Kubekha	Free State Department of Education	R 12, 491.76
Lelwala Distributors CC	6701200271085	PI Mokoena	Free State Department of Education	R 18,339.45
Tiisetsoand Reuben Trading Enterprise CC	6501095399086	MR Mokele	Free State Department of Education	R 19,820.00
Tiaco Trading CC	72050606088080	PM Lethoba	Free State Department of Education	R 41,405.60

### 37. Television sets in terms of the Television License Regulations under the Broadcasting act no 4 of 1999, as amended

Description	Number of sets	Period that sets were in entity's possession
Owned television sets	34	32 sets were used for the full year; 2 set were added during the year
Rented or leased television sets	-	
Number of sets donated/ alienated	-	
TOTAL	34	

### 38. **Related party transactions**

The Council is rendering information technology services to both Emfuleni and Midvaal local municipalities. Claims towards actual salary expenses have been lodged on a monthly basis whereby the cost incurred for the year was as follow:

Emfuleni Local Municipality R 5,615,823 Midvaal Local Municipality R 1,347,542

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39. Statement of comparative and actual information	tual information						
		Ξ	FINANCIAL PERIOD 2012				
	Original budget	Budget adjustments (i.t.o. s28 and s31 of the MFMA)	Final budget	Actual outcome	Variance Actual outcome as % of final budget	l outcome as % of final budget	Actual outcome as % of original budget
Financial Performance							
Investment revenue	7,885,260	2,939,301	2,939,301	2,221,854	717,447	%92	28%
Transfers recognised - operational	275,088,000	276,254,000	276,254,000	292,212,987	(15,958,987)	106%	106%
Other own revenue	82,881,611	77,704,436	77,704,436	78,128,303	(423,867)	101%	%76
Total revenue (excluding capital transfers and contributions)	365,854,871	356,897,737	356,897,737	372,563,144	(15,665,407)	104%	102%
Employee costs	(242,243,900)	(229,369,406)	(229,369,406)	(228,392,383)	(977,023)	100%	%76
Remuneration of councillors	(8,866,449)	(9,622,141)	(9,622,141)	(9,407,075)	(215,066)	%86	106%
Debt impairment	1	(100,000)	(100,000)	(63,999)	(6,001)	94%	%
Depreciation and asset impairment	(8,000,000)	(23,693,552)	(23,693,552)	(23,602,041)	(91,511)	100%	795%
Transfers and grants		(8,540,000)	(8,540,000)	(250,000)	(8,290,000)	3%	%
Other expenditure	(94,890,387)	(113,311,691)	(113,311,691)	(106,392,533)	(6,919,158)	94%	112%
Total expenditure	(354,000,736)	(384,636,790)	(384,636,790)	(368,138,031)	(16,498,759)	<b>%96</b>	104%
Surplus/(Deficit)	11,854,135	(27,739,053)	(27,739,053)	4,425,113	(32,164,166)	%(91)	36%
Transfers recognised - capital	2,310,000	8,340,000	8,340,000	•	8,340,000	%-	%-
Surplus/(Deficit) for the year	14,164,135	(19,399,053)	(19,399,053)	4,425,113	(23,824,166)	(23)%	30%



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