

# PERFORMANCE AGREEMENT

MADE AND ENTERED into by and between

# CAPE WINELANDS DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY

AS REPRESENTED BY THE EXECUTIVE MAYOR

# **CORNELIUS ALWYN DE BRUYN**

(HEREIN REFFERED TO AS THE "EMPLOYER")

AND

MICHAEL MGAJO

MUNICIPAL MANAGER

(Identity Number: 63022 65462 089)

(HEREIN REFFERED TO AS THE "EMPLOYEE")

2/PREAMBLE

### **PREAMBLE**

WHEREAS the Employer has entered into a Contract of Employment with the Employee in terms of section 57(1)(a) of the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act, 2000 (Act No. 32 of 2000);

AND WHEREAS section 57(1)(b) of the Act, read with the Contract of Employment concluded between the Parties, requires them to conclude an annual Performance Agreement:

AND WHEREAS the Parties wish to ensure that there is compliance with sections 57(4)(a), 57(4)(c), 57(4A) and 57(5) of the Act, that they are clear about the goals to be achieved and secure the commitment of the Employee to a set of outcomes that will secure local government policy goals;

### NOW THEREFORE THE PARTIES AGREE AS FOLLOWS:

### 1. **DEFINITIONS**

- 1.1 "the Act" shall mean the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act, 2000 (Act No. 32 of 2000);
- 1.2 "the Parties" shall mean the Employer and the Employee;
- 1.3 "KPA or KPA's" shall mean key performance area(s);
- 1.4 "KPI or KPI's" shall mean key performance indicator(s);
- 1.5 "competency framework" shall mean leading and core competencies as contained in regulation 3 of Annexure "A" of the Local Government: Regulations on Appointment and Conditions of Employment of Senior Managers;

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- 1.6 "PA" shall mean this Performance Agreement;
- 1.7 "PP" shall mean the Performance Plan attached as **Annexure "A"** to this Agreement, which shall be regarded as having been incorporated into the Agreement by reference;
- 1.8 "PDP" shall mean the Personal Development Plan attached as Annexure "B" to this Agreement, which shall be regarded as having been incorporated into the Agreement by reference; and
- 1.9 "Regulations" shall mean the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act, 2000 (Act No. 32 of 2000): Local Government: Regulations on Appointment and Conditions of Employment of Senior Managers, 2014.

### 2. PURPOSE OF AGREEMENT

The purpose of this Agreement is to –

- comply with the provisions of section 57(1)(b), 57(4)(a), 57(4)(c), 57(4A) and 57(5) of the Act as well as the Contract of Employment entered into between the Parties;
- 2.2 specify objectives and targets defined and agreed with the Employee and to communicate to the Employee the Employer's expectations of the Employee's performance and accountabilities in alignment with the Integrated Development Plan, Service Delivery and Budget Implementation Plan and the Budget of the Municipality;
- 2.3 specify accountabilities as set out in the PP, which forms **Arinexure "A"** to this Agreement;
- 2.4 monitor and measure performance against set targeted outputs;

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- 2.5 use the Agreement as the basis for assessing whether the Employee has met the performance expectations applicable to his/her job;
- 2.6 in the event of outstanding performance, to appropriately reward the Employee; and
- 2.7 give effect to the Employer's commitment to a performance-orientated relationship with its Employee in attaining equitable and improved service delivery.

### 3. COMMENCEMENT AND DURATION

- 3.1 This Agreement will commence on the 01 July 2016 and will remain in force until 30 June 2017, where after a new PA, PP and PDP shall be concluded between the Parties for the next financial year or any portion thereof.
- 3.2 The Parties shall review the provisions of this Agreement during June each уеаг.
- 3.3 The Parties will conclude a new PA, PP and/or PDP that replaces this Agreement at least once a year by not later than the beginning of each successive financial year.
- 3.4 This Agreement will terminate on the termination of the Employee's Contract of Employment for any reason.
- 3.5 The content of this Agreement may be revised at any time during the period specified in clause 3.1 above, to determine the applicability of the matters agreed upon.

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3.6 If at any time during the validity of this Agreement the work environment alters (whether as a result of Government or Council decisions or otherwise) to the extent that the contents of this Agreement are no longer appropriate, the contents shall immediately be revised.

# 4. PERFORMANCE OBJECTIVES

- 4.1 The PP sets out -
- 4.1.1 The performance objectives and targets that must be met by the Employee; and
- 4.1.2 The time frames within which those performance objectives and targets must be met.
- The performance objectives and targets reflected in the PP are set by the Employer in consultation with the Employee and based on the Integrated Development Plan, Service Delivery and Budget Implementation Plan and the Budget of the Employer, and shall include key objectives, key performance indicators, target dates and weightings.
- 4.2.1 The key objectives describe the main tasks that need to be performed or executed.
- 4.2.2 The KPI's and means of verification provide the details of the evidence that must be provided to show that a key objective has been achieved.
- 4.2.3 The target dates describe the timeframe within which the work must be achieved.

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- 4.2.4 The weightings show the relative importance of the key objectives to each other.
- 4.3 The Employee's performance will, in addition, be measured in terms of contributions to the goals and strategies set out in the Employer's Integrated Development Plan.

### 5. PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

- 5.1 The Employee agrees to participate in the performance management system of the Municipality, management and staff of the Employer.
- 5.2 The Employee accepts that the purpose of the performance management system will be to provide a comprehensive system with specific performance standards to assist the Municipality, management and staff to perform to the standards required.
- 5.3 The Employer shall consult the Employee about the specific performance standards that will be included in the performance management system as applicable to the Employee.
- The Employee undertakes to actively focus towards the promotion and implementation of the KPA's (including special projects relevant to the Employee's responsibilities) within the local government framework.
- 5.5 The criteria upon which the performance of the Employee shall be assessed, shall consist of two components, both of which shall be contained in the Agreement.
- 5.5.1 The Employee must be assessed against both components, with a weighting of 80:20 allocated to the KPA's and the competency framework respectively.

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- 5.5.2 Each area of assessment will be weighted and will contribute a specific part to the total score.
- 5.5.3 KPA's covering the main areas of work will account for 80% (eighty percent) and competency framework will account for 20% (twenty percent) of the final assessment.
- The Employee's assessment will be based on his/her performance in terms of the outputs/outcomes (KPI's) identified in the Performance Plan, which are linked to the KPA's, and will constitute 80% (eighty percent) of the overall assessment result as per the weightings agreed to between the Employer and Employee:

Key Performance Areas	Weighting
Municipal Institutional Development and Transformation	
Basic Service Delivery	
Local Economic Development (LED) – Covered under Basic Services	80%
Municipal Financial Viability and Management	
Good Governance and Public Participation	

- 5.7 The KPA's related to the functional area of the Employee shall be subject to negotiation between the municipal manager and the Employee.
- 5.8 The competency framework will make up the other 20% (twenty percent) of the Employee's assessment score.
- 5.9 Compulsory competencies are listed as follows:

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# COMPETENCIES

The competencies required from employees prescribed in the Regulations on the appointment and conditions of employment of senior managers, R21 of 2014. The assessment of these competencies will account for **twenty percent** of the total employee assessment score.

Annexure C describes the different achievement levels for each Competency and should therefore form part of this section of the Performance Plan.

Competency	Definition	Weight
	LEADING COMPETENCIES	
	Provide and direct a vision for the institution, and inspire and deploy others to deliver on the strategic institutional mandate. It includes:	
:	Impact and influence	ļ
Strategic direction and leadership	Institutional performance management	1.6/
	Strategic planning and management	
	Organisational awareness	
	Effectively manage, inspire and encourage people, respect diversity, optimise talent and build and nurture relationships in order to achieve institutional objectives. It includes:	
	Human capital planning and development	Ĭ,
People management	Diversity management	1.6/
	Employee relations management	
	Negotiation and dispute management	
	Able to understand program and project management methodology; plan, manage, monitor and evaluate specific activities in order to deliver on set objectives. It includes:	
Programme and project management	Program and project planning and implementation	1.67
	Service delivery management	
	<ul> <li>Program and project monitoring and evaluation</li> </ul>	
	Able to compile, plan and manage budgets, control cash flow, institute financial risk management and administer procurement processes in accordance with recognised financial practices. Further to ensure that all financial transactions are managed in an ethical manner. It includes:	
Financial management	Budget planning and execution	1.67
	Financial strategy and delivery	
	Financial reporting and delivery	

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Competency	Definition	Wetght
	LEADING COMPETENCIES (continue)	
Change leadership	Able to direct and initiate transformation on all levels in order to successfully drive and implement new initiatives and deliver professional and quality services to the community. It includes:  • Change vision and strategy	1.67
	Process design and improvement     Change impact monitoring and evaluation	
	Able to promote, direct and apply professionalism in managing risk and compliance requirements and apply a thorough understanding of governance practices and obligations. Further, able to direct the conceptualisation of relevant policies and enhance cooperative governance relationships. It includes:	
Governance leadership	Policy formulation	1.67
	Kisk and compliance management     Cooperalive governance	
	CORE COMPETENCIES	
Moral competence	Able to identify moral triggers, apply reasoning that promotes honesty and integrity and display behaviour that reflects moral competence.	1.67
Planning and organising	Able to plan, prioritise and organise information and resources effectively to ensure the quality of service delivery and build efficient contingency plans to manage risk.	1.67
Analysis and innovation	Able to critically analyse information, challenges and trends to establish and implement fact-based solutions that are innovative to improve institutional processes in order to achieve key strategic objectives.	1.67
Knowledge and information management	Able to promote the generation and sharing of knowledge and information through various processes and media, in order to enhance the collective knowledge base of local government	1.67
Communication	Able to share information, knowledge and ideas in a clear, focused and concise manner appropriate for the audience in order to effectively convey, persuade and influence stakeholders to achieve the desired outcome.	1.67
Results and quality focus	Able to maintain high quality standards, focus on achieving results and objectives while consistency striving to exceed expectations and encourage others to meet quality standards. Further, to actively monitor and measure results and quality against identified objectives.	1.67
	TOTAL	20 %

10/6. EVALUATING

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### 6. **EVALUATING PERFORMANCE**

- 6.1 The PP attached as Annexure "A" to this Agreement, sets out -
- 6.1.1 standards and procedures for evaluating the Employee's performance; and
- 6.1.2 The intervals for the evaluation of the Employee's performance.
- 6.2 Despite the establishment of agreed intervals for evaluation, the Employer may in addition review the Employee's performance at any stage while the Contract of Employment remains in force.
- 6.3 Personal growth and development needs identified during performance review discussion shall be documented in a PDP as well as the actions agreed to and implementation must take place within set time frames.
- 6.4 The Employee's performance shall be measured in terms of contributions to the goals and strategies set out in the Employer's Integrated Development Plan.
- 6.5 The annual performance appraisal shall involve:

### Assessment of the achievement of results as outlined in the PP 6.5.1

Each KPA shall be assessed according to the extent to which the specified (a) standards or KPI's have been met and with due regard to ad hoc tasks that had to be performed under the KPA's.

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- (b) An indicative rating on the 5 (five) point scale should be provided for each KPA.
- (c) The applicable assessment rating calculator (refer to clause 6.5.3 below) must be used to add the scores and calculate a final KPA score.

# 6.5.2 Assessment of the Competency Framework

- (a) Each competency should be assessed according to the extent to which the specified standards have been met.
- (b) An indicative rating on the 5 (five) point scale shall be provided for each competency.
- (c) This rating shall be multiplied by the weighting given to each competency during the contracting process to provide a score.
- (d) The applicable assessment rating calculator (refer to clause 6.5.1) shall be used to add the scores and calculate a final competency framework score.

# 6.5.3 Overall rating

An overall rating is calculated by using the applicable assessment-rating calculator, which shall represent the outcome of the performance appraisal.

(a) The assessment of the performance of the Employee will be based on the following rating scale for KPA's and the competency framework:

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Level	Terminology	Description	Rating						
Level	Terminology	Description	1	2	3	4	5		
5	Outstanding performance	Performance far exceeds the standard expected of an employee at this level. The appraisal indicates that the Employee has achieved above fully effective results against all performance criteria and indicators as specified in the PA and PDP and maintained this in all areas of responsibility throughout the year.							
4	Performance significantly above expectations	Performance is significantly higher than the standard expected in the job. The appraisal indicates that the Employee has achieved above fully effective results against more that half of the performance criteria and indicators and fully achieved all others throughout the year.							
3	Fully effective	Performance fully meets the standards expected in all areas of the job. The appraisal indicates that the Employee has fully achieved effective results against all significant performance criteria and indicators as specified in the PA and PDP.							
2	Not fully effective	Performance is below the standard required for the job in key areas. Performance meets some of the standards expected for the job. The review/assessment indicates that the Employee has achieved below fully effective results against more than half the key performance criteria and indicators as specified in the PA and PDP.							
1	Unacceptable performance	Performance does not meet the standard expected for the job. The review/assessment indicates that the Employee has achieved below fully effective results against almost all of the performance criteria and indicators as specified in the PA and PDP. The Employee has failed to demonstrate the commitment or ability to bring performance up to the level expected in the job, despite management efforts to encourage improvements.							

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- (b) For purposes of evaluating the annual performance of the Employee, an evaluation panel constituted of the following persons must be established -
- (i) Executive Mayor;
- (ii) Chairperson of the Performance Audit Committee or the Chairperson or designated performance management specialist of the Audit Committee in the absence of a Performance Audit Committee;
- (iii) Member of the Mayoral Committee; and
- (iv) Municipal Manager from another Municipality.
- (c) The manager responsible for human resources of the municipality must provide secretariat services to the evaluation panel referred to in subclause 6.5.3(b).

# 7. SCHEDULE FOR PERFORMANCE REVIEWS

7.1 The performance of the Employee in relation to his/her PA shall be reviewed on the following dates, with the understanding that the 3<sup>rd</sup> (third) quarter review may be verbal if performance is satisfactory:

First quarter: July – September Before end October 2016
Second quarter: November – December Before end January 2017
Third quarter: January – March Before end April 2017
Fourth quarter: April – June Before end July 2017

7.2 The Employer shall keep a record of the mid-year review and annual assessment meetings.

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- 7.3 Performance feedback shall be based on the Employer's assessment of the Employee's performance.
- 7.4 The Employer shall be entitled to review and make reasonable changes to the provisions of the PP from time to time for operational reasons, subject thereto that the Employee shall be fully consulted before any such change is made.
- 7.5 The Employer may amend the provisions of the PP whenever a performance management system is adopted, implemented and/or amended by the Municipality, as the case may be, subject thereto that the Employee will be fully consulted before any such change is made.

### 8. DEVELOPMENTAL REQUIREMENTS

The Personal Development Plan for addressing developmental gaps, is attached as **Annexure "B"** and shall form part of this Agreement.

# 9. OBLIGATIONS OF THE EMPLOYER

- 9.1 The Employer shall -
- 9.1.1 create an enabling environment to facilitate effective performance by the Employee;
- 9.1.2 provide access to skills development and capacity building opportunities;
- 9.1.3 work collaboratively with the Employee to solve problems and generate solutions to common problems that may impact on the performance of the Employee;

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- on the request of the Employee, delegate such powers reasonably 9.1.4 required by the Employee to enable him/her to meet the performance objectives and targets established in terms of this Agreement; and
- make available to the Employee such resources as the Employee may 9.1.5 reasonably require from time to time to assist him/her to meet the performance objectives and targets established in terms of this Agreement.

### 10. CONSULTATION

- The Employer agrees to consult the Employee timeously where the 10.1 exercising of the powers will have, amongst others -
- 10.1.1 a direct effect on the performance of any of the Employee's functions;
- 10.1.2 commit the Employee to implement or to give effect to (a) decision(s) taken by the Employer; and
- 10.1.3 a substantial financial effect on the Employer.
- 10.2 The Employer agrees to inform the Employee of the outcome of any decisions taken pursuant to the exercise of powers contemplated in clause 10.1 as soon as is practicable to enable the Employee to take any necessary action without delay.

### 11. MANAGEMENT OF EVALUATION OUTCOMES

In the case of unacceptable performance, the Employer shall -

Provide systematic remedial or developmental support to assist the 11.1 Employee to improve his/her performance; and

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11.2 After appropriate performance counselling and having provided the necessary guidance and/or support as well as reasonable time for improvement in performance, and performance does not improve, the Employer may consider steps to terminate the contract of employment of the Employee on grounds of unfitness or incapacity to carry out his/ her duties.

### 12. DISPUTE RESOLUTION

### 12.1 DISPUTES ON PERFORMANCE AGREEMENT

Any disputes about the nature of the Performance Agreement, whether it relates to key responsibilities, priorities, methods of assessment and/or any other matter provided for, shall be mediated by a member of the Municipal Council: Provided that such member was not part of the evaluation panel provided for in sub-regulation 27(4)(d) of the regulations, within 30 (thirty) days of receipt of a formal dispute from the Employee, whose decision shall be final and binding on both Parties.

### 12.2 DISPUTES ON OUTCOME OF PERFORMANCE EVALUATION

Any disputes about the outcome of the Employee's performance evaluation must be mediated by a member of the Municipal Council: Provided that such member was not part of the evaluation panel provided for in sub-regulation 27(4)(d), within 30 (thirty) days of receipt of a formal dispute from the Employee, whose decision shall be final and binding on both Parties.

# 13. GENERAL

13.1 The contents of this Agreement shall be made available to the public by the Employer.

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- Nothing in this Agreement diminishes the obligations, duties or accountabilities of the Employee in terms of his/her Contract of Employment, or the effects of existing or new regulations, circulars, policies, directives or other instruments.
- 13.3 The performance assessment results of the Employee shall be submitted to the Minister responsible for local government in the Province of the Western Cape as well as the National Minister for local government within 14 (fourteen) days after conclusion of the assessment.

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# **Competency Framework**

Cluster	Leading Competer	ncies			
Competency Nar					
	Drovide and direct	Provide and direct a vision for the institution, and inspire and deploy others			
Competency Defin		rategic institutional mandate	mopile and deploy outers		
		VEMENT LEVELS			
BASIC	COMPETENT	ADVANCED	SUPERIOR		
Understand     institutional and     departmental     strategic     objectives, but     lacks the ability     to inspire others     to achieve set     mandate     Describe how     specific tasks     link to     institutional     strategies but     has limited     influence in     directing     strategy     Has a basic     understanding of	COMPETENT  Give direction to a team in realising the institution's strategic mandate and set objectives  Has a positive impact and influence on the morale, engagement and participation of team members  Develop actions plans to execute and guide strategy implementation  Assist in defining performance measures to monitor the progress and effectiveness of the institution	ADVANCED     Evaluate all activities to determine value and alignment to strategic intent     Display in-depth knowledge and understanding of strategic planning     Align strategy and goals across all functional areas     Actively define performance measures to monitor the progress and effectiveness of the institution     Consistently challenge strategic plans to ensure relevance     Understand institutional structures and political	Structure and position the institution to local government priorities     Actively use in-depth knowledge and understanding to develop and implement a comprehensive institutional framework     Hold self accountable for strategy execution and results     Provide impact and influence through bullding and maintaining strategic relationships     Create an environment that facilitates loyalty and innovation Display		
institutional performance management, but lacks the ability to integrate systems into a collective whole Demonstrate a basic understanding of key decision- makers	Displays an awareness of institutional structures and political factors     Effectively communicate barriers to execution to relevant parties     Provide guidance to all stakeholders in the achievement of the strategic mandate     Understand the aim and objectives of the institution and relate it to own work	Empower others to follow strategic direction and deal with complex situations     Guide the institution through complex and ambiguous concern     Use understanding of power relationships and dynamic tensions among key players to frame communications and	a superior level of self- discipline and integrity in actions Integrate various systems into a collective whole to optimise institutional performance management Uses understanding of competing interests to manoeuvre successfully to a win/win outcome		

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Cluster	Leading Comp	etencies					
Competency N		People Management					
Competency Defi	inition Effectively ma optimise talent institutional ob	nage, inspire and encourage peo and build and nurture relationshi iectives	ple, respect diversity, os in order to achieve				
		VEMENT LEVELS					
BASIC	COMPETENT	ADVANCED	SUPERIOR				
Participate in team goal-setting and problem solving     Interact and collaborate with people of diverse backgrounds     Aware of guidelines for employee development, but requires support in implementing development initiatives	contribution responsibility Respect and sup the diverse nature others and be awar the benefits of a divi approach Effectively delet tasks and empo others to incre contribution execute funct optimally Apply relet employee legislat fairly and consistent Facilitate team g setting and probl solving	and work processes and recommend remedial interventions  • Recognise and reward effective and desired behaviour  • Provide mentoring and guidance to others in order to increase personal effectiveness  • Identify development and learning needs within the team  • Build a work environment conducive to sharing, innovation, ethical behaviour and professionalism  • inspire a culture of performance excellence by giving positive and constructive feedback to	Develop and incorporate best practice people management processes, approaches and tools across the institution     Foster a culture of discipline, responsibility and accountability     Understand the impact of diversity in performance and actively incorporate a diversity strategy in the institution     Develop comprehensive integrated strategies and approaches to human capital development and management     Actively identify trends and predict capacity requirements to facilitate unified transition and performance management				

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	deliver on set objective		
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BASIC	COMPETENT	ADVANCED	SUPERIOR
<ul> <li>Initiate projects</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Establish broad</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Manage multiple</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Understand and</li> </ul>
after approval from	stakeholder	programs and	conceptualise
higher authorities	involvement and	balance priorities	the long-term
Understand	communicate the	and conflicts	implications of
procedures of	project status and	according to	desired project
program and	key milestones	institutional goals	outcomes
project	Define the roles	Apply effective risk	, ,
management	and responsibilities	management	comprehensive
methodology,	of the project team	strategies through	strategic macro
implications and stakeholder	and create clarity	impact assessment	and micro
involvement	around	and resource	analysis and
Understand the	<ul><li>expectations</li><li>Find a balance</li></ul>	requirements  Modify project scope	scope projects accordingly to
rational of projects	<ul> <li>Find a balance between project</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Modify project scope and budget when</li> </ul>	realise
in relation to the	deadline and the	required without	institutional
institution's	quality of	compromising the	objectives
strategic objectives	deliverables	quality and	Consider and
Document and	<ul> <li>Identify appropriate</li> </ul>	objectives of the	initiate projects
communicate	project resources to	project	that focus on
factors and risk	facilitate the	<ul> <li>Involve top-level</li> </ul>	achievement of
associated with	effective	authorities and	the long-term
own work	completion of the	relevant	objectives
Use results and	deliverables	stakeholders in	1 1
approaches of	<ul> <li>Comply with</li> </ul>	seeking project buy-	in positions of
successful project	statutory	in	authority to
implementation as	requirements and	<ul> <li>Identify and apply</li> </ul>	implement
guide	apply policies in a	contemporary	outcomes of
	consistent manner	project management	projects
	<ul> <li>Monitor progress</li> </ul>	methodology	Lead and direct
	and use of	• Influence and	translation of
	resources and	motivate project	policy into
1	make needed	team to deliver	workable
[	adjustments to	exceptional results	actions plans
[	timelines, steps,	Monitor policy	<ul> <li>Ensures that</li> </ul>
]	and resource	implementation and	programs are
	allocation	apply procedures to	monitored to
		manage risks	track progress
			and optimal
			resource
			utilisation, and
			that adjustments
			are made as
			needed

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Cluster	Leading Competencie	Leading Competencies			
Competency Name	Financial Managemer	nt			
Competency Definition	institute financial ris processes in accorda to ensure that all fin manner	Able to complie, plan and manage budgets, control cash flow, institute financial risk management and administer procurement processes in accordance with recognised financial practices. Further to ensure that all financial transactions are managed in an ethical			
	ACHIEVEME	NT LEVELS			
BASIC	COMPETENT	ADVANCED	SUPERIOR		
<ul> <li>Understand basic financial concepts and methods as they relate to institutional processes and activities</li> <li>Display awareness into the various sources of financial data, reporting mechanisms, financial governance, processes and systems</li> <li>Understand the importance of financial accountability</li> <li>Understand the importance of asset control</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Exhibit knowledge of general financial concepts, planning, budgeting, and forecasting and how they interrelate</li> <li>Assess, identify and manage financial risks</li> <li>Assume a cost-saving approach to financial management</li> <li>Prepare financial reports based on specified formats</li> <li>Consider and understand the financial implications of decisions and suggestions</li> <li>Ensure that delegation and instructions as required by National Treasury guidelines are reviewed and updated</li> <li>Identify and implement proper monitoring and evaluation practices to ensure appropriate spending against budget</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Take active ownership of planning, budgeting, and forecast processes and provides credible answers to queries within own responsibility</li> <li>Prepare budgets that are aligned to the strategic objectives of the institution</li> <li>Address complex budgeting and financial management concerns</li> <li>Put systems and processes in place to enhance the quality and integrity of financial management practices</li> <li>Advise on policies and procedures regarding asset control</li> <li>Promote National Treasury's regulatory framework for Financial Management</li> </ul>	Develop planning tools to assist in evaluating and monitoring future expenditure trends     Set budget frameworks for the institution     Set strategic direction for the Institution on expenditure and other financial processes     Build and nurture partnerships to improve financial management and achieve financial savings     Actively identify and Implement new methods to improve asset control     Display professionalism in dealing with financial data and processes		

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Cluster	Leading Competencies				
Competency Name	Change Leadership				
Competency Definition	order to successfully	Able to direct and initiate institutional transformation on all levels in order to successfully drive and implement new initiatives and			
	deliver professional and	quality services to the co	mmunity		
	ACHIEVEMENT	LEVELS	The state of the s		
BASIC	COMPETENT	ADVANCED	SUPERIOR		
<ul> <li>Display an awareness of change interventions, and the benefits of transformation initiatives</li> <li>Able to identify basic needs for change</li> <li>Identify gaps between the current and desired state</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Perform an analysis of the change impact on the social, political and economic environment</li> <li>Maintain calm and focus during change</li> <li>Able to assist team members during change and keep</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Actively monitor change impact and results and convey progress to relevant stakeholders</li> <li>Secure buy-in and sponsorship for change initiatives</li> <li>Continuously evaluate change strategy and design</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sponsor change agents and create a network of change leaders who support the interventions</li> <li>Actively adapt current</li> </ul>		
and desired state Identify potential risk and challenges to transformation, including resistance to change factors Participate in change programs and piloting change interventions Understand the impact of change interventions on the institution within the broader scope of Llocal Ggovernment.	change and keep them focused on the deliverables  Volunteer to lead change efforts outside of own work team  Able to gain buy-in and approval for change from relevant stakeholders  Identify change readiness levels and assist in resolving resistance to change factors  Design change interventions that are aligned with the institution's strategic objectives and goals	strategy and design and introduce new approaches to enhance the institution's effectiveness  Bulld and nurture relationships with various stakeholders to establish strategic alliance in facilitating change  Take the lead in impactful change programs  Benchmark change interventions against best change practices  Understand the impact and psychology of change, and put remedial interventions in place to facilitate effective transformation  Take calculated risk and seek new ideas from best practice scenarios, and identify the potential for implementation	structures and processes to incorporate the change interventions • Mentor and guide team members on the effects of change, resistance factors and how to integrate		

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Cluster	Leading Compe	tencies			
Competency Nam	e Governance Lea	Governance Leadership			
BASIC	Able to promote, direct and apply professionalism in managing rist and compliance requirements and apply a thorough understanding of governance practices and obligations. Further, able to direct the conceptualisation of relevant policies and enhance cooperative governance relationships  ACHIEVEMENT LEVELS				
Display a basic awareness of risk, compliance and governance factors but require guidance and development in implementing such requirements  Understand the structure of cooperative government but requires guidance on fostering workable relationships between stakeholders  Provide input into policy formulation	Display a thorough understanding of governance and risk and compliance factors and implement plans to address these     Demonstrate understanding of the techniques and processes for optimising risk taking decisions within the institution     Actively drive policy formulation within the institution to ensure the achievement of objectives	<ul> <li>Able to link risk initiatives into key institutional objectives and drivers</li> <li>Identify, analyse and measure risk, create valid risk forecasts, and map risk profiles</li> <li>Apply risk control methodology and approaches to prevent and reduce risk that impede on the achievement of institutional objectives</li> <li>Demonstrate a thorough understanding of risk retention plans</li> <li>Identify and implement comprehensive risk management systems and processes</li> <li>Implement and monitor the formulation of policies, identify and analyse constraints and challenges with implementation and provide recommendations for improvement</li> </ul>	Demonstrate a high level of commitment in complying with governance requirements Implement governance and compliance strategy to ensure achievement of institutional objectives within the legislative framework Able to advise Local Government on risk management strategles, best practice interventions and compliance management Able to forge positive relationships on cooperative governance level to enhance the effectiveness of Llocal government Able to shape, direct and drive the formulation of policies on a macro level		

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Cluster	Core Competencies			
Competency Name	Moral Competence			
Competency Definition	Able to identify moral triggers, apply reasoning that promotes ho and integrity and consistently display behaviour that reflects competence			
BASIC	COMPETENT	MENT LEVELS ADVANCED	CURERIOR	
Realise the impact of acting with integrity, but requires guidance and development in implementing principles Follow the basic rules and regulations of the institution Able to identify basic moral situations, but requires guidance and development in understanding and reasoning with moral intent	Conduct self in alignment with the values of Local Government and the institution Able to openly admit own mistakes and weaknesses and seek assistance from others when unable to deliver Actively report fraudulent activity and corruption within local government Understand and honour the confidential nature of matters without seeking personal gain Able to deal with situations of conflict of interest promptly and in the best interest of local government	Identify, develop, and apply measures of self-correction  Able to gain trust and respect through aligning actions with commitments  Make proposals and recommendations that are transparent and gain the approval of relevant stakeholders  Present values, beliefs and ideas that are congruent with the institution's rules and regulations  Takes an active stance against corruption and dishonesty when noted  Actively promote the value of the institution to internal and external stakeholders  Able to work in unity with a team and not seek personal gain  Apply universal moral principles consistently to achieve moral decisions	SUPERIOR  Create an environment conducive of moral practices Actively develop and implement measures to combat fraud and corruption Set integrity standards and shared accountability measures across the institution to support the objectives of local government Take responsibility for own actions and decisions, even if the consequences are unfavourable	

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Γ	Cluster	C	ore Competencies		<u> </u>	_	
	Competency Name	Planning and Organising					
Г		A	Able to plan, prioritise and organise information and resources effective				esources effectively
l	Competency Definition	to	to ensure the quality of service delivery and build efficient contingency				
L	Demnition	p	lans to manage risk				-on contingency
Г			ACHIEVEN	IEN	IT LEVELS		
	BASIC		COMPETENT	1	ADVANCED	T	SUPERIOR
•	Able to follow	•	Actively and	•	Able to define		Focus on broad
ı	basic plans and		appropriately		institutional	1	strategies and
ı	organise tasks	ı	organise	1	objectives, develop	1	initiatives when
ı	around set	ı	information and	1	comprehensive	1	developing
ı	objectives	1	resources		plans, integrate and	1	plans and
•	Understand the		required for a		coordinate activities,		actions
	process of		task		and assign	•	Able to project
	planning and	•	Recognise the		appropriate		and forecast
	organising but		urgency and		resources for		short, medium
	requires	1	importance of		successful	1	and long term
	guidance and		tasks		implementation	1	requirements of
	development in	•	Balance short	•	Identify in advance		the institution
	providing		and long-term		required stages and	1	and local
ı	detailed and		plans and goals		actions to complete		government
l	comprehensive plans		and incorporate		tasks and projects	•	Translate policy
	Able to follow		into the team's	•	Schedule realistic	1	into relevant
•	existing plans		performance		timelines, objectives	1	projects to
	and ensure that	-	objectives		and milestones for		facilitate the
	objectives are	•	Schedule tasks to		tasks and projects		achievement of
	met	ľ	ensure they are	•	Produce clear,		institutional
	Focus on short-		performed within budget and with		detailed and		objectives
	term objectives		efficient use of	İ	comprehensive	1	
	in developing		time and		plans to achieve institutional		
	plans and		resources		objectives		
	actions		Measures		Identify possible risk		
	Arrange	_	progress and		factors and design		
•	information and		monitor		and implement		
	resources		performance		appropriate		
	required for a		results		contingency plans		
	task, but require		4 m militar	•	Adapt plans in light		
	further structure				of changing		
	and organisation				circumstances		
					Prioritise tasks and	1	
					projects according to		
					their relevant		
					urgency and		
					importance		

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Cluster	Core Competencia	98				
Competency Nam	ne Analysis and Inno	Analysis and Innovation				
Competency Definition	establish and imp	Able to critically analyse information, challenges and trends to establish and implement fact-based solutions that are innovative to improve institutional processes in order to achieve key strategic				
		MENT LEVELS				
BASIC	COMPETENT	ADVANCED	SUPERIOR			
Understand the basic operation of analysis, but lack detail and thoroughness     Able to balance independent analysis with requesting assistance from others     Recommend new ways to perform tasks within own function     Propose simple remedial interventions that marginally challenges the status quo     Listen to the ideas and perspectives of others and explore opportunities to enhance such innovative thinking	Demonstrate logical problem solving techniques and approaches and provide rationale for recommendations     Demonstrate objectivity, insight, and thoroughness when analysing problems     Able to break down complex problems into manageable parts and identify solutions     Consult internal and external stakeholders on opportunities to improve processes and service delivery communicate the benefits of new opportunities and innovative solutions to stakeholders     Continuously identify opportunities to enhance internal processes dentify and analyse opportunities conducive to innovative approaches and propose remedial intervention	Coaches team members on analytical and innovative approaches and techniques     Engage with appropriate individuals in analysing and resolving complex problems     Identify solutions on various areas in the institution     Formulate and implement new ideas throughout the institution     Able to gain approval and buyin for proposed interventions from relevant stakeholders     Identify trends and best practices in process and service delivery and propose institutional application     Continuously engage in research to identify client needs	Demonstrate complex analytical and problem solving approaches and techniques     Create an environment conducive to analytical and fact-based problem-solving     Analyse, recommend solutions and monitor trends in key challenges to prevent and manage occurrence     Create an environment that fosters innovative thinking and follows a learning organisation approach     Be a thought leader on innovative customer service delivery, and process optimisation     Play an active role in sharing best practice solutions and engage in national and international local government seminars and conferences			

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Cluster	Core Competenc	Core Competencies			
Competency Name Knowledge an		Information Management			
Competency Definition	Able to promote information through enhance the colle	Able to promote the generation and sharing of knowledge and information through various processes and media, in order to enhance the collective knowledge base of local government ACHIEVEMENT LEVELS			
BASIC			CURERIOR		
categorise and track relevant information required for specific tasks and projects  • Analyse and interpret	mechanisms and structures for sharing of information	ADVANCED     Effectively predict future information and knowledge management requirements and systems     Develop standards and processes to meet future knowledge management needs     Share and promote best-practice knowledge management across various institutions     Establish accurate measures and monitoring systems for knowledge and information management     Create a culture conducive of learning and knowledge sharing     Hold regular knowledge and information sharing sessions to elicit new ideas and share best practice	SUPERIOR  Create and support a vision and culture where team members are empowered to seek, gain and share knowledge and information  Establish partnerships across local government to facilitate knowledge management  Demonstrate a mature approach to knowledge and information sharing with an abundance and assistance approach  Recognise and exploit knowledge points in interactions with internal and external stakeholders		

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Cluster	Core Competenci	es	
Competency Name	Communication		
Competency Name  Competency Definition  BASIC  Demonstrate an understanding for communication levers and tools appropriate for the audience, but requires guidance in utilising such tools	Communication Able to share in focused and con order to effectively to achieve the des ACHIEVEI COMPETENT  Express ideas to individuals and groups in formal and informal settings in an manner that is interesting and motivating  Able to understand,	nformation, knowledge and incise manner appropriate y convey, persuade and insired outcome  WENT LEVELS  ADVANCED  • Effectively communicate highrisk and sensitive matters to relevant stakeholders  • Develop a well-defined communication strategy  • Balance political perspectives with	SUPERIOR  Regarded as a specialist in negotiations and representing the institution  Able to inspire and motivate others through positive communication
consideration  Disseminate and convey information and knowledge adequately	tolerate and appreciate diverse perspectives, attitudes and beliefs  Adapt communication content and style to suit the audience and facilitate optimal information transfer  Deliver content in a manner that gains support, commitment and agreement from relevant stakeholders  Compile clear, focused, concise and well-structured written documents	institutional needs when communicating viewpoints on complex issues  Able to effectively direct negotiations around complex matters and arrive at a win-win situation that promotes Batho Pele principles  Market and promote the institution to external stakeholders and seek to enhance a positive image of the institution  Able to communicate with the media with high levels of moral competence and discipline	that is impactful and relevant  Creates an environment conducive to transparent and productive communication and critical and appreciative conversations  Able to coordinate negotiations at different levels within local government and externally

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Cluster		Core Competencies				
Competency Nan		Results and Quality Focus				
Competency Defini	results and obj tion expectations an Further, to activ	Able to maintain high quality standards, focus on achieving results and objectives while consistently striving to exceed expectations and encourage others to meet quality standards. Further, to actively monitor and measure results and quality against identified objectives				
	ACHIEVEN	MENT LEVELS				
BASIC	COMPETENT	ADVANCED	SUPERIOR			
Understand	Focus on high-	Consistently verify	Coach and			
quality of work	priority actions	own standards	guide others to			
but requires	and does not	and outcomes to	exceed quality			
guidance in	become	ensure quality	standards and			
attending to	distracted by	output	results			
important	lower-priority	<ul> <li>Focus on the end</li> </ul>	Develop			
matters	activities	result and avoids	challenging,			
Show a basic	Display firm	being distracted	client-focused			
commitment to	commitment	<ul> <li>Demonstrate a</li> </ul>	goals and sets			
achieving the correct results	and pride in	determined and	hìgh standards			
Produce the	achieving the correct results	committed	for personal			
minimum level	Set quality	approach to	performance			
of results	standards and	achieving results and quality	Commit to exceed the			
required in the	design	standards	results and			
role	processes and	Follow task and	quality standards.			
Produce	tasks around	projects through	monitor own			
outcomes that	achieving set	to completion	performance and			
is of a good	standards	Set challenging	implement			
standard	<ul> <li>Produce output</li> </ul>	goals and	remedial			
Focus on the	of high quality	objectives to self	interventions			
quantity of	<ul> <li>Able to balance</li> </ul>	and team and	when required			
output but	the quantity and	display	Work with team			
requires	quality of results	commitment to	to set ambitious			
development in incorporating	in order to	achieving	and challenging			
the quality of	achieve objectives	expectations     Maintain a focus	team goals,			
work	Monitors	,	communicating long- and short-			
Produce quality	progress, quality	on quality outputs when placed	term expectations			
work in general	of work, and use	under pressure	Take appropriate			
circumstances,	of resources;	Establishing	risks to			
but fails to meet	provide status	Institutional	accomplish goals			
expectation	updates, and	systems for	Overcome			
when under	make	managing and	setbacks and			
pressure	adjustments as	assigning work,	adjust action			
	needed	defining	plans to realise			
		responsibilities,	goals			
		tracking,	Focus people on			
		monitoring and	critical activities			
		measuring success,	that yield a high			
		evaluating and	impact			
		valuing the work				
		of the Institution				

