

RAMOTSHERE MOILOA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY

MUNICIPAL PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE





2023/2024
OVERSIGHT
REPORT

MEMBERS OF THE MUNICIPAL PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITT

For the current term of council, the Municipal Public Accounts Committee was established as a section 79 Committee (Municipal Structures Act, 117 of 1998) during the Council sitting of the 13^{TH of} December 2021, Item No: 04/12/2021. The committee was later reconfigured where Cllr T.P Gaealashwe was elected as the new MPAC chairperson during the council sitting dated 23 June 2023 as council resolution no: 04/06/2023.

MPAC is currently composed as follows:



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ADMINISTRATOR

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1. FOREWORD OF THE CHAIRPERSON

To the community of Ramotshere Moiloa Local municipality, it gives me great pleasure to present the 2023/2024 oversight report of Municipal Public Account Committee (MPAC) on the Annual Report

The municipal finance Management act assign specific oversight responsibilities to council in the annual reporting process and the preparation of the oversight report. Given the process required by council to effectively undertake its oversight role, the establishment of the MPAC of council provides the appropriate mechanism through which council fulfils its oversight responsibilities.

The MPAC considered and evaluated the 2023/2024 Annual Report and monitored that all the submissions for comments were undertaken as per Section 127(5), section 130 and section 132 of the MFMA. The oversight Report was prepared taking into consideration the views and inputs of, the public, departments, Auditor General, councillors and the ward committee. Among other things that need to be taken into consideration is the inputs by councillors and the ward committee of which they did not send their inputs on the annual report. The public and the local communities were given reasonable means, time to participate and submit inputs on 2023/2024 annual report.

The annual report was available through variant methods of communication. The MPAC comments on management for the overall improvement in internal control, more emphasis will be on the projects.

I would like to commends the municipality for maintaining the standard and hopefully to improve to achieve the desire audit outcome unqualified opinion with no material findings.

On behalf of MPAC, I would like to thank the administration for their support during the oversight process. A word of thanks must also be given the Auditor-General and the departments for their inputs in the 2023/2024 Annual Report and oversight process.

Finally, I would like to commend my fellow MPAC members for their hard work and commitment.

Councillor Tirelo Patrick Gaealashwe

Municipal Public Account Committee Chairperson

2. INTRODUCTION

The Oversight Report is the final major step in the annual reporting process of a municipality. Section 129 of the Municipal Finance Management Act, 56 of 2003 requires the council to consider the annual report of its municipality and to adopt an oversight report containing the council's comments on the annual report. The purpose of the annual report is to:

- Provide a record of the activities of the municipality;
- Provide a report on performance in service delivery and against the budget;
- Provide information that supports the revenue and expenditure decisions made
- Promote accountability to the local community for decisions made

Municipal Public Accounts Committee appointed by council in accordance with the provisions of section 79 (1) (a) (b) and (c) of the Municipal Structures Act 1998, to amongst other to oversee the content of the annual report on its behalf.

The 2023/2024 annual report was tabled in council on the 31^{st of} January 2025. This was done in compliance with section 127 (2) of the MFMA, 56 of 2003 which states that the mayor of the municipality must, within seven months after the end of a financial year, table in the municipal council the annual report of the municipality and of any municipal entity under the municipality's sole or shared control.

The final step of reporting is for the municipality to consider and adopt the annual report in light of the Findings contained in the Oversight report. In terms of the new guidelines, the oversight report must be compiled by MPAC in consultation with members of the community and other stakeholders.

3. LEGISLATIVE MANDATE FOR THE OVERSIGHT REPORT

Section 129 of the MFMA (Act 56 of 2003) state that the Council of the municipality must consider the Annual report of the municipality and by no later than two months from the date on which the Annual report was tabled in Council, adopt an Oversight Report containing the Council comments on the annual report, which must include a statement whether the council has:

- Approved the Annual Report with or without reservations;
- Rejected the Annual Report; or
- > Has referred the Annual report back for revision of those components that can be resolved.

4. OVERSIGHT ASSESSMENT

The committee after reviewing the annual report is satisfied that the report provides a record of the activities and of the performance in service delivery of the municipality. It also provides information on the financial management and assists in promoting accountability and transparency to the local community for decision making.

The focus areas in the annual report which promote governance and accountability presented in the 2023/24 Annual Financial Statements, annual performance report and the report of the Auditor General on the overall performance of the municipality which MPAC focused on for the tabling of the oversight report.

The purpose of the oversight report is to provide an evaluation on the annual report in terms of compliance and in terms of the degree to which the annual report reflects the accurate accounts of the performance and highlighted issues for the financial year under review. Any reservations with regards to the contents and structure of the annual report will be indicated in the recommendations to council in the oversight report

It is therefore the intention of MPAC to evaluate and pass the comments on the annual report in terms of the contents, structure and compliance with section 121 of the MFMA

The analysis of this report and related comments has taken into account the following:

- The compliance to legislative prescripts
- The summary of representation received from community members and other stakeholders
- Corrective measures to be implemented by management.

5. MPAC FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS AS PER THE AUDIT REPORT BY THE AUDITOR GENERAL S.A

Question 1: Consumer debts

1.1. What steps have management taken to ensure that sufficient appropriate audit evidence is availed during the audit of trade and other receivable, and that the balance for debtors is supported by the age analysis and schedules?

Recommendation:

To ensure that sufficient appropriate audit evidence is available during the audit of trade and other receivables, and that the balance for debtors is supported by the age analysis and schedules, management typically takes the following steps:

- Preparation of Detailed Age Analysis
- · Reconciliation of Receivables:
- Review of Credit Policies and Risk Assessment:
- Confirmation of Balances:
- Supporting Documentation
- Disclosures in Financial Statements

Question 2: Property, Plants and Equipment

2.1. What measures have management taken to ensure that there is proper assessment of impairment for property, plants and equipment and that is done in accordance with standards of GRAP 17 during the 2023/24 FY and what controls are in place to avoid reoccurrence of the PPE being overstated.

Recommendation:

To ensure that there is proper assessment of impairment for Property, Plant, and Equipment (PPE) and that it is done in accordance with the standards of **GRAP 17** (the South African Generally Recognized Accounting Practice for PPE) during the 2023/24 financial year, furthermore establish internal controls and procedures that will help prevent the overstatement of PPE, ensuring that the financial statements present a true and fair view of the company's assets and financial position.

Question 3: Trade and other payables from exchange transactions

3.1. What steps will management take to ensure that deposit is properly allocated and reconciled with the debtors and receivables?

Recommendation:

To ensure that deposits are properly allocated and reconciled with debtors and receivables, management should implement the following steps:

- Investigation of Discrepancies
- Regular Reconciliation
- management can ensure that deposits are accurately allocated and reconciled with debtors and receivables, thereby enhancing the reliability of financial reporting and supporting effective cash flow management.

Question 4: Consumer Deposit

4.1. The age analysis did not include deposits made by customers and that led to understatements in the AFS, how will management address this issue?

Recommendation:

To address the issue of customer deposits being omitted from the age analysis, resulting in understatements in the Annual Financial Statements (AFS), management should take the following steps:

- Identify and Classify Customer Deposits
- Incorporate Deposits into Age Analysis
- Adjust Financial Statements
- Implement Robust Accounting Policies
- Enhance Internal Controls

By systematically implementing these measures, management can rectify the current understatements and enhance the accuracy of future financial reporting.

Question 5: Prior period errors

5.1. Why is that adjustments that should have been disclosed were not disclosed and reasons for variances were not fully disclosed particularly in relation to legal issues and litigations?

Adjustments that should have been disclosed, particularly regarding legal issues and litigation, may not have been disclosed due to several reasons, including:

- · Lack of Awareness or Oversight
- Failure to Meet Reporting Requirements
- Cost-Benefit Considerations
- Error or Negligence
- breaches the requirement for transparency and full disclosure in financial reporting.

Question 6: Distribution losses

6.1. What systems have management put in place to ensure that distribution loss related to water and electricity is properly accounted for in terms of Section 125(2)(d)(i) of the MFMA?

To ensure that distribution losses related to water and electricity are properly accounted for in terms of **Section 125(2)(d)(i) of the Municipal Finance Management Act (MFMA)**, management typically implements a range of systems, controls, and processes:

- Installation of Accurate Meters
- Leak Detection Technologies
- Theft Prevention Measures
- Regular Loss Audits

These measures help ensure the proper management, transparency, and accountability required to maintain public trust and meet regulatory obligations.

Question 7: Commitments and contingencies

- 7.1. Provide reasons for management not to account for contracts awarded under commitment.
- 7.2. How does the municipality account for the difference between the audited amount and the AFS in relation to contracts?
- 7.3. What measures will management put in place to ensure that contingent liabilities and contingent assets are properly accounted for in terms of GRAP 19 provisions?

Recommendation:

Management can ensure proper accounting for contingent liabilities and assets, in line with GRAP 19, and maintain transparency and accountability in the municipality's financial reporting.

Question 8: Statement of net assets

- 8.1. What measures has management taken to ensure that there are no errors when determining the net cash flow from operating activities?
- 8.2. Provide reasons for adjustments to the net cash flow from operating activities as per the AFS.
- 8.3. Provide reasons for the variances in relation to the opening balance as it does not agree with the amount in the prior year financial statement.

Recommendation:

ensure accuracy when determining the net cash flow from operating activities, management typically implements the following measures:

- Detailed Cash Flow Reconciliation
- Regular Review of Transactions
- Restatements from Prior Periods
- variances in the opening balance, discrepancies in the net cash flow from operating activities, and adjustments to the financial statements should be carefully analysed and explained to ensure compliance with accounting standards and maintain transparency in financial reporting.

Question 9: Statement of comparison of budget and actual amount

- 9.1. Provide reasons as to why the approved budget amount did not agree with the
 - actual amounts in some instances did not agree with the final budget.
- 9.2. Why did not the municipality disclose the budget and actual expenditure relating to acquisition of assets?

Recommendation:

 planning, oversight, or reporting mechanisms, and the municipality should work towards improving its budgeting and reporting systems to ensure better transparency and compliance with disclosure requirements related to asset acquisition.

Question 10: Cash flow statement

10.1. The auditor general was unable to determine the accurate amount to be disclosed in the annual financial statements for net cash flow from investing activities as required by GRAP 2, what steps has management taken through the post audit action plan?

Recommendation:

management typically takes several corrective actions through the postaudit action plan to address the issue. Some of the key step's management may take include.

- Strengthen Documentation and Supporting Evidence
- Enhanced Audit Trail and Transparency
- Regular Review of Post-Audit Action Plan

Question 11: Internal control deficiencies

- 11.1. What measures have management taken to ensure that the AFS are prepared in line with GRAP 1 to achieve fair representation are adequately reviewed to ensure that they are free of misstatements?
- 11.2. How will management ensure that they implement the post audit action plans on prior year findings relating to the preparation of the AFS and compliance with regulations to avoid repeat findings in the 2024/25 FY?

Recommendation:

Management to ensure that the Annual Financial Statements (AFS) are prepared in line with **GRAP 1** (Presentation of Financial Statements) and achieve fair representation while being free of misstatements, management typically takes the following measures:

- Implementation of Robust Internal Controls
- Internal Reviews and Oversight
- Annual Financial Statement Preparation Policies and Procedures

These steps, management aims to prevent repeat findings in the **2024/25 FY** and ensure that the municipality's AFS are accurate, compliant, and fairly presented, meeting both internal and external audit expectations.

Question 12: Budget management

- 12.1. How will management address the lack of proper budgeting as it has resulted in overspending, contributed to the increase of unauthorized expenditure and in some instances negatively impacted on the ability of the municipality to provide services to the community?
- 12.2. How will management ensure that the adjusted budget is aligned with the final budget as per the AFS, as required by section 2(1)(c) of the MFMA and Section 12 of GRAP 24?

Recommendation:

Management must ensure that the adjusted budget is properly aligned with the final budget in the **Annual Financial Statements**, and that all necessary disclosures are made in accordance with the MFMA and GRAP 24. This will help ensure financial transparency and compliance with legal requirements.

Question 13: Human resource management

- 13.1. Provide reasons why management did not review the Organogram regularly as the last review was in 20216 as per the 2023/24 Audit report?
- 13.2. Why did the municipality not conduct performance evaluation for non-section 56 managers as it is resulted in non-compliance with MFMA and Municipal Staff regulation 48?

Recommendation:

Management can improve its compliance with the **MFMA** and **Municipal Staff Regulation 48** by ensuring that the **Organogram** is regularly reviewed, and performance evaluations are conducted as required.

Question 14: Use of consultants

- 14.1. What evidence can management provide to MPAC to qualify that the over reliance on consultants is reduce through implementation and monitoring of the terms of reference for all consultant to transfer skills and have an evaluation assessment?
- 14.2. What contract management measures have been put in place to ensure the desired deliverables as per the specification of each contract in the municipality is met and furthermore how will management improve the monitoring of contracts?

Recommendation:

Management must provide the following evidence to the **Municipal Public Accounts Committee (MPAC)**:

- Documented Terms of Reference (ToR) for consultants
- Consultant Engagement and Knowledge Transfer Plans
- performance evaluation reports
- Policy or Framework for Reducing Consultant Dependence

The above will be evidence that management is implementing the recommendations by AGSA.

Question 15: Security management

- 15.1. Provide council resolutions for IT policy review, disaster recovery plan as well as backup and retention policy review?
- 15.2. What measures are been put in place to ensure regular review of key IT policies?

Recommendation:

Management should provide the following documents:

- Council Resolution for IT Policy Review
- Establishment of an IT Governance Framework
- The municipality can ensure that its IT policies are regularly reviewed, updated as necessary, and remain aligned with technological advancements, best practices, and regulatory requirements.

Question 16: Accounting Officer and senior management

- 16.1. How does the accounting officer aim to improve the recording and reporting processes to ensure that the relevant reporting role players understand the implementation and indicator requirements of the annual performance plan for valid, accurate and complete performance reporting?
- 16.2. How will the Accounting Officer ensure that the internal audit and the audit committee receive the financial statements in reasonable time to enable them to fulfill their responsibilities of reviewing the AFS for quality assurance?

Recommendation:

To improve the recording and reporting processes and ensure that relevant reporting role players understand the implementation and indicator requirements of the annual performance plan (APP) for valid, accurate, and complete performance reporting, the Accounting Officer can implement the following measures:

- Clear Communication of Performance Indicators
- Standardized Reporting Templates
- Periodic Performance Reviews and Feedback
- Performance Reporting Monitoring and Compliance Checks

Question 17: Predetermined objectives

- 17.1. What corrective measures have management taken to ensure that there is consistency between planning and reporting documents, that reported performance information is relevant and that performance indicators are measurable?
- 17.2. What steps have management taken to ensure that performance targets are specific in clearly identifying the nature and required level of performance?
- 17.3. What corrective actions have management taken to ensure that planned and reported indicators are properly defined?
- 17.4. What corrective actions have management taken to ensure that planned and reported indicators are verifiable?
- 17.5. What processes have management put in place to ensure that reported performance information is valid, accurate, and complete and that there is sufficient appropriate audit evidence to substantiate reported performance information?

Recommendation:

To ensure consistency between planning and reporting documents, that reported performance information is relevant, and that performance indicators are measurable, management can take the following corrective measures:

- · Align Planning and Reporting Frameworks:
- Use of Standardized Performance Indicators
- Regular Review of Performance Information
- Continuous Capacity Building
- External Review or Verification

By implementing these processes, management can ensure that the municipality's performance reporting is valid, accurate, and complete, and that there is sufficient audit evidence to support the reported performance information.

Question 18: Compliance with applicable legislation

- 18.1. What corrective processes have management developed and implemented to ensure that submitted financial statements are prepared in accordance with section 122 of the Municipal Finance Management Act and are free of material errors and misstatements to avoid the need for amendments during audit?
- 18.2. Have management developed mechanisms for submitting performance information and appropriate sufficient audit evidence to substantiate reported performance information to internal audit for auditing in accordance with section 45 and regulation 14 of the Municipal Systems Act?
- 18.3. What measures have management taken to ensure that awards are not made to providers who are persons in the service of the state or their close family members in terms of Supply Chain Management regulations 44 and 45?

Recommendation:

To ensure that the submitted financial statements are prepared in accordance with Section 122 of the Municipal Finance Management Act (MFMA) and are free of material errors and misstatements (thus avoiding the need for amendments during the audit), management can implement the following corrective processes:

- Strengthen Internal Control Systems
- Conduct Pre-Audit Reviews
- Monitor Compliance with SCM Regulations:
- Vendor Blacklisting and Sanctions

By implementing these measures, management can effectively ensure compliance with **SCM regulations 44 and 45**, avoiding the improper awarding of contracts to service providers with close ties to the state or state employees.

Question 19: Processing of UIF&W

- 19.1. What steps have the Accounting Officer taken to prevent unauthorized, irregular or fruitless and wasteful expenditure and other losses as required by section 62(1)(d) of the Municipal Finance Management Act?
- 19.2. What actions has the Accounting Officer taken in terms of section 32 of the MFMA to demonstrate that Historical UIF&W is being addressed?

Recommendation:

To address historical unauthorized, irregular, or fruitless and wasteful expenditure (UIFW) in terms of Section 32 of the MFMA, the Accounting Officer can take the following actions.

- Action Plan for Addressing Historical UIFW
- Implementing Corrective Measures for Future Prevention
- Engagement with Council and Oversight Committees
- Updating the Action Plan Based on Progress:

Implementing these measures, the Accounting Officer will be able to demonstrate commitment to addressing historical UIFW and ensuring that these issues are effectively managed and prevented in the future, in line with the requirements of **Section 32 of the MFMA**.

Question 20: MIG funded projects.

- 20.1. Does the Gopane bridge and storm water project meet the IDP goal in relation to the improving the quality of life of local community aspect of service delivery?
- 20.2. According to the Department responsible for Project Management is there value for money as far as the Gopane Bridge and storm water project is concerned?
- 20.3. Provide information/ evidence pertaining to the monitoring and evaluation of the contract for the above-mentioned project.
- 20.4 What steps has the department taken to address the challenge of storm water in relation to the road and storm water project in Dinokana Ward 11 as there are numerous complaints of water getting into the yards of community members?

Recommendation:

Monitoring and evaluation (M&E) of the **Gopane Bridge** and **storm water project** are crucial to ensure the project's success and adherence to its objectives: Evidence for M&E could include:

- Project Monitoring Reports
- Site Visits and Inspections
- · Completion Certificates and Handover Reports
- Ongoing Monitoring and Evaluation

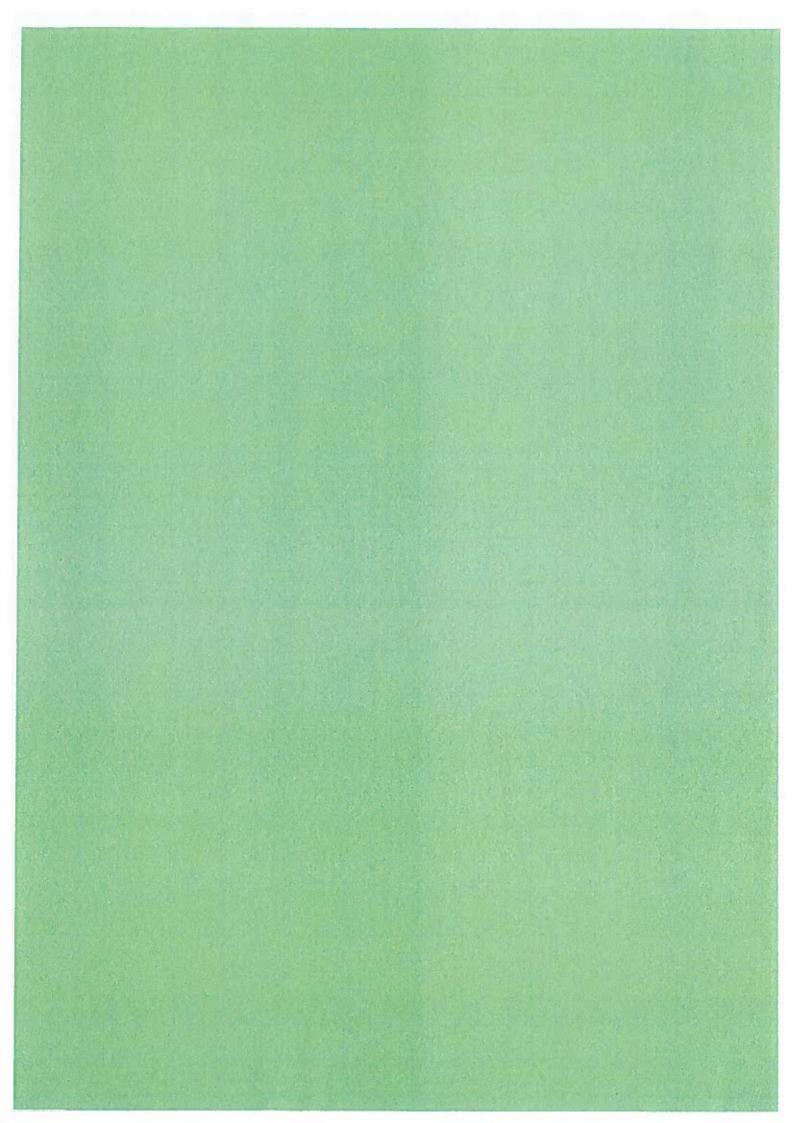
By addressing these steps, the department can alleviate the stormwater problems in **Dinokana Ward 11** and improve the overall effectiveness of the stormwater management system.

Question 21: Local Economic development

- 21.1 The department has consistently reported on the following challenges for the past three years if not more.
 - Lack of appointment of service provider to conduct land audit.
 - Continued increase in illegal occupation of municipal land.
 - Contravention of Ramotshere Moiloa land use scheme
 - Absence of Geographic information system
 - Building without approved building plans

Recommendation:

- Enforcement and Compliance: Strengthen compliance monitoring by ensuring that land use regulations are enforced consistently.
- Review and Update of the Land Use Scheme:
- Regular Inspections: Increase building inspections to ensure compliance with building codes, and work with law enforcement to shut down any illegal constructions.



ITEM : 40/01/2025

REPORT : MUNICIPAL PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COUNCIL COMMITTEE

SUBJECT: MPAC OVERSIGHT PROCESS PLAN 2023/2024 ANNUAL REPORT

PURPOSE:

The purpose of the report is to present to the council of Ramotshere Moiloa Local municipality the oversight process plan on 2023/2024 Annual Report.

BACKGROUND:

It is imperative that MPAC develop a plan on how it will conduct its oversight.

The developed oversight process plan must be approved by Council to ensure that the activities of Council and Administration are aligned.

FINANCIAL IMPLIATIONS:

There will be cost associated with the public participation process.

LEGAL IMPLICATIONS:

To comply with section 129 of the MFMA and MPAC Guide and Toolkit.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

- 1. That the Council adopt the oversight process plan for 2023/2024 Annual Report.
- 2. That Management and Council activities are aligned with the Oversight process.
- That Council, particularly ward Councillors take notes of public participation dates and clusters.



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COUNCIL RESOLUTION

RAMOTSHERE MOILOA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY ORDINARY COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON FRIDAY 31 JANUARY 2025 AT 10:00. VENUE: COUNCIL CHAMBER.

ITEM

: 40/01/2025

REPORT

: MUNICIPAL PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE

SUBJECT

: MPAC OVERSIGHT PROCESS PLAN 2023/2024

ANNUAL REPORT

PURPOSE

The purpose of the report is to present to the Council of Ramotshere Moiloa local municipality the oversight process plan on 2023/2024 Annual Report

Council resolved as follows:

- Council adopted the oversight process plan for 2023/2024 Annual Report
- That Management and Council activities are aligned with the oversight process
- That Council, particularly ward councillors take notes of public participation dates and clusters

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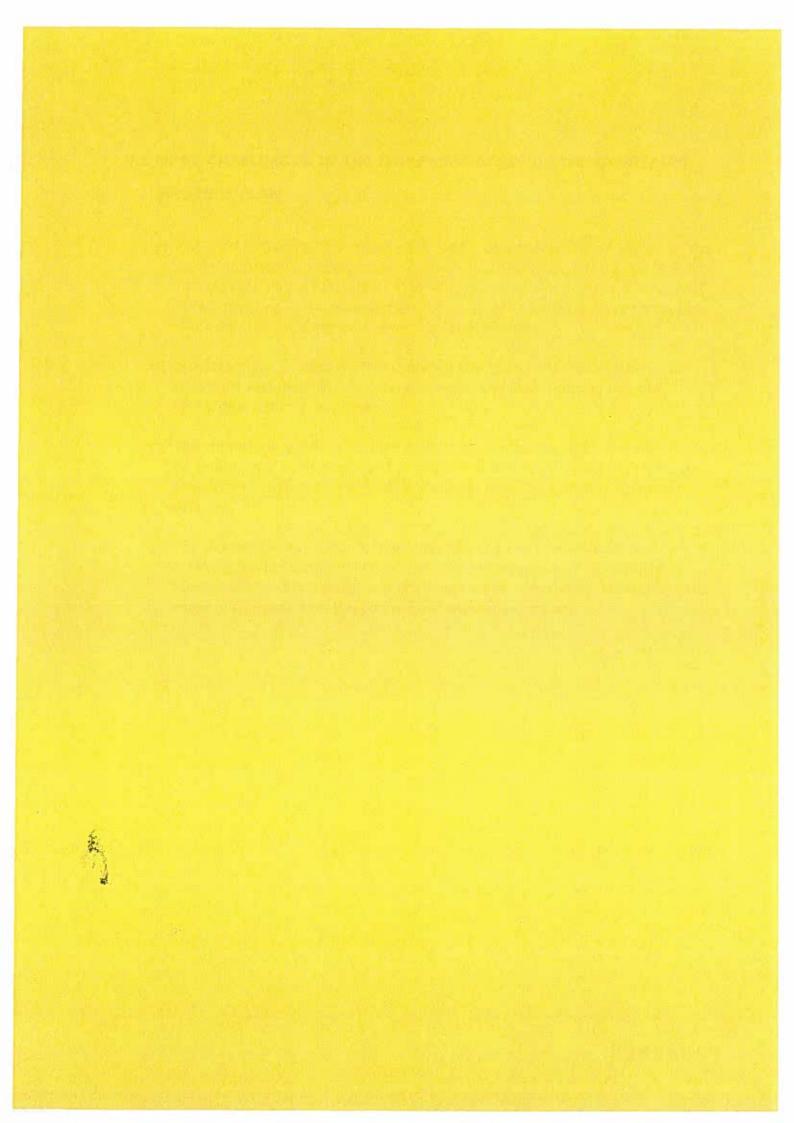
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6. 2023/2024 ANNUAL REPORT CONSULTATIVE PROCESS

ITEM	RESPONSIBILITY	VENUE	DATE
Oversight on tabling of the 2023/2024 Annual Report	Mayor	Council	31/01/2025
Oversight on making 2023/2024 Annual Report public Distribution of the Annual Report for community inputs at municipal jurisdictions	Accounting Officer	Municipal strategic areas	03-07/02/2025
AG Briefing MPAC council committee on the 2023/2024 Audit Outcomes	MPAC Council Committee	Council Support Boardroom	05/02/2025
MPAC Council Committee to verify the MIG Project at the sites	MPAC Council committee and support staff	Wards that were allocated MIG projects within the financial year under review	12/02/2025
MPAC consider and interrogate the contents of the 2023/24 Annual Report and to formulate questions to management	MPAC Council committee & support staff	Council Support board room	18/02/2025
Project Site Verifications with PMU and communication	MPAC Members, PMU, Communication Unit	Wards that were allocated MIG projects within the financial year under review	19-20/02/2025
MPAC Council committee meeting with Administration to outline their roles and responsibilities during the oversight public participation	MPAC Council Committee and Municipal Administration	Council chamber	11 February 2025
Annual Report Public Participation Community Awareness Campaign	MPAC Council Committee and MPAC Support Staff	Bokone Bophirima FM & Kopano Radio Station FM	04 March 2025
MPAC Council Committee to perform oversight during the 2023/2024 Annual Report	Zeerust Town Hall Wards : (15,16,18&19)	Cluster 01:	06 March 2025
meeting. Public participation meeting and record public comments to be ncorporated on the oversight report.	Motswedi Community Hall Wards: (1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8&17)	Cluster 02:	11 March 2025
	Khunotswane Hall Wards : (9,10,11,12,13 &14)	Cluster 03	13 March 2025

MPAC Council Committee meet with management to discuss, responses relating to the findings on 2023/2024 Annual Report		Council Support Boardroom	18 March 2025
MPAC Council Committee to adopt the Draft Oversight report 2023/2024 Oversight Report	MPAC COUNCIL COMMITTEE	.Council Support Board Room	20 March 2025
The oversight report for the 2023/24 financial year is tabled in the council	Accounting Officer	Council Chamber	To be determined by Council



7. CHECK LIST OF THE ANNUAL REPORT AS PER SECTION 121 (3) OF MFMA, 56 OF 2003 AND MFMA CIRCULAR 11

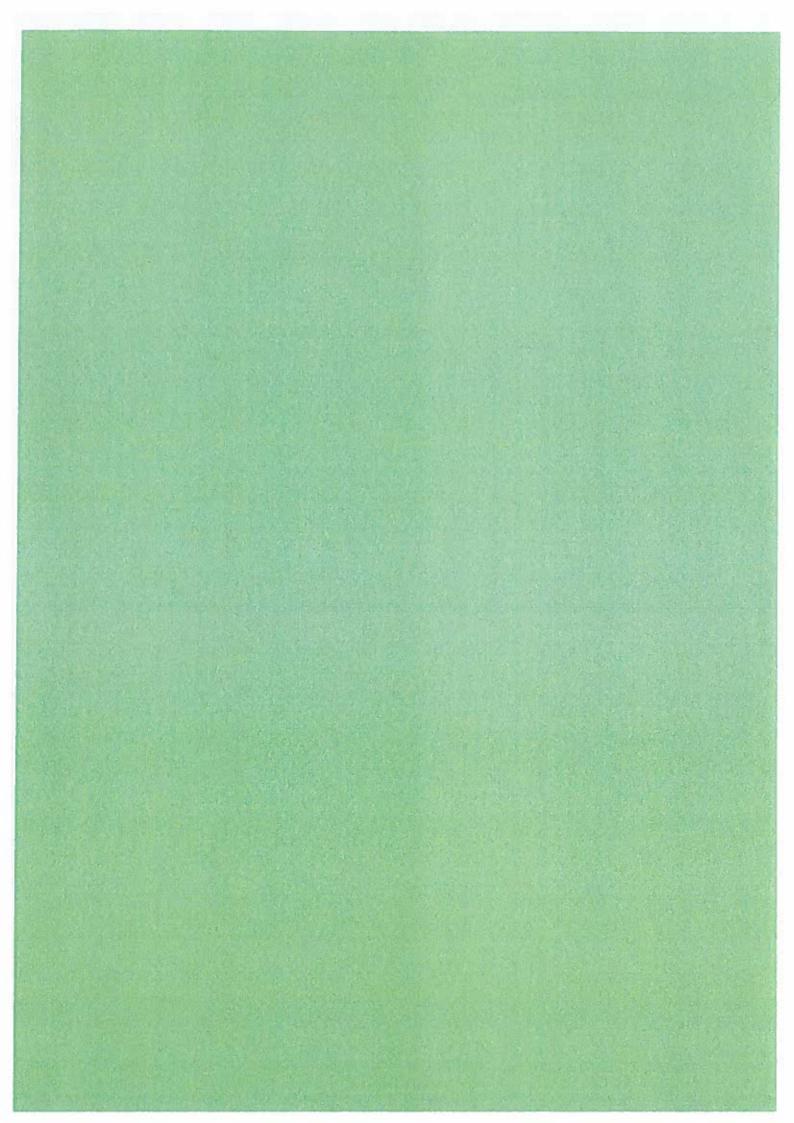
ONTENT OF THE ANNUAL REPORT	YES/ NO	P.G NO:
a) Annual Financial Statement of the municipality	YES	160
b) AG's report on the financial statements	YES	96
c) Annual Performance report of the municipality prepared by the municipality in terms of section 46 of the municipal systems act.	YES	258
d) Auditor General's report in terms of section 45 (b) of the Municipal System Act	YES	96
e) An assessment by the accounting officer of any arrears on municipal taxes and services	YES	
f) Assessment by the municipality's accounting officer of the municipality's performance against the measurable performance objectives referred to in section 17 (3) (b) for revenue collection from each revenue source and for each vote in the municipality's approved budget for the relevant financial year.	YES	
 g) Particulars of corrective action taken or to be taken or to be taken in response to issues raised in the audit reports referred to in paragraphs (b) and (d) 	YES	
h) Any explanation that maybe necessary to clarify issues in connection with the financial statement	YES	
i) Any information as determined by the municipality	YES	
j) Any recommendations of the municipal's audit committee	YES	
k) Any other information as may be prescribed	YES	

8. COMMENTS ON THE ANNUAL REPORT

LEGISLATIVE REQUIREMENT	COMPLIANCES	RESPONSE	RECOMMENDED CORRECTIVE ACTION
Annual financial statements-Section 121(3) (4); of MFMA.	1. Have the AFS of the municipality and that of municipal entity been included in the annual report?	Yes	
	2. Are both annual financial statement and annual report been audited.	Yes	
	3. Are the AFS compliant with GRAP?	Yes	
	4. Is the audit report been included in the tabled annual report?	Yes	
	5. Any explanations that may clarify issues in connection with the financial statement?	Yes	
	 6. Any assessment by the accounting officer on arrears on municipal taxes and service charges? 7. Any comment by the 		
	audit committee in relation to the AFS?	Yes	
Supply Chain Management Regulations and Policy	Has certain disclosures of SCM matters been included in the annual report as required?	yes	

1.1DIVISION OF REVENUE ACT

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SECTION 123 OF MFMA AND CIRCILAR 11	Has the municipality had any allocation per DORA delayed or withheld?	Yes	
	2. Is there any disclosure on allocation made by the municipality to an organ of state,		
	municipal entity or other municipality? 3. Are all compulsory disclosures contained in	Yes	
	the notes to the Annual Financial Statements? 4. Has the municipality	Yes	
CECTION 104	complied with the conditions of the grant?		
SECTION 124 (1)(2) Disclosure of councillors, Directors and Officials in the	1. Have the salaries, allowances and benefits paid to councillors and the Municipal Manager, CFO and senior been disclosed?	Yes	
notes to the AFS	2. Is there a statement by the Accounting Officer, stating that salaries, allowance and benefits paid to councillors are within the upper limits of the framework envisage in section 219 of the constitution?	Yes	
	3. Have arrears for rates and services owed by councillors, in which the arrears were more than 90 days been disclosed including the name of the councillor?	Yes	
	Have salaries of senior managers been disclosed?		



9. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

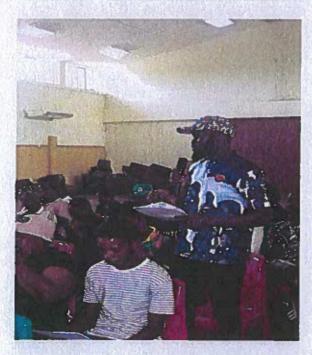
LEGISLATIVE REQUIREMENT	COMPLIANCES	RESPOND	RECOMMENDED CORRECTIVE ACTION
Section 127 (2);130 (1)(2)(3) and section 21A of MSA Council	Was the public invited to the council sitting where the annual report was considered?	Yes	
meetings open to public and certain public official.	2. Did the Accounting Officer make public the annual report?	Yes	
	Was the annual report submitted to the AG; PT and DLG&TA?	Yes	
WRITTEN COMMENTS	Did the municipality receive any written submission on the Annual Report?	No	MPAC to conduct an awareness campaign through broadcast on our local radio station informing the community on the

9.1 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

9.1.1 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION HELD ON THE 13TH of MARCH 2025 AT ZEERUST TOWN HALL (CLUSTER NO: 1)

INPUTS BY COMMUNITY MEMBERS

- What is the municipality doing to intervene in the situation of community members whose interests are being trampled upon at Masebodule mine?
- The municipality should ensure that contractors are paid timeously as it affects the eligibility of sub-contractors in terms of upgrading of their status.
- The municipality was applauded for maintaining financial stability and filling of key positions.
- Municipality is not doing enough to assist disadvantaged youth with opportunities of self-empowerment hence the statistics on the report.
- ❖ The office of the mayor made false promises of paying tertiary registration fees for qualifying learners.



Youth representative relaying their frustration as the statistics about youth empowerment on the report do not paint a good picture.

9.1.2 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION MEETING HELD ON THE 17^{th of} MARCH 2025 AT MOTSWEDI COMMUNITY HALL (CLUSTER NO: 2)

INPUTS BY COMMUNITY MEMBERS



- 1. Community member from ward 09 highlighted the following short comings of the Gopane bridge and storm water project.
 - The bridge does not have trenches.
 - There is a need for concrete reinforcement for storm water control.
 - There was no community engagement as to needs of the project.
- 2. No feasibility study was done as Motswedi is a small village to have four high mass light two was enough.
- 3. Information that can assist the youth in terms of empowerment does not reach wards that are not near Zeerust town.
- 4. Will the community be afforded an opportunity to engage with MPAC findings and recommendations on the annual report?
- 5. Was the auditor responsible for the Ramotshere an independent auditor or was the audit done internally?

6. A community member from ward 2 applauded the municipality for not

regressing in terms of the audit outcomes.





9.1.3 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION MEETING HELD ON THE 19^{th of} MARCH 2025 AT KHUNOTSWANE COMMUNITY HALL (CLUSTER NO: 3)

INPUTS BY COMMUNITY MEMBERS

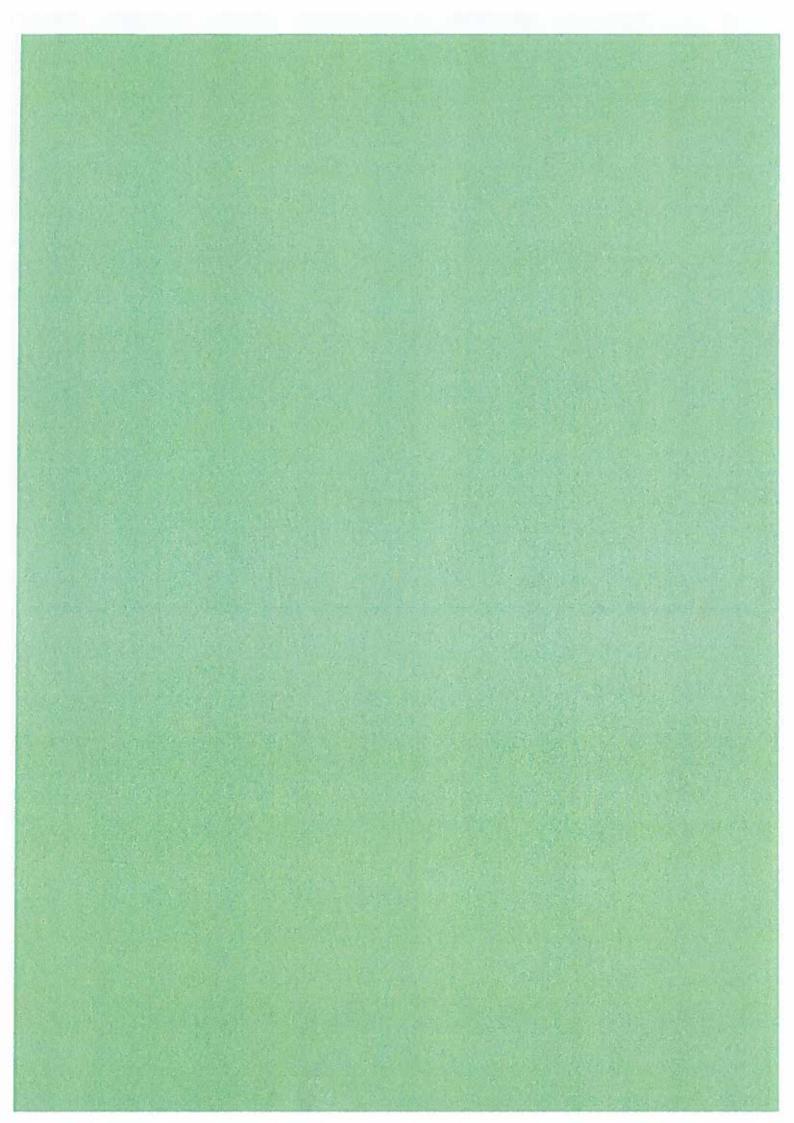


- Who is responsible for maintenance of high mass lights?
- Only few wards benefitted from the budget allocated for the 2023/2024 financial year.
- There is no value for money in relation to the Gopane Bridge and storm water project as it does not serve the IDP intended purpose of improving the living standard of community members.
- The project of fencing the land fill site was a waste of public funds as waste is still flowing to the streets and the wall is not of good quality.
 - The statistic on unemployed youth is very sad and what is the municipality doing to address that?
 - Kindly explain the variance of the MIG actual budget and the expenditure and what happened to the money that was not used?
 - The upgrading of Dinokana road ward 11 is not complete but the contractor has already left the site.

RESPONSES BY MANAGEMENT:

- The municipality is solely responsible for maintaining high mass lights but will do better is terms of monitoring.
- Council resolved that all wards should benefit in one way or another in the duration of the current council term.
- The municipality terminated the contractor for the project and another one will be contracted to address the challenges of the project.
- The matter will be investigated municipal programme such as EPWP and internships are aimed to address the challenge of youth unemployment.
- ❖ The variance as due to the Budgeting process of the Department that affected the initial MIG grant allocation intended for the municipality.
- The contractor abounded the site due to the vandalism of the site by community members, however the project is still on-going.



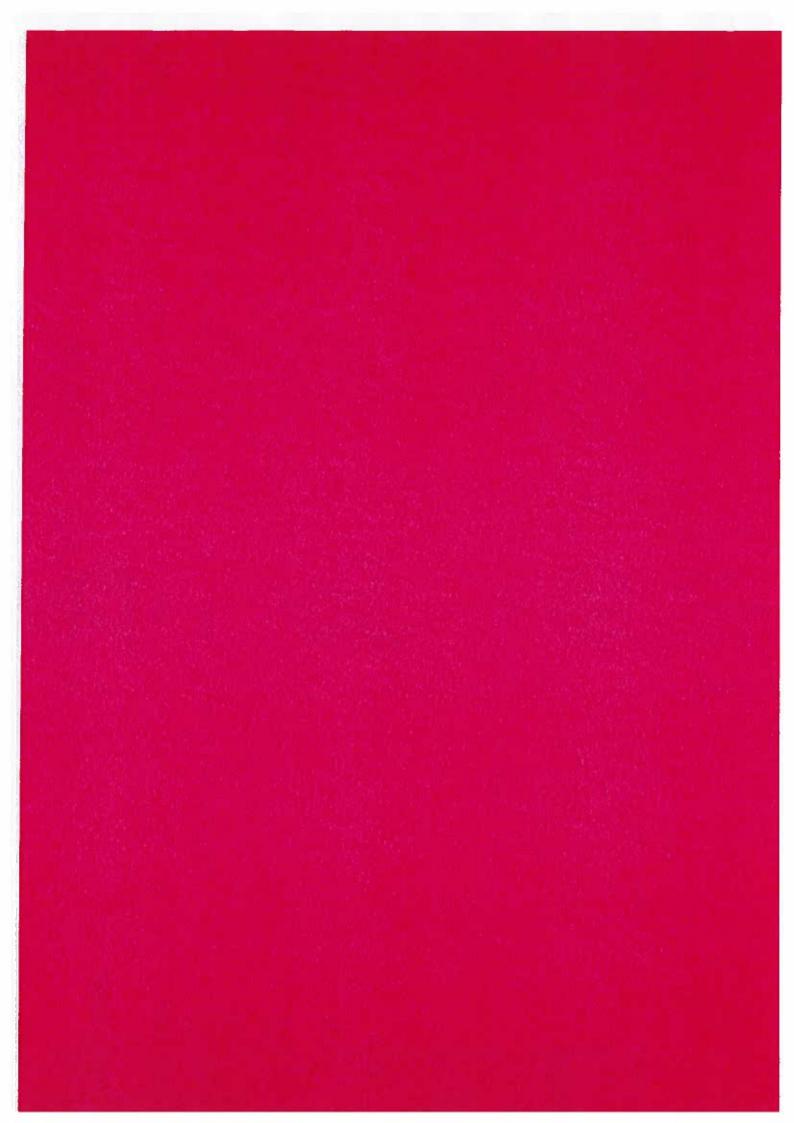


11. SEC 32 PROCESS (COMMENTS ON IRREGULAR, UNAUTHORISED AND FRUITLESS & WASTEFUL EXPENDITURE)

- Since the decision to outsource the service for UIF&W investigations by the municipality have yield no results it has been resolved that the function to investigate UIF&W be placed with MPAC.
- The Provincial Treasury in collaboration with Coghta and SALGA held a training session with the aim of capacitating MPAC on section 32 processes.
- MPAC to implement a process plan to ensure that the financial losses suffered by the municipality in the current financial year and prior years is recovered as prescribed in section 32 of the MFMA.

11.1 MPAC RECOMMENDATIONS

- 1. That management ensure that MPAC have all the required information as prescribed in circular 78, 76 and 68 in order to be able to exercise their oversight function
- 2. MPAC to report to council on investigations conducted with regards to UIF&W on a quarterly basis as at this report
- 3. That council ensures that MPAC recommendations are implemented which has not been the case in relation to previous reports.







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MUNICIPAL PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE

REF

: 8/3/3/1

To

: Office of the Municipal Manager

From

: MPAC Chairperson

Date

: 24 March 2025

Subject

: MPAC QUESTIONS ON THE 2023/2024 ANNUAL REPORT

The Municipal Public Accounts Committee (MPAC) has considered the contents of the 2023/2024 Annual Report and requires your written responses to the following set of questions. Your written responses are to be submitted to the MPAC Office on or before the 27TH of March 2025.

You are further invited to appear before MPAC to present the responses and give further evidence or clarity on the following date and time:

Venue

: Council Chambers

Date

: 28 March 2025

Time

: 11h00 a.m.

This invitation is in line with Section 129(b) of the MFMA Act No: 56 of 2003 and your immediate and favorable attention to this communiqué will be highly appreciated

Yours in good governance

Cllr T.P Gaealashwe

MPAC Chairperson Date: 24/03/2025

Question 1: Consumer debts

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5.1. Why is that adjustments that should have been disclosed were not disclosed and reasons for variances were not fully disclosed particularly in relation to legal issues and litigations?

Question 6: Distribution losses

6.1. What systems have management put in place to ensure that distribution loss related to water and electricity is properly accounted for in terms of Section 125(2)(d)(i) of the MFMA?

Question 7: Commitments and contingencies

- 7.1. Provide reasons for management not to account for contracts awarded under commitment.
- 7.2. How does the municipality account for the difference between the audited amount and the AFS in relation to contracts?
- 7.3. What measures will management put in place to ensure that contingent liabilities and contingent assets are properly accounted for in terms of GRAP 19 provisions?

Question 8: Statement of net assets

- 8.1. What measures has management taken to ensure that there are no errors when determining the net cash flow from operating activities?
- 8.2. Provide reasons for adjustments to the net cash flow from operating activities as per the AFS
- 8.3. Provide reasons for the variances in relation to the opening balance as it does not agree with the amount in the prior year financial statement

Question 9: Statement of comparison of budget and actual amount

- 9.1. Provide reasons as to why the approved budget amount did not agree with the actual amounts in some instances did not agree with the final budget
- 9.2. Why did not the municipality disclose the budget and actual expenditure relating to acquisition of assets?

Question 10: Cash flow statement

10.1. The auditor general was unable to determine the accurate amount to be disclosed in the annual financial statements for net cash flow from investing activities as required by GRAP 2, what steps has management taken through the post audit action plan?

Question 11: Internal control deficiencies

- 11.1. What measures have management taken to ensure that the AFS are prepared in line with GRAP 1 to achieve fair representation are adequately reviewed to ensure that they are free of misstatements?
- 11.2. How will management ensure that they implement the post audit action plans on prior year findings relating to the preparation of the AFS and compliance with regulations to avoid repeat findings in the 2024/25 FY?

Question 12: Budget management

- 12.1. How will management address the lack of proper budgeting as it has resulted in overspending, contributed to the increase of unauthorized expenditure and in some instances negatively impacted on the ability of the municipality to provide services to the community?
- 12.2. How will management ensure that the adjusted budget is aligned with the final budget as per the AFS, as required by section 2(1)(c) of the MFMA and Section 12 of GRAP 24?

Question 13: Human resource management

- 13.1. Provide reasons why management did not review the Organogram regularly as the last review was in 20216 as per the 2023/24 Audit report ?
- 13.2. Why did the municipality not conduct performance evaluation for non-section 56 managers as it is resulted in non-compliance with MFMA and Municipal Staff regulation 48?

Question 14: Use of consultants

- 14.1. What evidence can management provide to MPAC to qualify that the over reliance on consultants is reduce through implementation and monitoring of the terms of reference for all consultant to transfer skills and have an evaluation assessment?
- 14.2. What contract management measures have been put in place to ensure the desired deliverables as per the specification of each contract in the municipality is met and furthermore how will management improve the monitoring of contracts?

Question 15: Security management

- 15.1. Provide council resolutions for IT policy review, disaster recovery plan as well as backup and retention policy review?
- 15.2. What measures are been put in place to ensure regular review of key IT policies?

Question 16: Accounting Officer and senior management

16.1. How does the Accounting officer aim to improve the recording and reporting processes to ensure that the relevant reporting role players understand the implementation and indicator requirements of the annual performance plan for valid, accurate and complete performance reporting?

16.2. How will the Accounting Officer ensure that the internal audit and the audit committee receive the financial statements in reasonable time to enable them to fulfill their

responsibilities of reviewing the AFS for quality assurance?

Question 17: Predetermined objectives

- 17.1. What corrective measures have management taken to ensure that there is consistency between planning and reporting documents, that reported performance information is relevant and that performance indicators are measurable?
- 17.2. What steps have management taken to ensure that performance targets are specific in clearly identifying the nature and required level of performance?
- 17.3. What corrective actions have management taken to ensure that planned and reported indicators are properly defined?
- 17.4. What corrective actions have management taken to ensure that planned and reported indicators are verifiable?
- 17.5. What processes have management put in place to ensure that reported performance information is valid, accurate, and complete and that there is sufficient appropriate audit evidence to substantiate reported performance information?

Question 18: Compliance with applicable legislation

18.1. What corrective processes have management developed and implemented to ensure that submitted financial statements are prepared in accordance with section 122 of the Municipal Finance Management Act and are free of material errors and misstatements to avoid the need for amendments during audit?

18.2. Have management developed mechanisms for submitting performance information and appropriate sufficient audit evidence to substantiate reported performance information to internal audit for auditing in accordance with section 45 and regulation 14 of the

Municipal Systems Act?

18.3. What measures have management taken to ensure that awards are not made to providers who are persons in the service of the state or their close family members in terms of Supply Chain Management regulations 44 and 45?

Question 19: Processing of UIF&W

19.1. What steps have the Accounting Officer taken to prevent unauthorized, irregular or fruitless and wasteful expenditure and other losses as required by section 62(1)(d) of the Municipal Finance Management Act?

19.2. What actions has the Accounting Officer taken in terms of section 32 of the MFMA to

demonstrate that Historical UIF&W is being addressed

Question 20: MIG funded projects

20.1. Does the Gopane bridge and storm water project meet the IDP goal in relation to the improving the quality of life of local community aspect of service delivery?

20.2. According the Department responsible for Project Management is there value for money

as far as the Gopane Bridge and storm water project is concerned?

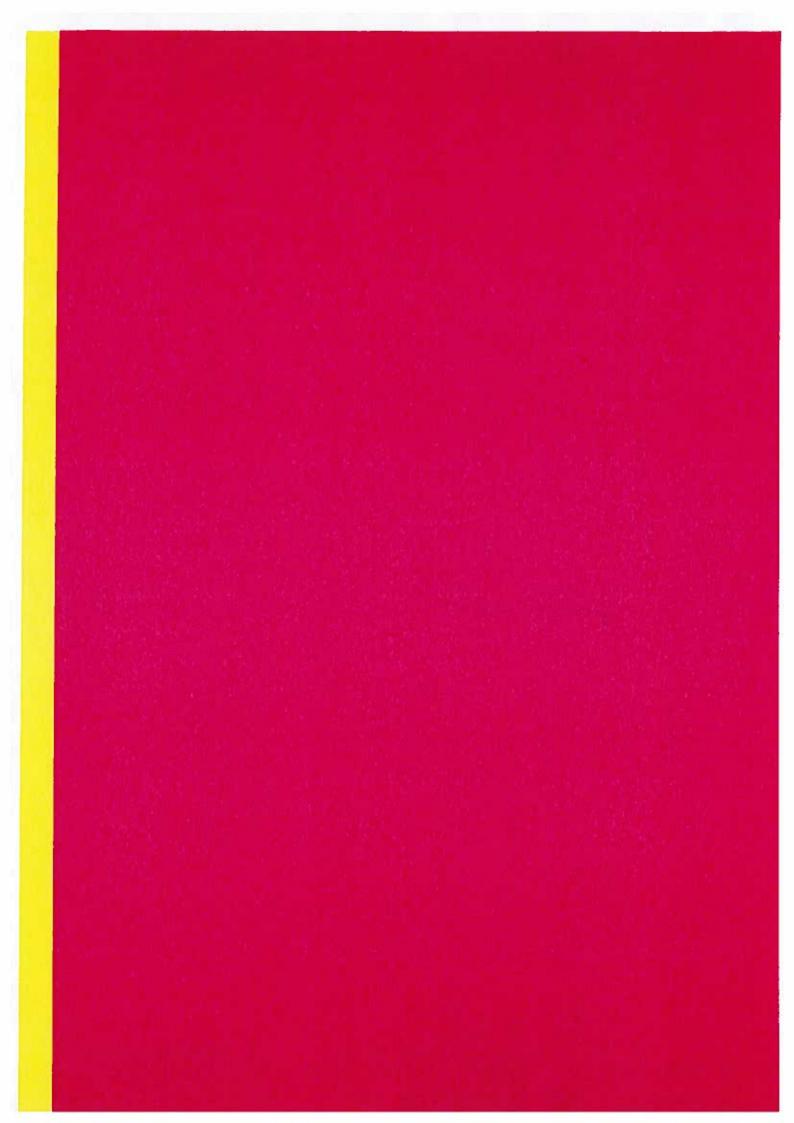
20.3. Provide information/ evidence pertaining to the monitoring and evaluation of the contract for the above mentioned project

20.4 What steps has the department taken to address the challenge of storm water in relation to the road and storm water project in Dinokana ward 11 as there are numerous complaints of water getting into the yards of community members?

Question 21: Local Economic development

- 21.1 The department has consistently reported on the following challenges for the past three years if not more
 - Lack of appointment of service provider to conduct land audit
 - Continued increase in illegal occupation of municipal land
 - Contravention of Ramotshere Moiloa land use scheme
 - Absence of Geographic information system
 - Building without approved building plans

Kindly provide evidence that support any action taken to address each challenge stated in the report.



MINUTES OF THE MEETING

MPAC PLENARY MEETING WITH MANAGEMENT





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Meeting Description:	Plenary meeting with Management to outline the role and the responsibilities during the oversight process on the 2023/2024 Annual Report
Date:	17 February 2025
Time:	10h20
Venue:	Council Chamber

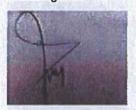
Items	Description	
1.	Opening and Welcome	
	The Municipal Manager opened the me	eting and welcome all the attendees to the meeting.
		t Manager assisted by MPAC Committee Researcher.
	The Municipal Manager thereafter hand	ed over to MPAC Unit Manager to outline the purpose of
	the meeting.	
2.	Introduction of attendee's	
	(2) 「日本日本のは、日本のは、「日本のは、「日本のは、日本のは、日本のは、日本のは、日本のは、日本のは、日本のは、日本のは、	Present at the meeting were the following:
	Lekgetho Mokgathe	- Municipal Manager
	Director Karabo Masuku	
	Director Puiso Lepedi	- Technical Directorate
	CFO Noke Kagiso	- BTO
	Ramakatsa Thuto	- Unit Manager MPAC
	Thami Mtshali	- Manager PMU
	Phenyo Malisafele	- PMS Manager
	Letsholonyane Lebogang	- Manager Security
	Tolo Odirile	 Manager office of the Speaker
	Manthoko	_ Manager Office of the Mayor
	Rammoi Godfrey	- IDP Manager
	Mooketsi Refilwe	- Communication Officer
	 Manyaapelo Keamogetse 	- SCM Officer
	Mothusi Patrick	_ MPAC Researcher

MPAC MEETING WITH MANAGEMENT

Items	Description
3.	Apologies
	An apology was tendered for the Municipal Manager as he was going to attend another meeting with COGTA.
4.	Purpose of the Meeting
	The Municipal Manager explained that MPAC is on the oversight process plan, therefore there is a need to meet and discuss the role and the responsibilities during the oversight public participation. All the department must to see that the process of participation has no hindrances and is the process that seeks to engage communities to become active participants in oversight process plan. Since MPAC will be playing oversight over the public participation, the department will be directed to see to it that the process of public participation run smoothly. It is mandatory that various directorates are engaged on public participation at the planning stage and that they are mobilized as vehicles that will both ensure that the projects operate with minimal hindrances. Directorates must sure that they are involved from the beginning to the end of public participation, thereby proving that they are an integral part of the oversight process plan.
	MPAC Manager further strengthen the role of MPAC in the process of public participation that MPAC plays an oversight role over public participation. MPAC Unit Manager highlighted that the purpose of the meeting was not to impose our way of doing things but to discuss and collectively agree in a constructive manner of doing things to ensure the successful completion of the oversight process plan on public participation as per legislation The following matters were discussed on the meeting: Voltices (to the communities, stakeholders & government department's) Security to the venue where the events will be held Catering for the community members Sound System Transport Communication medium (Presentation of the Annual Report to the community) Venue (for public participation)
5	OUTLINE THE ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES > The template for the public participation is attached

Items	Description
6	Resolutions
	✓ That the PMS and Communication send the Notices that inform the community, stakeholders & government departments about the public participations by the 18 February 2025.
	 ✓ That the office of the Speaker must inform the Tribal Authorities about the public participation where the public participation will be held. ✓ That the
	✓ That the office of the speaker must finalised the procurement process 04 weeks before the event.
	✓ That the communication officer must give PMS all the stakeholders and department's emails so that PMS will send them an email and 2023/2024 Annual Reports
	✓ That the Annual Report must be sent to the municipal website.
	✓ That the Office of the Speaker informs the Tribal Authorities, Councillors as well as the ward committees about the public participation.
	✓ That the PMS will liaison with the Municipal Manager about the presentation on Annua Report.
	✓ That MPAC will assist the Office of the Speaker to make the programme of the day.
	✓ That the Security will deal with Modus Operandi on the process of public participation.
	✓ That all communication should be send weekly to the office of MPAC by emails to trace the progress.
	MPAC Researcher, Mr. Mothusi thanked everyone in attendance and the meeting was adjourned

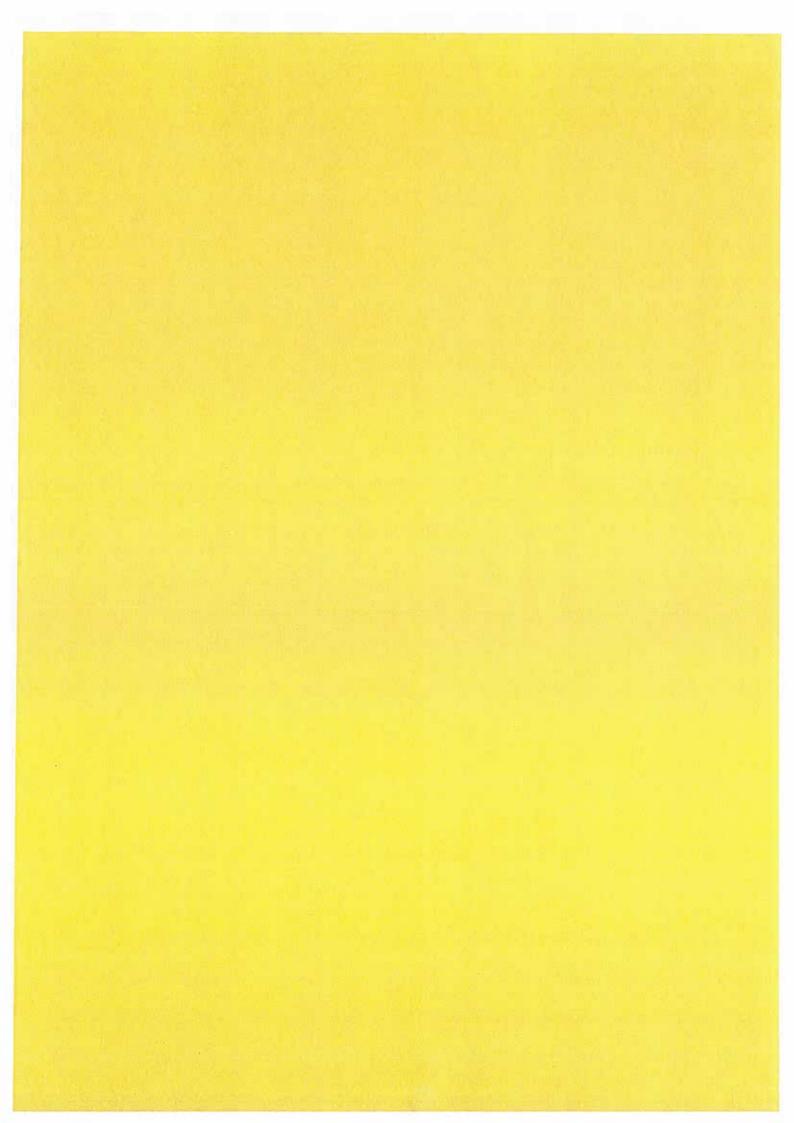
Kind Regards!



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MONITOR TEMPLATE FOR PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

ACTION	NOI	RESPONSIBILITY	DEADLINE	COMMENTS STATUS	PROGRESS
藝	INVITATIONS/NOTICES				
	Tabling of the Annual Report	Office of the Mayor	31/01/2025	Completed. The office to source the council resolution to MPAC	
1.2	Content of the Notices	Office of the Municipal Manager	23/01/2025	Notice for the Tabling of the Annual report has completed. PMS to source POE to MPAC	
6.	Sending of Notices to public	PMS	21/02/2025	To be communicated by emails & correspondences. Communication via emails and correspondences Communication (Mooketsi) will submit the list of the stakeholder, department to PMS	
4	Sending of invitations – to cllrs	Office of the Speaker	11/02/2025	To be communicated by emails & correspondences	
	Invitations to stakeholder & Tribal Authorities and the submission of the 2023/2024 Annual Reports	Office of the Speaker	21/02/2025	- Proof of emails - Acknowledgement by the receiver	
2	PROGRAMME				
2.1	Confirmation of date	Office of the Speaker		The formal confirmation will be issued days prior to each meeting	
2.2	Programme :	MPAC	28/02/2025	MPAC will assist	
2.3	Printing of the Annual Report Reports to be presented to the community	PMS	28/02/20259	PMS print the presentations and the reports and issued the POE to MPAC	
2.4	Guideline to presentations Homebase care Tribal Authority Ward Cllr	MPAC	5 days prior to meeting	The presenters will be notified 05 days before the event MPAC will source POE.	А

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60	COMMUNICATION MEDIUM		SANCE COMMENTATIONS	
3.1	Invitations / Notices	Communication	7 days before the events	Make sure all the stakeholders received the notices and invites
4	VENUE			
4.1	Confirmation of the venue	MPAC, Office of the Speaker & SCM	05 days prior	MPAC to confirm the venue for the events
4.2	PARKING	Community services	05 days prior	Make sure that there is parking and accessibility for the vehicles to the venue
5	FACILITIES (SECURITY, COMMUNICATIONS & FACILITY	NICATIONS & FACILITY)		
5.1	Stage (one or more)	Security	A day before	Confirmation via email to the office of the MPAC
5.2	Podium		A day before	MPAC to be informed on the 28/02/2025
5.3	Tent	Office of the speaker/community services	A day before	12
5.4	Tables	Community services	2 hours before	(1)
5.5	Chairs	Community services	2 hours before	
5.6	Generator Electricity	Office of the Speaker	07 days prior	In case there will be a power failure
5.8	Water Bottles	SCM	5 days before	Confirm by email (order)
6.9	Black plastics	Community services	A day before	
5.10	PA sound system	MPAC	5 days before	Confirm by email (order) through SCM
9	TRANSPORT		THE RESERVE THE PARTY OF THE PA	
6.1	Prepare transport to take the community members to the venue	Office of the Speaker	5 DAYS BEFORE	SCM Process Liaison with the ward clirs for the pick-up point of community members
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7.1	Menu on day	Office of the speaker	2 weeks	> Liaison with the SCM for	
			before	procurement process	
	SOUND SYSTEM	OFFICE OF THE	SPEAKE		
	PA System and back-up		7 days before	> SCM process	
	Good Speakers				
	Microphones				Amilia
	Recording of proceedings				
	SECURITY	Security & Risk			
9.1	Ensure Security at the venue			> Apply Modus Operandi	
	Evacuation procedure / Exits /				
	EMERGENCY SERVICES				
	10.1 First Aid:	security		Communicate with EMRS	
	DRY RUN				
	Loud hailing informing the community about the public participation	Office of the speaker	A day before		
	12 AFTER CARE	MPAC			
	12.1 Final Report		31 March		
	12.2 Distribute for approval		2025		
	12.3 Presenting the Oversight report				
	to council				

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCECESSES

The following administrative processes are deemed necessary and inseparable from MPAC being able to conduct public participation effectively and properly:

ITEM	PLANNED ACTION	RESPONSIBILITY	TIMEFRAME
Service providers for the following:	Issue of the MEMO for requisitions	Office of the Speaker	04 weeks before public participation
> Catering > PA System	Secure quotations and appoint service providers	SCM UNIT	
1. Secure the venues	Secure council (RMLM) owned venues Booking of the Hall in time	Office of the speaker	04 weeks before public participation
1. Notices of public participation	Ensure that notices of public participation are placed in the municipal jurisdiction Submission of the notices to the stakeholders	Communication Unit	Immediately after the process plan is adopted and the public notices have been developed.
Copies of the Annual Report	Ensure that copies of the Annual Report are multiplied and placed in public places within the entire municipality (jurisdiction)	Communication & PMS	Immediately after tabling of the Annual Report in the council
Secure vehicle for to transport MPAC council committee to and from venues of the MIG projects and public participation meetings	Request and avail the vehicle to the ward where the public participation will be hosted	Fleet & MPAC	5 days before the actual day of the event
Preparing the Annual Report presentation	Ensure that the presentation is ready to be presented to the community	Municipal manager Communication PMS	10 days before the events



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MUNICIPAL PUBLIC ACCOUNT COMMITTEE

ATTENDANCE REGISTER

Date 17 FEBRUAR	7 FEBRUARY 2025
Venue Council Chamber	hamber
Description Plenary m	Plenary meeting to outline the roles and responsibilities during the oversight public participation

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ANNEXTURE B



MANAGEMENT RESPOSES TO MPAC FINDINGS AS PER THE 2023/24 ANNUAL REPORT.

Question 1: Consumer debts

1.1 What steps have management taken to ensure that sufficient appropriate audit evidence is availed during the audit of trade and other receivable, and that the balance for debtors is supported by the age analysis and schedules?

Management Response:

The AO has solicited the assistance of the system vendor to drill down to at least five years to interrogate the historical balances and confirm validity and existence. Party to that the age analysis that supports the balance disclosed in the AFS was provided to the auditors. The plan to deal with this historical finding is underway where transactions per each debtor will be reconciled and a write off proposal to write off unsupported balances to Council with an option to hand over to debt collectors.

Question 2: Property, Plants and Equipment

2.1. What measures have management taken to ensure that there is proper assessment of impairment for property, plants and equipment and that is done in accordance with standards of GRAP 17 during the 2023/24 FY and what controls are in place to avoid reoccurrence of the PPE being overstated.

Management Response:

Disagreement with the auditors. Further engagements with the AG are ongoing., However:

Management has developed impairment assessment form that is used during physical verification to identify events (Change in intended use, fire, floods, and vandalism

that have occurred during the financial year that were not planned for and have given rise to significant and enduring loss of "service potential".

Process after identifying impairment.

- Asset or asset facility needs to be assessed to determine if damage to asset or asset facility constitute enduring loss.
- The damage is then photographed and documented.
- Damages to asset or facility is then calculated.
- The possible impairment report is then sent to the finance department for evaluation and approval.
- The Financial Asset Register is updated with new values.

Should the Finance department / asset department evaluate the event and decide not to impair the asset, the asset condition will be updated with the new condition rating and re-evaluated in the next financial year.

Question 3: Trade and other payables from exchange transactions

3.1. What steps will management take to ensure that deposit is properly allocated and reconciled with the debtors and receivables?

Management Response:

Legacy
These findings pre-existing since the 2022 audit cycle related to limitations around the suitability of historical records, it should be noted however, that an extensive data cleansing campaign has been instituted, culminating in a new accounting system to better improve controls and historical data, to enable resolution of these issues. It should be noted that the data cleansing was completed for Payables from exchange transactions in the 2024 financial year, however, unallocated deposits, as they relate to consumer debtors, were still not resolved, it is expected that unallocated deposits will be resolved in line with overall consumer debtors.

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Question 5: Prior period errors

5.1. Why is that adjustments that should have been disclosed were not disclosed and reasons for variances were not fully disclosed particularly in relation to legal issues and litigations?

Management Response:

The variance in the disclosure was due to legal issues that were not concluded, and adjustments were done.

Question 6: Distribution losses

6.1. What systems have management put in place to ensure that distribution loss related to water and electricity is properly accounted for in terms of Section 125(2)(d)(i) of the MFMA?

Management Response:

The Department has put the following measures in place.

- Operation and Maintenance action plans: Ensuring that water and electricity infrastructure is well-maintained to minimize losses due to leaks or faults.
- Monitoring and Auditing on water and electricity meters: Regular audits and monitoring systems are put in place to track water and electricity usage, identify discrepancies, and address unauthorized consumption.
- Water Programs: Initiatives like the "No Drop" program focus on water use efficiency and reducing losses through strategic planning and interventions. Supervisors on water has undergone the No-drop training program and we are complying with report requirements.
- Community Engagement: Educating communities about efficient water and electricity usage and reporting leaks or illegal connections.
- We have applied to National Treasury for Smart Meter grant programme for electricity.
- Replacement of damaged, bridged/tampered meters for both water and electricity.

Question 7: Commitments and contingencies

7.1. Provide reasons for management not to account for contracts awarded under commitment.

Management Response:

7.2. How does the municipality account for the difference between the audited amount and the AFS in relation to contracts?

Management Response:

7.3. What measures will management put in place to ensure that contingent liabilities and contingent assets are properly accounted for in terms of GRAP 19 provisions?

Management Response:

Question 8: Statement of net assets

8.1. What measures has management taken to ensure that there are no errors when determining the net cash flow from operating activities?

Management Response:

8.2. Provide reasons for adjustments to the net cash flow from operating activities as per the AFS.

Management Response:

8.3. Provide reasons for the variances in relation to the opening balance as it does not agree with the amount in the prior year financial statement.

Management Response:

Question 9: Statement of comparison of budget and actual amount

9.1. Provide reasons as to why the approved budget amount did not agree with the actual amounts in some instances did not agree with the final budget.

Management Response:

Due to adjustments made at the last minute during the AFS preparations. Also, a factor of limited time given to quality assurers to review set of AFS. Project plan and timelines have been reviewed to bring submission dates earlier to accommodate quality assurance processes before final submission.

9.2. Why did not the municipality disclose the budget and actual expenditure relating to acquisition of assets?

Management Response:

Question 10: Cash flow statement

10.1. The auditor general was unable to determine the accurate amount to be disclosed in the annual financial statements for net cash flow from investing activities as required by GRAP 2, what steps has management taken through the post audit action plan?

Management Response:

Aggregate of errors identified in the finalisation of ASF as well as final adjustments led to incorrect final amounts in the cash flow statement. This is further attributed to point 9 above on quality assurance processes being neglected.

Question 11: Internal control deficiencies

11.1. What measures have management taken to ensure that the AFS are prepared in line with GRAP 1 to achieve fair representation are adequately reviewed to ensure that they are free of misstatements? Management Response:

PAAP has been prepared and tabled to Council in January. The management team and consulting team meet weekly with the AG to monitor progress made to resolve findings raised in the prior years. Furthermore, the PAAP has been loaded into the NT portal and progress with different levels of reviews is undertaken.

11.2. How will management ensure that they implement the post audit action plans on prior year findings relating to the preparation of the AFS and compliance with regulations to avoid repeat findings in the 2024/25 FY?

Management Response:

Question 12: Budget management

12.1. How will management address the lack of proper budgeting as it has resulted in overspending, contributed to the increase of unauthorized expenditure and in some instances negatively impacted on the ability of the municipality to provide services to the community?

Management Response:

Addressing budgeting issues in the technical services department requires a strategic approach to ensure financial discipline and effective service delivery. Here are some potential measures:

- 1. **Improved Budget Planning**: Implementing robust budget planning processes that align with the municipality's priorities and available resources can help prevent overspending and unauthorized expenditures.
- 2. **Monitoring and Accountability**: Establishing clear accountability structures and regular monitoring of expenditures can ensure that funds are used appropriately and transparently.
- 3. **Eliminating Wasteful Expenditure**: Identifying and eliminating wasteful spending can free up funds for essential services and infrastructure.

All directorates make submission to the budget and treasury office to consolidate inputs submitted. A

Lack of spending is caused mostly by:

- a) Lack of proper planning by user departments
- b) Budget inputs not accompanied by credible business plans.
- c) Nonalignment of procurement plans, budget, IDP and the budget
- d) To a certain extent lack of cash flow availability sometimes delays implementation and spending.
- 12.2. How will management ensure that the adjusted budget is aligned with the final budget as per the AFS, as required by section 2(1)(c) of the MFMA and Section 12 of GRAP 24?

Management Response:

Proper alignment of votes on MSCOA financial system and case ware will be conducted.

Question 13: Human resource management

13.1. Provide reasons why management did not review the Organogram regularly as the last review was in 20216 as per the 2023/24 Audit report?

Management Response:

In 2024 the municipality embarked on the review of the organizational structure which was subsequently approved by council as a draft and send to COGTA for validation in November 2024.

13.2. Why did the municipality not conduct performance evaluation for non-section 56 managers as it is resulted in non-compliance with MFMA and Municipal Staff regulation 48?

Management Response:

The municipality experienced challenges with the implementation of PMDS coming from the unions refusing employees to sign the performance agreement. Therefore, the PMDS was never implemented. The PMDS will be implemented fully in the new financial year.

Question 14: Use of consultants

14.1. What evidence can management provide to MPAC to qualify that the over reliance on consultants is reduce through implementation and monitoring of the terms of reference for all consultant to transfer skills and have an evaluation assessment?

Management Response:

Regarding use of consultants in the BTO consultants ONLY:

- a) Prepaid vending system: Specialized skill which no municipality in the country can afford to keep as it involves different experts from IT, legal, software developers, etc. It is unavoidable and is linked to revenue generation.
- b) AFS preparation: Lack of internal capacity in the municipality, even though officials are accounting graduates, 95% of them do not have the skill and experience of preparing financial statements. This could be linked to a recruitment processes, however most have been in the employment of the municipality from historical regimes thereby will cause labor disputes to get rid of or to transfer to other roles which do not exist. Inputs in the structure have been made to make provision for a specific unit to deal with AFS preparation only.

14.2. What contract management measures have been put in place to ensure the desired deliverables as per the specification of each contract in the municipality is met and furthermore how will management improve the monitoring of contracts?

Management Response:

A contract management committee has been established and clear terms of referce to be developed and schedules of meeting to be approved.

Question 15: Security management

15.1. Provide council resolutions for IT policy review, disaster recovery plan as well as backup and retention policy review?

Management Response:

Policies were reviewed by council 0029/10/2024.

15.2. What measures are been put in place to ensure regular review of key IT policies?

Management Response:

Policies will be reviewed annually after stakeholder engagements.

Question 16: Accounting Officer and senior management

16.1. How does the accounting officer aim to improve the recording and reporting processes to ensure that the relevant reporting role players understand the implementation and indicator requirements of the annual performance plan for valid, accurate and complete performance reporting?

Management Response:

The introduction of the CCG reporting system will allow for accurate and complete reporting, accompanied by POE. The internal audit unit can use the system to assist management in correcting any reporting inaccuracies and incompleteness, together with correction of relevant POE. After auditing in CCG, internal audit will raise findings which can be addressed by management prior to the report being finalized and submitted to Council.

16.2. How will the Accounting Officer ensure that the internal audit and the audit committee receive the financial statements in reasonable time to enable them to fulfill their responsibilities of reviewing the AFS for quality assurance?

Management Response:

The AFS preparation process includes a timeline with dates for submission of AFS to internal audit and audit committee for their review prior to finalising. The first draft of the AFS will be ready by 31 July 2025 and the review process will begin.

Question 17: Predetermined objectives

17.1. What corrective measures have management taken to ensure that there is consistency between planning and reporting documents, that reported performance information is relevant and that performance indicators are measurable?

Management Response:

17.2. What steps have management taken to ensure that performance targets are specific in clearly identifying the nature and required level of performance?

Management Response:

17.3. What corrective actions have management taken to ensure that planned and reported indicators are properly defined?

Management Response:

17.4. What corrective actions have management taken to ensure that planned and reported indicators are verifiable?

Management Response:

17.5. What processes have management put in place to ensure that reported performance information is valid, accurate, and complete and that there is sufficient appropriate audit evidence to substantiate reported performance information?

Management Response:

17.1. – 17.5. After the key performance indicators have been developed and the draft SDBIP has been formulated, the document will be sent to the department of local government for their assessment of the Municipality's kips to assist in ensuring that the indicators are specific, well defined, measurable and verifiable. Internal Audit process will ensure that the reported information is relevant. Management is afforded the opportunity

to correct the findings prior to finalising the report, this includes ensuring that there is valid evidence for each reported indicator.

Question 18: Compliance with applicable legislation

18.1. What corrective processes have management developed and implemented to ensure that submitted financial statements are prepared in accordance with section 122 of the Municipal Finance Management Act and are free of material errors and misstatements to avoid the need for amendments during audit?

Management Response:

18.2. Have management developed mechanisms for submitting performance information and appropriate sufficient audit evidence to substantiate reported performance information to internal audit for auditing in accordance with section 45 and regulation 14 of the Municipal Systems Act?

Management Response:

- 18.2. Using the CCG system for reporting, management will ensure that while reporting on the quarterly reports, the POE will be attached and reviewed on the system. The reports of internal audit will go to management to conscientize management of any missing POE to be able to submit before the report is closed off and tabled at Council.
- 18.3. What measures have management taken to ensure that awards are not made to providers who are persons in the service of the state or their close family members in terms of Supply Chain Management regulations 44 and 45?

Management Response:

Question 19: Processing of UIF&W

19.1. What steps have the Accounting Officer taken to prevent unauthorized, irregular, or fruitless and wasteful expenditure and other losses as required by section 62(1)(d) of the Municipal Finance Management Act?

Management Response:

AFS Preparation plans will be revised to earlier dates to allow for detailed reviews by quality assurance processes.

a) Implemented SCM checklist with every procurement to detect possible non-compliance.

b) Historical UIF&W- Unauthorized, already dealt with in January council through a special adjustment budget of 2023/24 financial year. c)fruitless and wasteful:

Eskom interest: Debt relief write off dealt with the historical interest. Only interest payable is on debt with arrangement that the municipality is honoring monthly together with the current account.

Irregular expenditure: For the 2022/23 and 2023/24 the AO has prepared an investigation report and submitted it to the MPAC. The AO is awaiting feedback from MPAC regarding the interrogation of that report and way forward in line with Sec 32.

19.2. What actions has the Accounting Officer taken in terms of section 32 of the MFMA to demonstrate that Historical UIF&W is being addressed?

Management Response:

A Material Irregularity (MI) in relation to KANT consultants was investigated during November and December 2024 and a report was submitted to the Auditor General in March 2025 in this regard.

The Speaker and MPAC chairperson MUST encourage all councillors to their interests in FULL. In the absence of full declarations management relies on CSD report from national treasury.

Question 20: MIG funded projects.

20.1. Does the Gopane bridge and storm water project meet the IDP goal in relation to the improving the quality of life of local community aspect of service delivery?

Management Response:

The Gopane Bridge and Storm Water Project has the potential to significantly contribute to the Integrated Development Plan (IDP) goals by improving the quality of life for the local community. Infrastructure projects like these are vital for enhancing service delivery, ensuring safer transportation, and managing stormwater effectively to prevent flooding and related issues. It does align with the IDP's focus on basic service delivery and infrastructure development,

Question 21: Local Economic development

- 21.1 The department has consistently reported on the following challenges for the past three years if not more.
 - Lack of appointment of service provider to conduct land audit.
 - Continued increase in illegal occupation of municipal land.
 - Contravention of Ramotshere Moiloa land use scheme
 - Absence of Geographic information system
 - Building without approved building plans

Management Response:

• Lack of appointment of service provider to conduct land audit.

The Municipality appointed service provider to conduct land audit and the Draft Land Audit Report was noted by Council as per Council Resolution No? The draft report was advertised for comments in the newspaper on the 25^{th of} October 2024. The Land Audit Report has been finalized and is awaiting adoption by Council on the next Ordinary Council Meeting.

Continued increase in illegal occupation of Municipal land.

It must be stated that the illegal occupation of Municipal land is not unique to the Municipality but is experienced across the province. However, adoption of the Land Audit Report will assist as it indicates which land the Municipality owns and provides spatial proposals on how to optimally use the land which will be considered to avoid vacant and under-utilized land. Furthermore, the Municipality is currently conducting township establishment in Ikageleng to unable the Municipality to proactively allocate land to avoid illegal occupation. Budget has also been allocated in draft Budget 2025/26 financial year for township establishments to further address the challenge.

Contravention of Ramotshere Moiloa Land Use Scheme

Town Planning Unit is conducting land use inspection in attempt to address contraventions and issuing of notices. However, the impact is minimal as very limited in terms of human resource i.e., Land Use Officers and Town Planners. The issue on human resource will be addressed on review of the organogram.

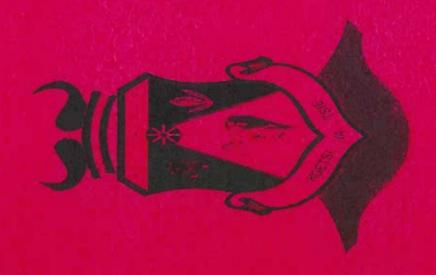
Absence of Geographical Information System

The Municipality has procured the system and license to address the challenge.

Building without approved building plans

The Department currently has no vehicle allocated to it and there Building Inspectors cannot conduct field work as requirement. However, budget has been allocated on the draft Budget 2025/26 financial year to purchase vehicle for the Department to address the challenge.

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MUNICIPAL PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE

NOTICE:

INVITATION TO ATTEND THE PUBLIC PARTICIPATION ON 2023/2024 ANNUAL REPORT FINANCIAL YEAR.

Notice is hereby given in terms of Section 129(1) of the Municipal Finance Management Act (MFMA) that Municipal Public Account committee (MPAC) will be conducting the public participation on the 2023/2024 Annual Report. All the stakeholders are invited to attend.

The Public participation will be held as follows:

DATE:	TIME:	VENU:	CLUSTER (WARDS):	VILLAGES:
13 MARCH 2025	10H00	ZEERUST TOWN HALL	15, 16, 17, 18 & 19	Zeerust Town, Ikageleng, Mmamokete, Sandvlagte, Grootmarico, Welbedaght and Masebudule
17 MARCH 2025	10H00	MOTSWEDI COMMUNITY	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 & 8	Lobatla, Motswedi, Gopane, Radikhudu, Supingstad, Driefontein, Lekgopung, Moshana, Lekubu, Mokgola and Borakalalo
19 MARCH 2025	10H00	KHUNOTSWANE TRIBAL AUTHORITY	9, 10, 11, 12, 13, & 14	Khunotswane, Dinokana and Ntsweletsoku











CLLR: I MALATSI



CLLR: T.P GAEALASHWE MPAC CHAIRPERSON

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CLLR: TJ KEEBINE MPAC Member

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In terms of Section 127(5)(a)(i) of the MFMA the Annual Report is hereby made public. Copies of the Annual Report are available for perusal at all the Public Libraries and Municipal Offices. An electronic version can also be viewed on the Municipal website on www.ramotshere.gov.za

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Yours Sincerely

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NOTICE OF COUNCIL SITTING AND THE TABLING OF THE OVERSIGHT REPORT ON THE 2023\2024 ANNUAL REPORT.

Notice is hereby given in terms of section 19 of the Local Government Municipal System Act 32 of 2000 that the following meeting of the Ramotshere Moiloa Local Municipality Council will be held as follows:

31 March 2025 Date:

Time: 10:00

Venue: Council Chambers

Furthermore in accordance with the terms of section 129(1) and 130(1) of the Municipal Finance Management Act 56 of 2003, the Municipal invites members of the public and all interested parties to the council meeting wherein the Municipal Public Account Committee (MPAC), having conducted the Annual Report Public Participation for the 2023\2024 financial year, an Oversight Report is to be presented for the 2023\2024 Financial Year.

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MR L.I MOKGATLHE

MUNICIPAL MANAGER

DATE: 26/03/2005

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PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE



NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE MUNICIPAL PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE WILL BE HAVING A SPECIAL COMMITTEE MEETING ON THE 10.2016/journal.com/ OF FEBRUARY 2024 AT THE COUNCIL CHAMBER AT 10H00 AM

AGENDA

A. PROCEDURAL MATTERS:

- 1. OPENING AND WELCOME
- 2. APPLICATION FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE/APOLOGIES
- 3. PROPOSAL FOR CONDOLENCES OR CONGRATULATIONS BY THE CHAIRPERSON
- 4. PROPOSAL FOR CONDOLENCES OR CONGRATULATIONS BY THE BY MEMBERS

B. PURPOSE OF THE MEETING

- 5. PRESENTATION OF THE 2023/2024 AUDIT OUTCOME BY THE AUDITOR GENERAL
- 6. RESOLUTIONS OF THE MEETING BY MPAC MEMBERS

D. ANNOUNCEMENTS

E. CLOSURE





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MUNICIPAL PUBLIC ACCOUNT COMMITTEE OFFICE

MINUTES OF MPAC MEETING WITH THE AUDITOT GENERAL

PURPOSE: TO GET BRIEFING ON THE 2023/2024 AUDIT OUTCOMES

VENUE: COUNCIL CHAMBER

DATE: 05 FEBRAURY 2025

TIME: 10H00

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	RESPONSIBLE PERSON
1.	Opening and welcome	Clir Gaealashwe MPAC chairperson
	 The meeting was opened with a prayer by Clir Malatsi The chairperson welcomed all present 	
2.	Introductions	All
3.	Applications for leave of absence/Apologies	All
	The following apologies were noted: Cllr Mosiane Cllr Keebine	
4.	Item for discussion	

4.1 Briefing by the Auditor General on the 2023/2024 audit outcomes

The AG presented the briefing note to the committee

The following were the areas of focus:

What led to the municipality remaining stagnant in terms of the audit performance

- Non review of the AFS which resulted in poor quality AFS being submitted
- Lack of documents to substantiate Performance information and overall limitation of scope
- Non-compliance with key legislation

AG findings:

Receivables from exchange

Consumer Debtors

- Transactions in relation to consumer deposits are not being recorded regularly and Management could not produce consumer list to reconcile the consumer
- There are no schedules to support the balances provided on the AFS

Trade Payables

- Unallocated deposits.
- There is no reconciliation with the debtors book and receivables

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- Overstatement of roads and buildings as the impairments are not considered due to a lack of condition assessment by the municipality
- No reliance on the calculation of depreciation based on the AG's conclusion of overstatement of assets

Prior Period Error

 Adjustments that should have been disclosed are not disclosed and reasons

 The municipality do not have a maintenance plan in place for repair and restore dilapidated infrastructure There are no proper registers for UIF&W which led to the non-implementation of section 32 processes The municipality approved an unfunded budget which resulted in increase in unauthorised expenditure 	Root	disagreement with management on the calculations Balances of contracts are not updated as and when payments are made causes: Overreliance on consultants by the municipality and lack of monitoring and notable transfer of skills especially in relation to the Assets Unit Lack of oversight over financial reporting, compliance monitoring and related internal controls PMS not cascaded to all employees Misalignment between the two planning documents (SDBIP and Budget) and no proper system to monitor performance	
service delivery projects	>	maintenance plan in place for repair and restore dilapidated infrastructure There are no proper registers for UIF&W which led to the non-implementation of section 32 processes The municipality approved an unfunded budget which resulted in increase in unauthorised expenditure and subsequent non-completion of	

	Portfolio Chairperson on the Audit Report That MPAC incorporates monitoring of PAAP implementation into the Annual Work Plan	
	That MPAC make follow-ups in relation to the Material Irregularity report and ensure that in addresses issues raised by the Auditor General	
	 That MPAC interrogate the 2023/2024 annual report with the audit report for findings and questions for management responses 	
9.	Announcements	AII
	a) That transport has been arranged for members attending SALGA training in Mahikeng	
10.	Closure	All
	The meeting adjourned at 13h00	

CLLR-TO GAEALASHWE

MPAS CHAIRPERSON

TEBOGO MOTSOKOANE

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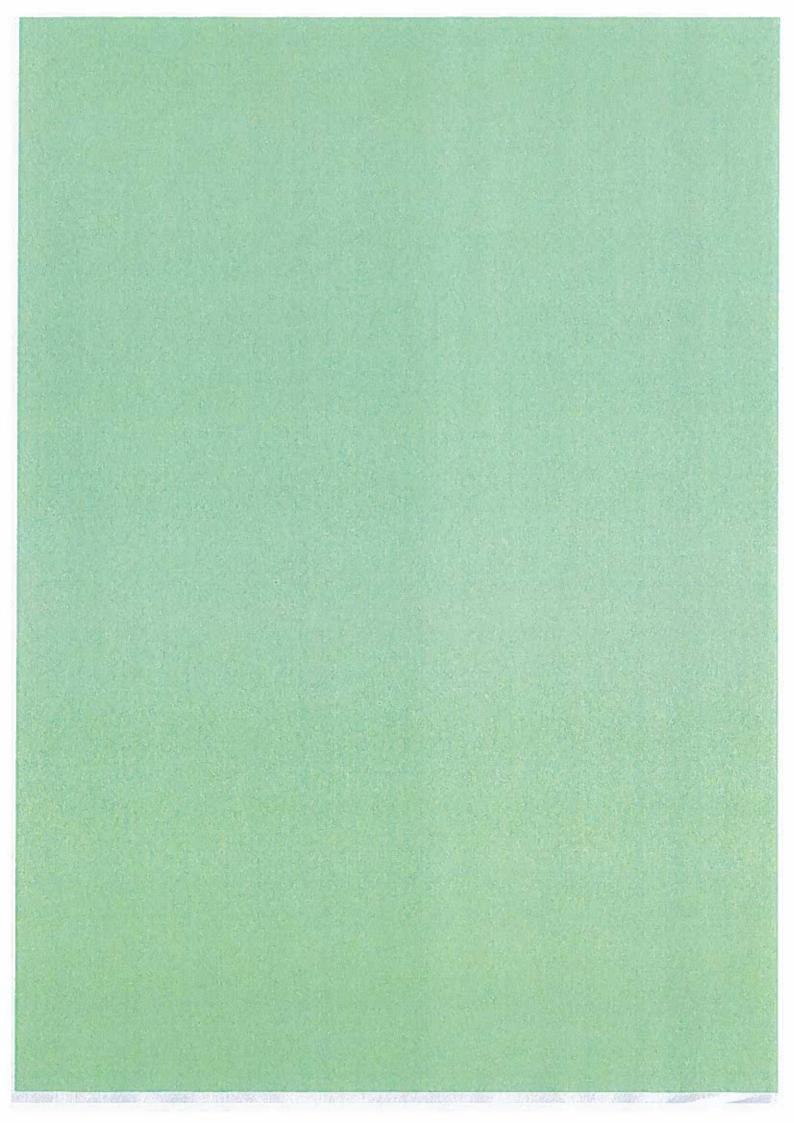


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RAMOTSHERE MOILOA L.M. MEETING OVER THE 2023/2024

PROGRAMME DIRECTOR : CLLR I.MALATSI

1. OPENING

: CLLR T. GARALASHWE

2. WELCOME

: CLLR N. THALE

: CLLR R. MOGOROSI

3 INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

: MRS THUTO RAMAKATSA

4. PURPOSE OF THE MEETING 5. PRESENTATION 2023/2024 ANNUAL REPORT

BY THE MUNICIPAL MANAGER MR L. MOKGATLHE

5.1 QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS BY COMMUNITY MEMBERS

5.2 RESPONSE BY MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION

6 . ANNOUNCEMENTS

: MR P. MOTHUSI

7. VOTE OF THANKS

: CLLR T.MOREBANTWA

8. CLOSURE

: SINGING OF THE NATIONAL ANTHEM

VENUE: ZEERUST TOWN HALL DATE: 13 MARCH 2025 TIME: 10H00.





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MINUTES FOR COMMUNITY CONSULTAIVE MEETING OVER THE 2023/2024 ANNUAL REPORT

VENUE: ZEERUST TOWN HALL

DATE: 13 MARCH 2025

TIME: 10H00

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	RESPONSIBLE PERSON
1.	Opening and welcome	The Programme Director Cllr I. Malatsi
	 The meeting was opened by Cllr Gaealashwe MPAC Chairperson Cllr N. Thale gave the welcoming address 	
2.	Introduction of guests	The Programme Director Cllr I. Malatsi
	Cllr Mogorosi introduced all councillors as well as officials present	
3.	Purpose of the meeting	Mrs Thoto Ramakatsa MPAC Unit Manager
	 Mrs Thuto Ramakatsa mpac Unit Manager outlined the purpose of the meeting as follows: 	
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	Oversight process plan over the 2023/2024 annual report of the municipality and it is mandated by legislation in terms of section 127 (2)(b) of the MFMA The milestones, achievements and challenges on performance regarding the implementation of the IDP related objectives and the budget.	
5.	Presentation of the 2023/2024 annual report	All
	The presentation of the report was done by Mr L.Mokgatlhe the Municipal Manager The following arose from the presentation Questions and comments by community members 1. What is the municipality doing to intervene in the situation of community members whose interests are being disregarded at Masebodule mine? 2. The municipality should insure that contractors are paid timeously as it affects the aligiability of subcontractors in terms of upgrading 3. The municipality was applauded for maintaining financial stability and filling of key positions 4. Municipality is not doing enough to assist disadvantaged youth with opportunities of self-empowerment hence the statistics on the report. The office of the Mayor made false promises of paying tertiary registration fees for qualifying learners	
	1. The Municipal Manager will engage with LED department and other relevant stakeholders on how to assist the situation	

	 The municipality does strive to ensure that all service providers are paid within 31 days of rendering the service and as per the service level agreement The applaud was noted with gratitude That was not a false promise department responsible for the bursaries did not honour their commitments and that was very unfortunate for the learners 	
6.	Announcements	The Programme Director Cllr I.Malatsi
	Mr P Mothusi rendered the item	
7.	Vote of thanks	
	 Cllr T.Morebantwa thanked MPAC committee for ensuring that community members are afforded an opportunity to engage management on the annual report Thank all present in the meeting 	
8.	Closure	All
	The meeting closed by singing of the national anthem led by Cllr T. Keebine	

NB: IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT MOST OF THE QUESTIONS POSED BY COMMUNITY WERE IDP RELATED AND WERE NOT CAPTURED ON THE MINUTES

CLLR TIP GAEALASHWE

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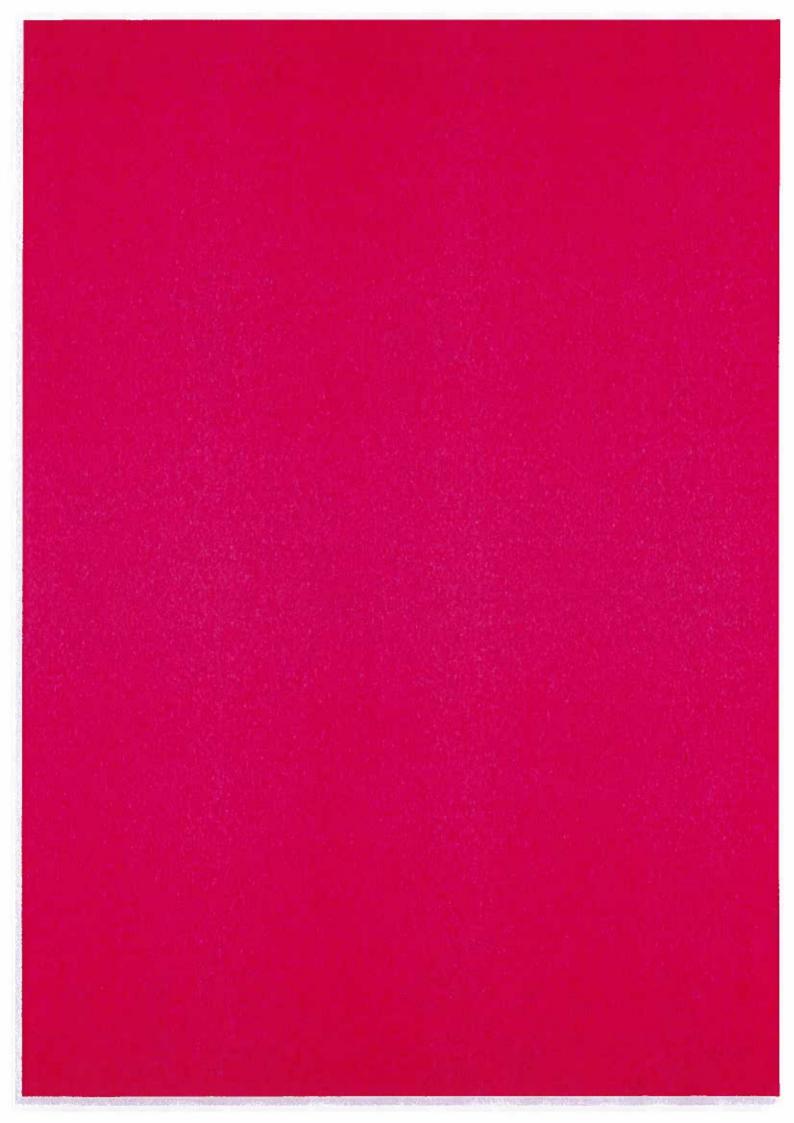
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COMMUNITY CONSULTATIVE MEETING OVER THE 2023/2024 ANNUAL REPORT BY THE MUNICIPAL PUBLIC ACCOUNT COMMITTEE

PROGRAMME DIRECTOR :CLLR I.MALATSI

1. OPENING : SONG AND A PRAYER

2. WELCOME : CLLR K. TSILE

3.INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS : CLLR P.R MOGOROSI

4. PURPOSE OF THE MEETING : MR P. MOTHUSI

5. PRESENTATION OF THE 2023/2024 ANNUAL REPORT

BY THE MUNICIPAL MANAGER MR T. LEPEDI

5.1 QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS BY COMMUNITY MEMBERS

5.2 RESPONSE BY MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION

6.ANNOUNCEMENTS : CLLR K.MOSIANE

7. VOTE OF THANKS : CLLR K. MOSIANE

8.CLOSURE : NATIONAL ANTHEM LED

BY CLLR KEEBING

VENUE: MOTSWEDI COMMUNITY HALL DATE: 17 MARCH 2025 TIME: 10H00.





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MUNICIPAL PUBLIC ACCOUNT COMMITTEE OFFICE

MINUTES FOR COMMUNITY CONSULTAIVE MEETING OVER THE 2023/2024 ANNUAL REPORT

VENUE: MOTSWEDI COMMUNITY HALL

DATE: 17 MARCH 2025

TIME: 10H00

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	RESPONSIBLE PERSON
1.	Opening and welcome	The Programme Director Cllr I. Malatsi
	 The meeting opened with singing by community members and a prayer by Pastor Mongae Cllr K. Tsile welcomed all present A moment of silence was suggested for the passing of Mmakgosi Ntshebo Rosemary Mangope 	
2.	Introduction of guests	The Programme Director Cllr I. Malatsi
	Cllr Mogorosi who is a member of MPAC was tasked to introduce guests to community members	
3.	Purpose of the meeting	Mr P. Mothusi MPAC Researcher

	 Mr Mothusi MPAC Researcher outlined the purpose of the meeting as follows: 	
	That public participation over the annual report is part of the accountability circle of the municipality where administration gives community full and proper account for the activities that the municipality embarked on particularly on issues of service delivery	
	That the meeting is a legislative mandate prescribed in section 127 (2)(b) of the MFMA	
	The milestones, achievements and challenges on performance regarding the implementation of the IDP related objectives and the budget.	
	That MPAC committee of to discharge its function of providing during the annual report community consultative meetings	
5.	Presentation of the 2023/2024 annual report	All
	The presentation of the report was done by Mr T Lepedi Director for Technical Services and the following arose from the presentation	
	a) Questions and comments by community members	
	 Community member from ward 09 highlighted the following short comings of the Gopane bridge and storm water project The bridge does not have trenches 	
	 There is a need for concrete reinforcement for storm water control There was no community engagement as to needs of the project 	

- No feasibility study was done as Motswedi is a small village to have four high mass light two was enough
- 3. Information that can assist the youth in terms of empowerment does not reach wards that are not near Zeerust town
- 4. Will the community be afforded an opportunity to engage with MPAC findings and recommendations on the annual report?
- 5. Was the auditor responsible for the Ramotshere an independent auditor or was the audit done internally
- A community member from ward 2 applauded the municipality for not regressing in terms of the audit outcomes

b) Responses by management

- 1. All stakeholders were consulted from the inception of the project hence there are project steering Committee members and the CLO who are members of the community. The PMU will do the necessary follow-up concerning the project as the challenges have been highlighted in numerous occasions
- 2. The project was in line with all IDP processes.
- 3. Councillors and ward committee are mostly responsible for relaying important information to community members and also information can be sourced from social media platforms as and when it is available
- 4. The Oversight Report on the 2023/2024 annual report will be tabled on the 31 March 2025 and community members will be invited to be part of that council sitting
- 5. The audit of the municipality was done AGSA which is an independent body and is a chapter 9 institution
- 6. There is a lot that needs to be done as the ultimate goal is to achieve clean audit

6.	Announcements and vote of thanks	The Programme Director Cllr I.Malatsi
	Both items were combined and was rendered by Cllr K. Mosiane	
8.	Closure	All
	The meeting closed by singing of the national anthem led by Cllr T. Keebine	926

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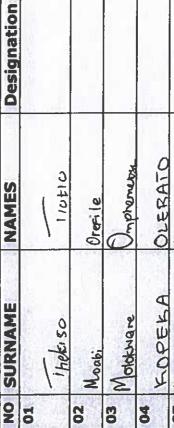
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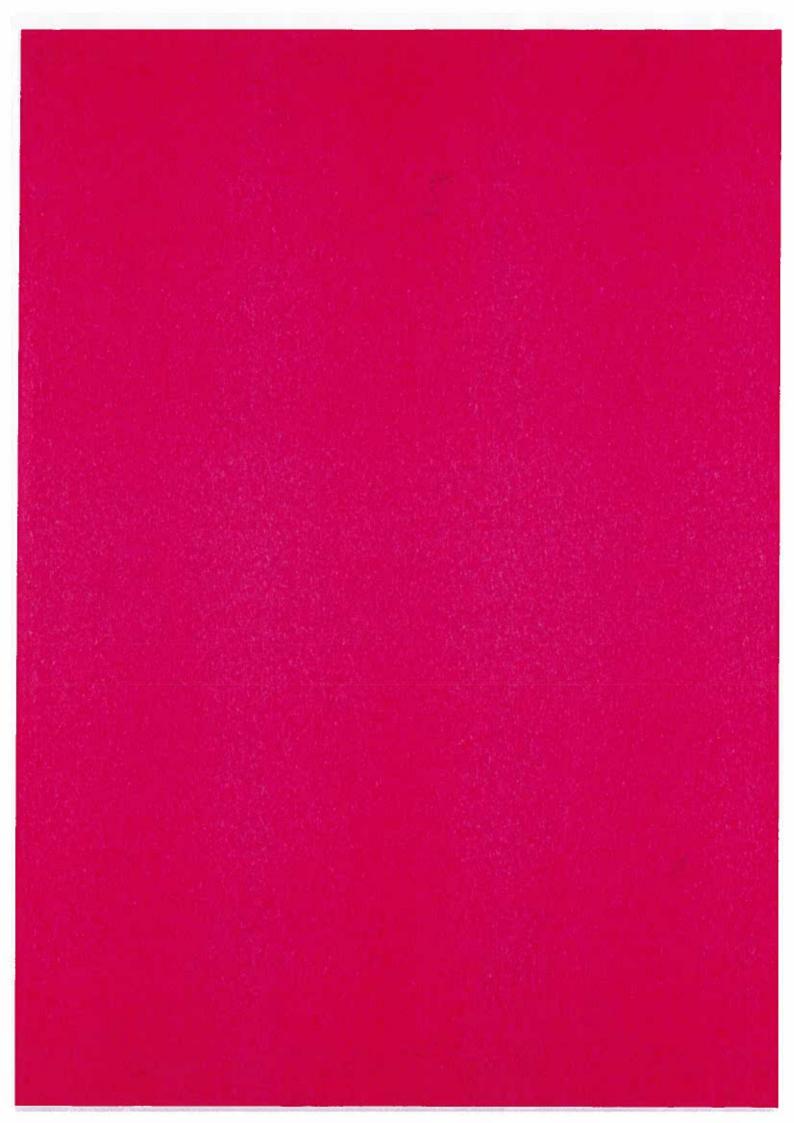


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1. OPENING

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: CLLR TLHAME AND TRIBAL AUTHORITY

3. INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

: CLLR R. MOGOROSI

4. PURPOSE OF THE MEETING

: MR P. MOTHUSI

5.PRESENTATION 2023/2024 ANNUAL REPORT

BY THE MANAGER FOR MPS MRS P.MODISADIFE

5.1 QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS BY COMMUNITY MEMBERS

5.2 RESPONSE BY MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION

6. ANNOUNCEMENTS

: MR P. MOTHUSI

7. VOTE OF TEANKS

: CLLR T. GAEALASHWE

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8.CLOSURE

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VENUE: KHUNOTSWANE COMMUNITY HALL DATE: 19 MARCH 2025 TIME: 10HOO.





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MUNICIPAL PUBLIC ACCOUNT COMMITTEE OFFICE

MINUTES FOR COMMUNITY CONSULTAIVE MEETING OVER THE 2023/2024 ANNUAL REPORT

VENUE: KHUNOTSWANE COMMUNITY HALL

DATE: 19 MARCH 2025

TIME: 10H00

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	RESPONSIBLE PERSON
1.	Opening and welcome	The Programme Director Cllr I. Malatsi
	 The meeting was opened by Cllr Gaealashwe MPAC Chairperson Cllr Tlhame as well as the Tribal Authority of Khunotswane welcomed all members of the community to the meeting 	
2.	Introduction of guests	The Programme Director Cllr I. Malatsi
	Cllr Mogorosi who is a member of MPAC was tasked to introduce guests to community members	
3.	Purpose of the meeting	Mr P. Mothusi MPAC Researcher

Mr Mothusi MPAC Researcher outlined the purpose of the meeting as follows: That public participation over the annual report is part of the accountability circle of the municipality where administration gives community full and proper account for the activities that the municipality embarked on particularly on issues of service delivery That the meeting is legislated and is mandate prescribed in section 127 (2)(b) of the MFMA The milestones, achievements and challenges on performance regarding the implementation of the IDP related objectives and the budget. That MPAC committee of to discharge its function of providing during the annual report community consultative meetings All 5. Presentation of the 2023/2024 annual report The presentation of the report was done by Mrs Phenyo Modisadife Manager PMU The following arose from the presentation a) Questions and comments by community members 1. Who is responsible for maintenance of high mass lights? 2. Only few wards benefitted from the budget allocated for the 2023/2024 financial year 3. There is no value for money in relation to the Gopane Bridge and storm water project as it does not serve the IDP intended purpose of improving the living standard of community members

Mr P Mothusi rendered the item	Cllr I.Malatsi
site was a waste of public funds as waste is still flowing to the streets and the wall is not of good quality 5. The statistics on unemployed youth is very sad and what is the municipality doing to address that? 6. Kindly explain the variance of the MIG actual budget and the expenditure and what happened to the money that was not used? 7. The upgrading of Dinokana road ward 11 is not complete but the contractor has already left the site b) Responses by management/administration 1. The municipality is solely responsible for maintaining high mass lights but will do better is terms of monitoring 2. Council resolved that all wards should benefit in one way or another in the duration of the current council term. 3. The municipality terminated the contractor for the project and another one will be contracted to address the challenges of the project 4. The matter will be looked into 5. Municipal programme such as EPWP and internships are aimed to address the challenge of youth unemployment 6. The variance as due to the Budgeting process of the Department that affected the initial MIG grant allocation intended for the municipality 7. The contractor abounded the site due to the vandalism of the site by community members, however the project is still on-going	The Programme Director

	MPAC Chairperson Cllr Gaealashwe thanked community members, The Khonotswane tribal authority, Councillors, administration and other stakeholders for their participation in the programme	
8.	Closure	All
0	The meeting closed by singing of the national anthem led by Cllr T. Keebine	

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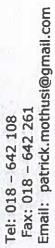
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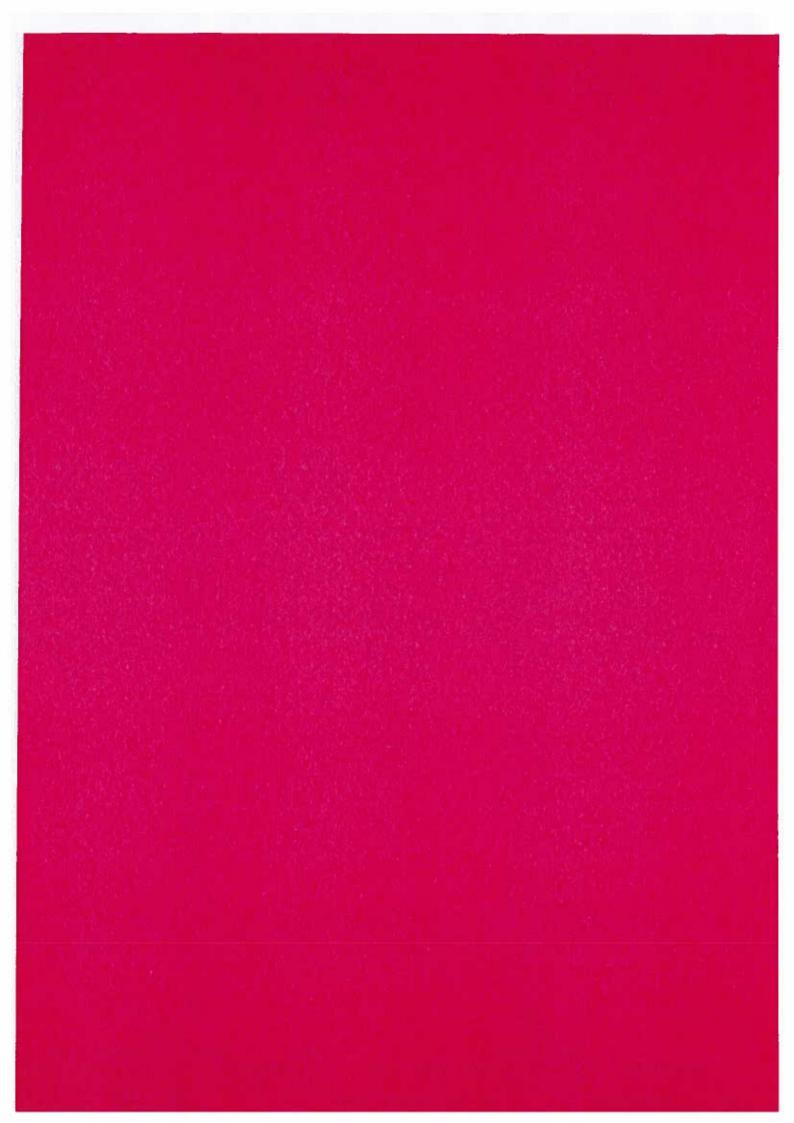




MUNICIPAL PUBLIC ACCOUNT COMMITTEE

Date	19 MARCH 2025
Venue	Khunotswane Tribal Authority (Kgotla)
Description	Description Public Participation on 2023/2024 Financial year Annual Report

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PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE



NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE MUNICIPAL PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE WILL BE HAVING AN ORDINARY COMMITTEE MEETING ON THE 28 MARCH 2025 AT COUNCIL CHAMBER AT 09H00 AM

AGENDA

A. PROCEDURAL MATTERS:

- 1. OPENING AND WELCOME
- 2. APPLICATION FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE/APOLOGIES
- 3. INTRODUCTIONS

B. PURPOSE OF THE MEETING

- 4. PRESENTATION OF MANAGEMENT RESPONSES TO MPAC QUESTIONS ON THE 2023/2024 ANNUAL REPORT
- 5. APPROVAL OF THE DRAFT 2023/2024 OVERSIGHT REPORT
- 6. RESOLUTIONS FROM THE ENGAGEMENT

D. ANNOUNCEMENTS

E. CLOSURE

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MPAC CHAIRPERSON DATE: 25/03/2025





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MUNICIPAL PUBLIC ACCOUNT COMMITTEE OFFICE

MINUTES OF MPAC MEETING WITH MANAGEMENT

PURPOSE: TO RESPONDE TO MPAC QUESTIONS ON THE 2023/2024 ANNUAL REPORT

VENUE: COUNCIL SUPPORT BOARDROOM

DATE: 28 MARCH 2025

TIME: 11H00

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	RESPONSIBLE PERSON
1.	Opening and welcome	Cllr Gaealashwe MPAC chairperson
	 The meeting was opened with a prayer by Clir Malatsi The chairperson welcomed members present in the meeting 	
2.	Proposal of condolences/congratulation by the chairperson	Cllr Gaealashwe MPAC chairperson
	• None	
3.	Proposal of condolences/congratulation by the chairperson	All
	• None	
4.	Application for leave of absence	MPAC Administrator Tebogo Motsokoane

	Clir Mosiane	
	Cllr Keebine	
5.	Introductions	All
	All members present introduced themselves	
6.	Presentation of responses to MPAC questions on the 2023/2024 Annual Report	All
	The Municipal Manager requested MPAC to allow for individual department to respond to questions relating to their respective directorate	
	a) After the responses by management it was resolved that the Municipal Manager will ensure that a signed and consolidated response will be submitted to the MPAC Manager before end business which is the 28 th March 2025	
7.	Adoption of the Draft 2023/2024 Oversight Report	Ali
	The committee approved the 2023/2024 oversight process with the following recommendations:	
	a) That the approved without reservations provided management submit the	
	responds as promised b) That all challenges in the implementation of the oversight process plan be highlighted in the report	
	c) That the office ensure that there will be provisions for community members to access the council meeting that will be held on Monday 31/03/2025 to table the oversight report	

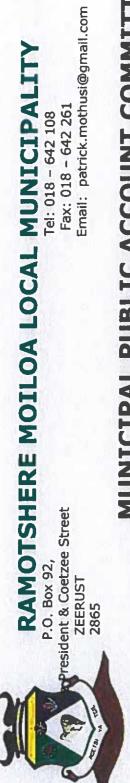
9.	Announcements	All
	 a) That members who anticipate to have network challenges to log on to the meeting on Monday to come to the municipality b) That the link for the meeting will be availed as soon as possible 	
10.	Closure	All
	The meeting adjourned at 12h45	

CLLR T.P GAEALASHWE

MPAC CHAIRPERSON

TEBOGO MOTSOKOANE

MPAC ADMINISTRATOR





MUNICIPAL PUBLIC ACCOUNT COMMITTEE

Venue Council Chamber Description Engagement meeting with Management on MPAC Questions on the 2023/2024 Financial year Annual Report	Date	28 MARCH 2025
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ANNEXTURE E



10.SITE INSPECTIONS FOR 2023/2024 MIG PROJECTS

1. BACKGROUND

The visit was conducted as part of the oversight process over the 2022/2023 Annual Report as per section 127 (5) (a) of the Municipal Finance Management Act.

2. LEGISLATIVE FRAMEWORK

- 2.1. The Municipal Finance Management Act 56 of 2003 and Regulations
- 2.2. Guidelines for the Establishment of MPACs MPAC toolkit guide
- 2.3. Guidelines for legislative Oversight through Annual Reports

3. SCOPE OF THE INVESTIGATION

MPAC undertook the investigation with the intent of verifying the following:

- 1. The existence of the project
- 2. Whether the project benefit the community
- 3. Whether the municipality did receive value for money in terms of the quality of the project

NB: The report on sites inspections conducted is attached as **ANNEXTURE E**

2023/2024 MIG FUNDED PROJECTS

The MIG is intended to ensure that households have access to a basic level of infrastructure services. MIG is a conditional grant whose primary The national government subsidises infrastructure development at the local government level through the Municipal Infrastructure Grant (MIG). purpose is to unblock the backlogs of delivery of basic infrastructure services to previously disadvantaged communities.

MPAC conducted site visits of the following projects which were implemented or completed during the 2023-2024 financial year. The primary purpose of the inspection was to verify the existence of the projects and to ascertain the status of the projects.

Project Value		R8 909 305.85
Contractor & consultant		Moredi Trading and Projects Consultant: Godimong Consulting Engineers
Project Completio n	Within Budge (Yes/N	se /
10000	With Ime (Yes	S A
Included in the SDBIP	(Xes/No)	Yes
Included in the Budget	(Yes/No)	Yes
Included in the IDP	(Yes/No)	Xex
Location		Dinokana Village:
Project Image		
Ward Type of Project		Internal Road: The project comprises of the construction of Internal Road and storm water in Dinokana Village. the project entails surfacing of a gravel road using paving block 60mm and installation of the kerbs. The width of the road is 6m
Ward		-

The project is completed with an amount of R 4 000 000.00	The project is competed with an amout of R 2 000 000.00
Moilalehlaka Investment	yes Khumovu si Trading and Projects
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Zeerust Town:	Motswedi Village
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MPAC Findings

MPAC managed to visit the 03 projects out of 13 projects.

- 1. The Project Management Unit (PMU) deliberately did not accompany MPAC to the sites whereas they were informed in time.
- 2. The Dinokana ward 11&12 internal road was constructed using the paving bricks.
 - During the visit we discovered that there were no road signs at ward 11 whereas there
 are road signs at ward 12.
 - · No Signage on the projects.
 - •
- 3. The High Mast Lights has been installed at Motswedi Village.
 - . Out of 04 High mast Lights on 03 is energized.
 - . lights globes were supposed to be 250 Voltage Wattage and the municipality installed 200 Voltage Wattage
 - . Out 04-meter box 01 is locked and the remaining 03 is not for security's sake. The meter box was not locked
- 4. Fencing of the Zeerust landfill Site ward 16
 - . There are cracks on the wall that shows that their wall was not properly contracted.
 - . There is no allowance of the water to flows, and that will result affecting the wall to fall.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Action Recommended	Person Responsible	Time-frame
That the management should monitor and inspect the projects at an early stage to see that whether suitable, competent and independent engineer(s), consultants, contractors know their work well.	The Accounting Officer	On-going
That the Management should adhere that suitable, competent and subcontractor(s) had submitted their profile before they can be appointed to do their construction.	The Accounting Officer	On-going
Management must put stringent measures in place to ensure that service providers are appointed for MIG projects after following the applicable prescripts without any deviation	The Accounting Officer	On-going
That the PMU must put their "house in order	The Accounting Officer	On-going

