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Action to curb HIV stigma

SIMPHIWE DLAMINI

AIDS activists Prudence Zikode and Musa Njoko were kicked out of the university and from the church respectively after they had declared that they were HIV positive, but with the new government measures to tackle stigma and discrimination such cases will now be a thing of the past.

The Deputy President and the Chairperson of the South African National Aids Council, Cyril Ramaphosa launched the national HIV and TB stigma reduction interventions this week during the 7th National AIDS Conference that is currently taking place in Durban.

These interventions are government's bolstered efforts to tackle constant forms of stigma and discrimination that continues to affect a large number of people infected with HIV and TB. They include a legal assistance programme for individuals who are discriminated against on the basis of having HIV or TB, a project on stigma reduction and a national campaign designed to challenge stigmatising attitudes.

This means that HIV positive people who found

themselves in Prudence's and Musa's situation can now approach Legal Aid South Africa for legal assistance free of charge whenever they are being discriminated against either at work, clinic or in the communities they live in.

Speaking at Gugu Dlamini Park, where he had come to pay tribute to Dlamini who was stoned to death in front of her 12 year-old daughter after disclosing her HIV status, Ramaphosa, said that South Africans need to fight against prejudice, stigma and discrimination against those infected and affected by HIV.

"The findings of the report indicate that the stigma has not been rooted out. People living with HIV continue to face harassment, prejudice and violence just like our heroin Gugu Dlamini whom we commend for her bravery and commitment to fight discrimination against people living with HIV (PLV). As a country, we have made a huge progress in the fight against the epidemic. Over 6.4 million in South Africa are living with HIV and 3.1 million of them are on ARVs," said Ramaphosa.

The Deputy Minister of Health, Dr Joe Phaahla, also released the results of the Stigma Index survey,



UNITED AGAINST STIGMA: Deputy President Cyril Ramaphosa (second from left), eThekweni Mayor James Nxumalo, Aids Ambassador Mandisa Dlamini and KZN Premier Senzo Mchunu at Gugu Dlamini Park during the National HIV and TB Stigma Campaign Launch on 9 June 2015.

Picture: GUGU MQADI

which showed that HIV and TB-related stigma was a multifaceted problem. According to the survey one in three people living with HIV, still experience HIV and TB-related stigma. It also

revealed that stigma was the highest among women and young people aged between 15 to 24 years.

Phaahla said it was concerning that, 43% of the participants were suffering

from what is called "internalised stigma" and 11 % of those interviewed said they had experienced suicidal feelings.

"On the positive side, the survey showed that each

form of external stigma or discrimination only affected a small proportion of PLV.

Meanwhile, next year, the International AIDS conference returns to Durban.

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DURBAN TO FORGE RELATIONS WITH TURKEY



PARTNERSHIP: Turkish Ambassador Kaan Esener paid a courtesy visit to Durban last week. Deputy Mayor Nomvuzo Shabalala and Esener spoke at length about youth development as well as a possible Sister City partnership between Durban and Antalya, Turkey. The pair also spoke about education and exchange programmes that will benefit the youth.

Picture: ROMITA HANUMAN

EThekweni commits to good governance

JESSIE SINGH

ETHEKWINI Municipality's good governance culture received a boost on 10 June 2015, when the Municipality hosted a panel of top experts at a leadership seminar on good corporate governance at the Moses Mabhida Stadium.

Mayor James Nxumalo said the goal of the initiative is to foster accountability and uphold high standards of good governance among officials and Councillors. Further, it aims to provide

a platform for dialogue and debate to deal with the demands and expectations of service delivery, while not compromising on the integrity of the legislative processes required for good governance.

"Our Municipality, politically and administratively, has responded decisively to the challenges related to non-compliance with Supply Chain Management regulations and through strengthening our internal controls, we have seen continuous improvement

in our compliance with the principles of good governance," he said.

Eugene Zungu, a representative from the Auditor General of South Africa, praised Municipality for its good financial management and said that eThekweni has performed well in compliance when compared to the seven metropolitans in the whole country. He urged political leadership and senior management to continue to work towards eradicating non-compliance issues.

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South Africans say 'NO' to xenophobia

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Hazelmere dam water level critically low



RUNNING ON EMPTY: Hazelmere dam water levels have dropped drastically over the past few months and an appeal is made to the public to use water sparingly.

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GUGU MDLALOSE and BALINDILE CHIYI

WATER level at Hazelmere Dam has dropped to 33 per cent of its capacity, which is a cause for concern considering that only 18 per cent of that water is usable while 15 per cent is mud. The lack of rain in spring

and summer has contributed to the dire situation. In an effort to augment water resource availability in the Hazelmere Dam, an emergency pipeline has been constructed by Umgeini Water. The pipeline has begun transferring water from uThongathi River to Hazelmere Dam.

Water restrictions have been implemented in the areas north of eThekweni that are supplied by the dam. These restrictions are implemented for about three hours daily. Operationally, the Municipality has had to shut down certain reservoirs in the northern region. Affected

areas are Verulam, Grange, Redcliff, Waterloo, Terence, Westbrook, La Mercy, Sea Tides, Emona, Burbreeze and Umdloti as well as areas under ILembe District Municipality, including Ballito. The Head of Water and Sanitation Unit, Ednick Msweli continues to urge citizens to save at least 30% of water. "We are still appealing to our consumers to work with us to avert further water curtailments and urge residents to continue reporting illegal water connections and water leaks to the number 080-13-13-013", says Msweli.

Based on the current situation, it is anticipated that water in Hazelmere Dam can only last for about three months.

While the City is affected by the drought, about 237 million litres a day are lost due to illegal water connections, vandalism, and leaks that are not reported on time.

The Municipality urges citizens to take advantage of the water amnesty opportunity offered to declare illegal connections and be converted to legal water users at a cost of R250.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

36th International Durban film festival

AFTER months of planning the City is finally counting down days towards the hosting of the 36th Durban International Film Festival (DIFF) which will take place in various venues around Durban on 16-26 July 2015. DIFF includes screenings of movies in around Durban cinemas which exposes emerging talent, provides various trainings which allow a platform for local and international filmmakers to network, exchange knowledge and ideas. As part of the mission to grow a vibrant film sector in the City, the Durban Film Office (DFO), the film industry development arm of the eThekweni Municipality, which is mandated to position Durban as a world-class film production destination and facilitator for the development of the local film industry, has partnered with the DIFF for the past 6 years in the Durban FilmMart (DFM) which takes place within the festival from July 17 to 20.

New water reservoir for ward 59

A budget of R6.8 million has been set aside for the upgrade of a three-mega litre reservoir, which will provide additional capacity to the current existing reservoir. The Municipality is currently developing a housing project in Ogunjini area, Ward 59 and the existing reservoir does not have the storage capacity to supply the additional demand from the development. The project is in line with the Municipality's service delivery mandate of ensuring that all residents in the City have access to clean water.

It's all systems go for North Regional Business Fair

ASPIRING entrepreneurs and public are invited to attend the Municipality's North Regional Business Fair, set to take place at Bridge City Shopping Centre in KwaMashu from 19-21 June 2015. The Fair will provide a platform for 100 small businesses to showcase their products and services to residents and potential clients. They will also get a chance to network with experienced entrepreneurs. One of the main features of the Fair is a two-day Business Indaba where business experts will share valuable information and tips on how to own a prosperous business and be innovative. The last Regional Fair will take place in the Western area at Clermont Sports Auditorium on 26-28 June 2015. Those who wish to exhibit can contact Chris Khumalo on 031 311 4500 or email: chris.khumalo@durban.gov.za

City honours its shining stars



CITYSTARS: A group of eThekweni Municipal officials at the Inkosi Albert Luthuli International Convention Centre when they were rewarded for excellence in their service.

Picture: JESSIE SINGH

JESSIE SINGH

ETHEKWINI Municipality honoured its outstanding employees for their commitment to service delivery and professional excellence at its annual City Stars Awards on Friday, 29 May 2015 at the Inkosi Albert Luthuli International Convention Centre.

Mayor James Nxumalo congratulated all winners, nominees and encouraged staff to continue giving their

best in delivering services to the residents of eThekweni and other stakeholders. He urged all Municipal staff to adhere to and always reflects on the Batho Pele principles.

"There are many of you within the City who are not nominated, but who also perform their duties with commitment and passion. I salute each and every member of staff for their contribution. You make this organisation great," he said. The eight category winners

included the Community Outreach (Vigie Govender); Best Team (TB Management and Control Team); Woman Achiever (Dr Debra Roberts) Best Leader (Dr Ajiv Maharaj) Most Innovative Idea (Sizakala Customer Service Unit; Hero's (Team Ntshebe); Batho Pele People's Person (Thandi Balunga) and Best Department (Policy, Strategy, Information and Research Department).

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SMMEs media fund

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SMARTXCHANGE, the City's Information and Communications Technology (ICT) incubation hub, signed a R7.5 million memorandum of agreement with the KZN Film Commission, on 29 May 2015 at the Durban Country Club. The funding is to establish and support Small, Medium and Micro Enterprises (SMMEs) in the media sector by building a state-of-art media centre for SMMEs within the SmartXchange programme. Speaking at the SmartXchange stakeholders

breakfast forum, Municipal Speaker Logie Naidoo said that eThekweni is setting the tone by providing a platform for SMMEs in the media industry to become communications service companies that will provide shooting locations, editing studios and equipment hire.

Palesa Phili, the Vodacom KZN Executive Head of Enterprise Business said the partnership that exists between Vodacom and SmartXchange will always be a winning partnership as they are committed to growing the SMME market.

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City's housing project receives accolade

GUGU MDLALOSE

EXCELLENCE and best practices in the provision of decent human settlements within eThekweni Municipality are recognised. The Human Settlements and Public Works MEC Ravi Pillay awarded Avoca Hills Social Housing project the best Social Housing Project in the Province during the annual Govan Mbeki Human Settlement Awards held at the Greyville Conference Centre recently.

The Avoca Hills Social Housing Project implemented by the First Metro in the City consists of 520 residential units in 38 triple and quadruple story blocks of flats. The housing project is fully fenced with an access controlled gated entrance for safety and security. The project has a community hall for social occasions and open areas for recreational purposes.

Each of the units has two bedrooms, one bathroom, an open plan kitchen, and living area. There are built



HOUSING DEVELOPMENT: The City is proactive in improving housing development in the eThekweni region and was recently commended for its approach.

Picture: SUPPLIED

in-units in the bedrooms and kitchen, and the units are fully tiled.

Social housing is aimed at people who do not qualify for a low-cost housing subsidy but also do not qualify for a bond. This form of housing, which is normally

high density, is rental stock; which is not for sale. People earning between R3500 and R7000 qualify for this type of housing.

MEC Pillay commended our City for doing well in the eradication of slums.

The Awards are named af-

ter the late struggle stalwart Govan Mbeki in recognition of the role he played in human settlements, partnering with key stakeholders in order to further the cause of building a nation free of inequality.

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New fire stations for Cato Ridge and Umkhomazi

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FIRE has claimed the lives of 264 people in the eThekweni municipal area between 2010 and 2013. To reduce or eliminate the incidence of loss of life from fire, the Municipality continues to invest in fire and emergency services. In the 2015/16 financial year, the Municipality has set aside R 14.5 million for the construction of a new fire station in Cato Ridge. This emerged during the tabling and adoption of the 2015/16 medium term budget at the City Hall last week.

The Chairperson of the Community and Emergency Services Committee, Councillor Zandile Gumede, said the Cato Ridge area is a developmental node and an important link in the N3 corridor between Durban and Gauteng, therefore it needed protection from Fire and Emergency Services Unit.

"The fire risk profile of the area demands that there be a fire station and the high

volume of accidents in the N3 have a major economic impact. Cato ridge is also an industrial area and having a fire station in that area will assist in responding to emergencies in a short space of time," said Gumede.

Temporal fire stations have been located in underserved areas. For Cato Ridge, Gumede said emergency personnel have been deployed already in the area and they are operating in a temporary structure.

"Once we have completed building the new fire stations we will increase the number of personnel so that it covers a wider area including kwaXimba and it will also act as a backup for the Hammarsdale area."

Another R 16.7 million has also been set aside for building another fire station in the Umkhomazi area in the 2016 financial year. This fire station will service the Municipality's south region.

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City to host Master Caterers Challenge



YUMMY: Cooking demonstrations that took place in the 2014 Durban Business Fair cook-out session.

Picture: GUGU MQADI

NONDUDUZO NGCONGO

TO develop skills and knowledge of local catering businesses, the Municipality is calling on all caterers registered in the Municipal database to take part in the first Master Caterers Challenge to be hosted in the City.

The challenge is hosted in partnership with the Provincial Department of Economic Development, Tourism and Environmental Affairs and School of Hospitality and Tourism within Durban University of Technology.

The City's Business Development Manager Nonku Mthembu said the aim of the challenge is to expose caterers to much needed expertise within the sector, thereby building their capacity and skills base.

"Bidvest will offer training for short listed caterers,

equipment and its products to winners while Spar will offer selected winners the opportunity of internships at Spar Bakeries. In addition, DUT will offer training to all successful participants focusing on the following key areas: Culinary Skills, Food Services, Health and Safety and Costing and Financials. This capacity building training will run for two months," said Mthembu.

Applications will close on 18 June and to register visit www.sedfafrica.co.za, or collect forms at Business Support, Tourism and Markets Unit, 11th floor, 75 Dr Langalibalele Dube Street, Durban, 4001.

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Driver development park on the cards

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ETHEKWINI Municipality wants to establish an appropriate facility to be used by driving schools to train learner drivers, conduct specialised training and refresher courses.

The plan was tabled before the Municipality's Human Settlements and Infrastructure Committee recently and is expected to be tabled before Council later this month for approval.

In the interim, EThekweni Transport Authority (ETA) will continue to engage with relevant stakeholders to establish a driver development park. This forms part of the City's Road Safety Strategy. The driver development park will provide a "one-stop-shop" service for the development and assessment of drivers.



IMPROVING SKILLS: Artist impression of the driver development park. EThekweni Transport Authority will engage relevant stakeholders in improving specialised driver training methods in the City.

Picture: PHOTO

The plan entails establishing a number of well-resourced driver development park in which driving schools can provide training to learner drivers. These parks will be used by driving schools to conduct their business, and would have classrooms for lectures,

tracks for skills training, driving stimulators, waiting areas and on-going refresher courses for all public transport drivers in the City. The two sites proposed by ETA are along the Warwick node and the other one is next to the University of KwaZulu-Natal's Edgewood

Campus in Pinetown.

The budget for the project is not yet finalised, but R1.5 million was needed to develop a financial model.

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Alternative building technology

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A PILOT project using alternate building technology is underway to fast-track housing delivery in the eThekweni Municipality, as part of the City's strategy to eradicate transit camps and informal settlements.

Eight hundred low cost housing units are to be constructed in the first

phase. A few show houses have already been built in Klaarwater, KwaMashu and the last one was built in Malukazi a month ago. The show houses met technical, financial and social requirements. Services will include water, sanitation, pathways, retaining walls, roads and storm water drainage.

City Manager Sibusiso Sithole said that the project

will be delivered based on the current approved budgets.

"The intention of Council is to fast track service delivery by exploring the market for alternative technologies and service," said Sithole.

He added that that the advantage of the alternative housing technologies is that a house can be built in approximately eight days,

while conventional methods take up to 14 days to complete.

The first phase will include the housing projects in Burlington Greenfields Extension, Cornubia (Phase 1(b)), Craigieburn in Umkhomazi, Emalangen Phase 2 in Mpumalanga.

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YOUTH MONTH

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Happy Youth Month

Indeed, as we celebrate Youth Month, we must not forget the contribution of the youth in 1976 when many lives perished, fighting for freedom. Although freedom has been achieved, there are challenges that the Youth face like poverty, unemployment and inequality. The Municipality views Youth Development as a priority and has many programmes to empower and uplift the youth of eThekweni. **Romita Hanuman** reports.

IN OUR beautiful city of Durban, we are often met with a frightening sight. Young people are caught in the jaws of poverty, resorting to criminal activities and abusing substances. It is a reality which the eThekweni Municipality aims to eradicate and assist youngsters to develop their skills and talent to ensure a better life for themselves. After all, the youth are the future leaders.

The National Government Theme for this year's Youth Month Celebration is "Youth moving South Africa forward" which implies an action-oriented approach, surrounded with evidence of actions and initiatives by a broad range of social partners – led by government – that are moving South Africa forward. It also recognizes the role that the youth of South Africa have played and are still playing to move the country forward.

The eThekweni Municipality has planned many initiatives to celebrate the contribution of the youth to the country's freedom. Led by Mayor of eThekweni, Councillor James Nxumalo young people are invited to join him in a number of youth development programmes which will be held this month.

The planned activities include major events like



CELEBRATIONS ARE IN ORDER: Youth of eThekweni are all smiles as they appreciate the opportunities provided to them due to the selfless struggle that occurred on June 16 1976.

Picture: ROMITA HANUMAN

the Youth Rally on 21 June, Youth in Business Summit from 24- 25 June 2015 and the launch of the Mayoral Student Financial Aid Relief Fund on 26 June. These activities are to ensure that the youth is empowered to play a leading role in address-

ing the triple challenges of poverty, unemployment and inequality. Urging the youth to participate on the planned activities, Mayor James Nxumalo reiterated the City's views of the youth development and empowerment as a top priority and

how the Municipality aims to contribute in developing their skills and talent.

"Many programmes that are in place are to empower, educate and uplift the Youth of eThekweni. The Youth in Business Summit, for an example, is to encourage an

entrepreneurship culture and for young people to start their own businesses while the Relief Fund will ensure that bursaries are offered to learners who come from disadvantaged backgrounds," said Nxumalo.

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YOUTH DEVELOPMENT BUDGET: 2015/16

As we approach a new financial year which begins on 1 July 2015, the City has budgeted for 2367 learners that will benefit from various programmes:

- Under Graduate Accounting Trainees: R1.2 million
- Post Graduate Accounting Trainees: R1 607 996
- Trainee Valuers: R627 212
- Apprenticeships – Mechanics: R788 290
- Scarce Skills Programmes: R1.5 million
- Student Financial Aid: R2.5 million
- Graduate Work Experience: R17 million
- Learnerships/ Apprenticeships/Skills Programmes: R6.5 million
- Engineering Bursary Students: R2.2 million
- Candidate Engineers: R840 000
- Community Skills Audit: R2.1 million
- IBM Project: R5 million
- ISDG grant from National Treasury R24 million
- Total Investment in Youth Development Initiatives: R65.863million

Youth programmes set to empower

ROMITA HANUMAN

VARIOUS Units within the Municipality have programmes on the go that can assist youth. The Skills Development Unit offers internships of 18 months or more in various disciplines and caters for students in the process of graduating or seeking work experience. This service has resulted in the increased employability of students.

Organisations have benefited from these placements by absorbing young innovative employees who have been exposed to professional work processes.

Another shining example is Business Support and Markets Unit (BSMU) which facilitates youth in business development and encouraging youth to participate in business and become

entrepreneurs.

This motivates them to participate directly in growing and sustaining the economy of the country. The unit has also partnered with Future Leaders, which is an organization that is facilitating youth development in various aspects of life like life skills, advice on careers, moral regeneration, leadership and entrepreneurship.

Looking beyond borders, the Sister Cities Programme engaged in various student exchange initiatives looking at building strong cultural and economic ties.

This has resulted in international partners adopting institutions of learning which has contributed immensely to improving academic results and facilitation of information and knowledge sharing.

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SDB tackles youth challenges

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THE South Durban Basin Area Based Management are planning initiatives to tackle social ills plaguing the youth. Stemming from a youth dialogue held last year, the South Durban Basin Area Based Management Office has identified a need to establish youth-based programmes, one of which was a workshop in which youth discussed challenges of teenage pregnancy, abuse of drugs, crime and unemployment.

Anitha Govender, Social Development Co-ordinator provided insight into some of the planned interventions. "From our interactions with the youth we have decided that we want to have a "youth-on-youth approach" which means that the youth of eThekweni must come up with innovative and sustainable



WORKING YOUTH GROUPS: Youth are not afraid to voice their opinions on the challenges that affect them. This was evident at the Youth workshop held recently at Botha's Hill.

Picture: SUPPLIED

solutions for their communities."

Some of the solutions included a sports programme where youth would be kept busy with extra-curricular activities and be kept away from drugs and crime; teenage pregnancy would be addressed through an education and awareness pro-

gramme where counselling will be provided and youngsters would be taught the effects of teenage pregnancy on their communities. Other initiatives include a "Say No to Racism" and Gender Equality campaign.

Zithulele Makhanya from ward 93 said, "The SDB and its partners are providing us

with much-needed education and I am proud to become an ambassador for change within my community. As the youth, it is up to us to take our communities forward and contribute to the improvement of lives. We are the future leaders."

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Youth use technology to address challenges

SIWE SHABALALA, PAPAMA DUNTSULA AND NONDUDUZO NGCONGO

IN positioning itself as a smart and learning City, the Municipality in partnership with International Business Machine Corporate (IBM) offered nearly 100 youth of eThekweni an opportunity to create an app that will assist in tackling the skills development, water loss challenges and how to attract more people to museums.

Young people gathered at the University of KwaZulu-Natal on 25-29 May 2015 for weeklong programme where they presented their creative ideas.

Deep Blue group that was solving the Skills Development challenge was named the overall winner, walking away with R36 000, whereas the Aqua Solutions group that was solving Water Loss challenge came second and Blue Muffin Mix solving challenges on Museums came third, walking away with R24 000 and R12 000 respectively.

The winners also received I pads, cell phones and a one-year cloud credit



DETERMINATION: Speaker Logie Naidoo (second from left) with participants of Durban Innovate Hackathon Challenge playing around with technology trying to create application that will tackle the City's challenges.

Picture: LINDANI NSINDANE

allowing them to continue utilizing IBM programme and get free mentorship, business connections, and go-to-market assistance. IBM also offered internship to three young minds that presented commitment and passion for technology throughout the five days of the challenge.

Mayor James Nxumalo said: "The city loses about R6 million per year on water leaks and illegal connections therefore I am glad

that there is a group who was doing Water Loss Management in order to come up with innovative solutions that will relieve the City from such problem." Nxumalo added that he was very pleased to witness such creativity and determination from youngsters and vowed that the City will continue to host programme of this calibre.

The water loss solution group created an application that will allow citizens

to report water leaks by capturing a five second video and location of the leak. This will save time as the Municipal employees will immediately locate and fix the problem.

The Mayor presented two laptops to Vuyo Shembe and DK Maponya in acknowledgement of their strength of character during the challenge.

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City celebrates with small businesses

NONDUDUZO NGCONGO and PAPAMA DUNTSULA

AS PART of the City's 20 years celebration of small business advancement, the Municipality's Business Support, Tourism and Markets Unit and various stakeholders are hosting a series of business development trainings during youth month.

Business Development Manager within the Unit

Nonku Mthembu said: "The Municipality continues to empower small businesses because it recognises the important role they can play in contributing to the City's economy, creation of jobs and alleviating poverty."

She said the workshops have already started as the Unit recently hosted a three-day Business Sales Pitch Training, which covered a range of informative topics and useful tips.

Local small businesses are invited to attend the following training workshops:

- Youth Economic Empowerment Workshop, 17 June, Botanic Gardens, 08h30 - 14h00
- Career Day, 17 June, DUT, 08h30
- Health and Safety Training, 18 June, SEDA offices, 8h30
- Transformational Leadership & Lean Methodology Training, 22 June, Nedbank Auditorium, Kingsmead, 8h00-15h00
- Exhibition skills, Marketing and Customer Service workshop, 23 June, Clermont Auditorium Centre, 9h00-14h00
- End User Computing Training for Women, 23-24 June, Pinetown Civic Hall, 8h30-15h00
- Youth in Business Summit, 24-25 June, Durban ICC, 8h00-16h00
- Business Connect, 30 June, Durban, 9h00-13h00
- Imbokodo Iyazenzela Workshop, 30 June, Botanic Gardens, 8h00-14h00

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City marks Albinism Awareness Day

METRO REPORTER

THE Albinism Society of South Africa in partnership with the eThekweni Municipality and Ilembe District, Mandeni Municipality will mark the annual International Albinism Awareness Day at Mandeni on Saturday 13 June 2015.

With effect from this year (2015), the 13th of June has been proclaimed and adopted by the General

Assembly of the United Nations as "International Albinism Awareness Day". This decision was taken on 19 November 2014.

Maxwell Thabethe, Chairperson of Albinism Society of South Africa KwaZulu-Natal (ASSA-KZN) in the eThekweni Region said there were still a lot of challenges that they are faced with.

"We decided to celebrate this day at Mandeni because of an incident that

happened there involving a pregnant lad who was ill-treated and we suspect that it was because of her albinism condition."

Albinism is a congenital disorder characterized by the partial or complete absence of the pigment melanin in the skin, hair, and eyes. People with albinism frequently face social challenges, as their condition is often a source of discrimination, ridicule,

and sometimes even fear and related violence.

For instance, in some African countries such as Burundi in Tanzania, many people with albinism have become murder victims in the past and recent years.

International Albinism Awareness Day focuses on raising public awareness of albinism and preventing attacks and discrimination against persons with albinism.

Youth taking back spaces in their communities

SNETHEMBA MNGADI

IN commemoration of June, the Youth Month, eThekweni Municipality and the youth of Durban are aggressively taking back the spaces in their communities that have been turned into dumping grounds and hide outs for thugs.

The aim of the campaign is to clean up these areas so they can be turned into recreational and business facilities for the youth.

There will be numerous activities taking place within the programme such as sports, career guidance, indigenous games and the



Youth is leading in the drive to reclaim their areas which have been turned into dumping sites and drug dens by cleaning them up

Picture: GUGU MQADI

crowning of the Clean and Maintain My City Champion. The champion will be an ambassador as well as caretaker of the adopted spot after it has been cleared.

The Clean and Maintain My City Championships will pilot in the South Central Region, at the uMlazi M section at Ndongeni Primary School on Monday, 15/06/

2015. This will be followed by the South Region at Folweni Sports grounds on Saturday, 20/06/2015. The last Clean and Maintain My City championship challenge will be at Cato Manor Sports ground on Sunday 21/06/2015. All the activities will commence at 08:00.

The Mayor, Cllr James Nxumalo, urges the youth of Durban to participate in the youth clean up programmes as they will benefit greatly. "The youth must take charge of their spaces and adopt the habit of looking after their own communities.

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Speech contest for Grade 11 Learners

ROMITA HANUMAN

IF you are in Grade 11, have a passion for financial literacy and can write a good speech, why not enter the "Talk Money" speech contest?

Many prizes are up for grabs including a fully paid for bursary, compliments of the KwaZulu-Natal Financial Literacy Association, Financial Practitioners Development Trust and the KZN Department of Education.

The competition is open to all Grade 11 KZN learners who are taking mathematics and a minimum of two business commerce and management (BCM) subjects, which include accounting, business studies and economics.

The aim of the project is to improve financial literacy in schools and create awareness around consumer rights and available support systems.

It also aims to attract learners to careers in the finan-

cial services industry.

The finals for the learners in KZN will be held on 26 June 2015 with the winners going through further rounds of adjudication until they reach the provincial finals, which will be held on 23 October 2015.

Following the provincial finals, the top three learners from KZN will battle it out at the Bi-Provincial Finals to be held on 06 November 2015.

Learners can choose from a list of topics which include, "Planning my financial future, who can help me?"; "I wanna make my own money, my own way"; and "So, you want to sell me a financial product?"

Learners from eThekweni are encouraged to participate in this competition.

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19-21 JUNE

FOR MORE INFORMATION: 031 564 2273

Let us celebrate our youth

EThekwini Municipality remains committed to the development of young people to make sure they can take up leadership positions in society, be it in business, politics, and civic life. Early in the year, we celebrated the achievements of the matric class of 2014 as an important occasion. This is so because we perceive education as the only hope to liberate a young mind. Global icon and former President of South Africa, Dr Nelson Mandela once said: "Education is the most powerful tool one can use to change the world."



James Nxumalo
eThekweni Mayor

businesses. We have established a youth development office, which will implement the youth programmes including the Youth Council and facilitation of economic development initiatives in partnership with NGOs, the business sector, community based and youth organisations. The purpose of these programmes is to empower young people with information and connect them with relevant opportunities.

The Municipality has played a major role in the establishment of sector clusters such as the Maritime, Manufacturing, Services, ICT, Tourism and Agri-business. We work closely with sector clusters to co-ordinate industry development programmes. I hope these programmes will begin to produce tangible results in terms of young people being mentored in different industries.

The Mayoral Student Financial Aid Relief Fund, which will offer bursaries to learners who come from disadvantaged backgrounds, will be launched on the 25th of June. For more information on all eThekwini Youth Month programmes, consult your Ward Councillor.

"We have established a youth development office, which will implement the youth programmes."

June, being the national Youth month, I invite all young people to join me in a number of youth development programmes organised by the City to commemorate the month under the theme: "Changing people's lives through radical economic transformation and accelerated service delivery". As part of the Youth month programme, I will host the Youth Rally on the 14th of June and there will be Youth in Business Summit, which will be held on the 24th and 25th of June 2015 at the Inkosi Albert Luthuli International Convention Centre to encourage an entrepreneurship culture amongst young people to start their own



JEWEL OF THE CITY: The Inkosi Albert Luthuli International Convention Centre (Durban ICC) is the long-standing host venue of the INDABA Travel and Tourism Show. Renowned as "Africa's Top Travel Show", INDABA showcases tourism products from across the African continent and has built its reputation as one of the top three travel events in the world. The ICC also hosted events such as the Michael W Smith concert, 17th African Renaissance festival, Bonitas Comrades Expo 2015 and this week the 7th South African Aids conference 2015. Later this month, they will host the most sought after East Coast Radio House & Garden show 2015.

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LETTERS

Poor quality of refuse bags

I am a resident in Queensburgh and I would like to complaint about the poor quality of the refuse bags that I have received recently. Previously, the quality of the bags was very durable and of high make. The one that I recently received is paper-thin and is unable to retain the refuse. I often use two bags at a time to hold the refuse. Now I am forced to buy the refuse bags from retailers. I am hoping that as a ratepayer of eThekwini, the Municipality should seriously look into this matter.

Sagie Moopnar
Queensburgh

Thank you for bringing this matter to the department's attention and we apologise for the inconvenience. Durban Solid Waste department will collect the bags from your residence to have a look at the quality and investigate the problem. The Department will then replace your current supply with a new set of bags.

Editor

Decaying Café Fish building

The marina in front of PYC is rapidly becoming an eyesore. The decaying Café Fish building is being slowly stripped, and the petrol bowsers for the yachters and fishermen have been removed. There is no alternative fuel depot for both local and international visitors exist. Vagrants and litter are invading the grass area next to the paid parking. The marina itself is little better and certainly not up to international standards. What was once one of the most visited and most often photographed scenes of Durban is now on the list of "don't go's". The excuse of it being a Transnet and eThekwini Municipal conflict is of no interest to the public. It is

an asset, which could create jobs, both tourism and boating industry. d being allowed to waste away is unacceptable.

Joe Charles
Montclair

Thank you for you correspondence and we would like to apologize for any sub-standard service which we may have delivered in the said area. We will deploy the necessary resources and monitor closely the area from now onwards.

Editor

Is the Chatsworth shelter safe?

I was just wondering if our African brothers and sisters are safe at the Chatsworth shelter.

Lungisani Mtshali
Pinetown

The Municipality has deployed private security guards 24 hours a day at the Chatsworth Shelter. There are also Metro Police Officers and South African Police Services members patrolling in and around the shelter daily.

Editor

IMPORTANT NUMBERS

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ELECTRICITY CALL CENTRE
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CITY INTEGRITY AND INVESTIGATIONS
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CITY FLEET
Telephone: 0800 235 338

TRANSPORT AUTHORITY
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REPORT FRAUD & CORRUPTION

Report all acts of fraud corruption, maladministration and human rights violations in the Municipality to the City Integrity and Investigations Unit. Make sure you do the right thing even when nobody is watching and help us rid the city of corruption.

TOLL FREE HOTLINE: 0800 20 20 20
10th Floor,
41 Margaret Mncadi Avenue
Durban 4001

The City looks impressive

I recently returned from a holiday to Namibia and was pleasantly surprised to see how litter frees the towns and villages were. The Municipalities have an arrangement that the unemployed who wish to assist, report to a depot in the morning, are given a certain number of litterbags

and then dropped off at various points where litter has accumulated. I think that our Metro have the foresight to try something similar.

Jean Cairns
Morningsid

Thank you for sharing your thoughts with us. The Municipality has a number of poverty eradication programmes including Buy-Back Centres that are strategically located in the City where residents can take their recyclables and be paid for it.

Editor

Send your letters to: The Editor, Letters, PO Box 5588, Durban, 4000, or email: themba.nyathikazi@durban.gov.za
We reserve the right to edit and shorten letters.



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CLASSIFIEDS vacancies

The place for eThekweni jobs, calls for proposals, tenders & notices

Applications are invited from suitably qualified persons for the vacancies advertised here

Applicants who have not been contacted within three months from the closing date should consider themselves unsuccessful. An employee may be deployed to any of the office, depot or workplaces of the municipality within its area of jurisdiction. Canvassing councillors or officials in respect of these positions will lead to disqualification of the applicants. Applicants may be required to participate in a comprehensive assessment process and must be deemed competent. Work sample and / or psychometrics test's may be undertaken as part of the selection process. You shall be required to undergo a pre-engagement medical examination to be conducted by a medical officer in the employ of the Municipality.

Please note: All enquiries regarding the below vacancies to be directed to the helpdesk on 031 322 6050. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

To apply, visit www.durban.gov.za and follow the E-Careers link. Please note that Municipality vacancies are NOT FOR SALE! EThekweni Municipality is guided by the principles of Employment Equity. Women and people with disabilities are encouraged to apply.



ETHEKWINI MUNICIPALITY AUDIT AND RISK ASSURANCE SERVICES UNIT

DEPUTY HEAD (RISK MANAGEMENT & ADVISORY SERVICES) REF NO: 12000242 Salary Negotiable Grade 20

Job Purpose: Responsible for providing strategic and operational support to the Unit Head in the implementation of enterprise risk management processes and assumption of duties as Chief Risk Officer, through overall management of an objective and effective Enterprise Risk Management (ERM) and risk advisory service of the Municipality.

Essential Requirements:

- At least one of the following: CA(SA), Certified Internal Auditor(CIA), B.Com Auditing or Internal Auditing and completed articles or General Internal Auditor (GIA), CISA, CIS or equivalent qualification or be in possession of relevant proven competencies. •8 Years relevant experience.

Special Conditions: No criminal record- fraud, or other white collar crime.

To apply go to www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers link – closing date is Friday, 2015-06-26.

SENIOR ENTERPRISE RISK MANAGEMENT ADVISOR REF NO: 1200 0338B/1 2000342B/12000196B Total Remuneration Package R 607 774.00 / R 770 828.00 pa Grade 15

Job Purpose: To support decision making, business resilience and sustainability by embedding proactive risk Management practices in all its functions.

Essential Requirements:

- Relevant 3 year tertiary qualification, i.e. Diploma or Degree in e.g. Auditing, Accounting, Computer Science, Compliance and/ or Finance. •Member of the Institute of Risk Management of South Africa (IRMSA). •Valid motor vehicle drivers license (Code B). •5 Years relevant experience.

To apply go to www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers link – closing date is Friday, 2015-06-26.

ICT AUDIT SPECIALIST REF NO: 1200028412000286/12 000290/12000496/12000498 Total Remuneration Package R 567 771.00 / R 720 246.00 pa Grade 16

Job Purpose: To provide and implement a specialist and independent, objective assurance and consulting service within the information and

communication technology remit Council-wide that adds value to and improves eThekweni operations, and in pursuance of Council objectives.

Essential Requirements:

- Relevant 3 year IT tertiary qualification. Member of ISACA. •Valid motor vehicle drivers license (Code B). •6 Years relevant experience.

To apply go to www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers link – closing date is Friday, 2015-06-26.

FINANCE UNIT

SENIOR MANAGER (INVESTMENTS) REF NO: 70000038 Total Remuneration Package R 805 330.00 / R 1 027 292.00 pa Grade 17

Job Purpose: To manage and control investments and borrowings for EThekweni Municipality.

Essential Requirements:

- At least one of the following: B Comm, CA (SA), member of IMFO, Associate member of CIS, or any equivalent 3 year Accounting Qualification (M+3). •5 Years relevant experience.

To apply go to www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers link – closing date is Friday, 2015-06-26.

MAYORAL PARLOUR UNIT

GENDER DESK ADVISOR REF NO: 55000008 Total Remuneration Package R 450 331.00 / R 567 771.00 pa Grade 14

Job Purpose: To promote and support all gender based programmes, projects and initiatives, activities and events, as well as provide an oversight and coordinative role in respect of all National, Provincial and Local gender based matters across the City in order to promote and advance gender equality.

Essential Requirements:

- Relevant 3 year tertiary qualification, i.e. Diploma or Degree. •Valid motor vehicle drivers license (Code B). •4 Years relevant experience.

To apply go to www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers link – closing date is Friday, 2015-06-26.

ENGINEERING UNIT

SENIOR MANAGER (WEST REGION) REF NO: 36001436 Total Remuneration Package R805 330.00/R1 027 292.00 pa Grade 17

Job Purpose: Manages the key performance areas and result indicators associated with the rehabilitation and maintenance of road infrastructure, stormwater drainage and the adequacy of traffic signage and

road markings through investigation, analysis and interpretation of developmental requirements against the capacity and capability of the department to accomplish immediate, short and longer term service delivery objectives.

Essential Requirements:

- Must be registered as a Professional Technologist.
- Valid motor vehicle drivers licence (Code EB). •6 Years relevant experience.

Special Conditions: The post is interchangeable with other Senior Manager; Regional Operations posts within the Department and staff can be reassigned at the discretion of the Deputy Head.

To apply go to www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers link – closing date is Friday, 2015-06-26.

CHIEF CIVIL ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGIST REF NO: 36004436C

Total Remuneration Package
R 607 774.00 / R 770 828.00 pa
Grade 15

Job Purpose: Controls the professional and technical processes associated with the provision of an engineering service to internal/external clients through the provision of guidance and advice on the formulation of proposals and design concepts.

Essential Requirements:

- Registration as a Professional Engineering Technologist (Pr. Techno.) with the Engineering Council of South Africa; plus Internal Assessment. •Valid motor vehicle drivers' license (Code B or EB). •5 Years relevant post professional registration experience.

To apply go to www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers link – closing date is Friday, 2015-06-26.

PRINCIPAL LAND INFORMATION CLERK REF NO: 36004730

R 123 692.76 / R 160 565.88 pa
Grade 07

Job Purpose: To investigate, interpret and supply cadastral and related land information to internal and external customers.

Essential Requirements:

- Matric/Grade 12. •12 Months relevant experience.
- Computer Literacy.

Special Conditions: Good people and telephonic skills. *Applications must reach the Human Resources Administration, Engineering Unit, 166 Ke Masinga (Old Fort) Road, Durban, 4001 or P.O. Box 680, Durban, 4000, (Telephone (031) 3117740) or apply online www.durban.gov.za not later than Friday 2015-06-26 at 12.00 (Midday)*

HUMAN RESOURCES UNIT

SENIOR MANAGER (RESEARCH & ORGANISATIONAL DIAGNOSTICS) REF NO: 61000018 Total Remuneration Package R 567 771.00 / R 720 246.00 pa Grade 16

Job Purpose: To manage the Research and Organisational Diagnostic functionality in order to consult or advise the Cluster/Units on the impact of individual and group behaviours and approaches to improve the quality of work life and assess the impact on the future state of the organisation.

Essential Requirements:

- Relevant post graduate qualification. •Registration with the Health Professions Council as an Industrial Psychologist. •Valid motor vehicle drivers license (Code B). •4 Years relevant experience. •Computer Literacy.

To apply go to www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers link – closing date is Friday, 2015-06-26.

PRINCIPAL CLERK REF NO: 61001060/ 61000124/ 61001062/ 61001066 R 123 692.76 / R 160 565.88 pa Grade 07

Job Purpose: Provides an administrative support service including data capture, extraction of reports, verification of information and attending to related queries.

Essential Requirements:

- Matric/Grade 12. •Valid motor vehicle drivers license (Code B). •12 Months relevant experience. •Computer Literacy.

Apply via the web address www.durban.gov.za or Applications must Reach Human Resources, 221 Anton Lembede Street, Durban, 4001, Ground Floor, Shell House, not later than Friday 2015-06-26 at 12:00 (Midday)

WATER AND SANITATION UNIT

CHIEF TECHNOLOGIST REF NO: 34008642 Total Remuneration Package R 607 774.00 / R 770 828.00 pa Grade 15

Job Purpose: To manage the Connections division and provide technical, administrative and supervisory support as required by the Urban Customer Services Branch.

Essential Requirements:

- Relevant B.Tech plus registration as a Professional Technologist (Pr. Technologist). •Valid motor vehicle drivers license (Code B). •5 Years post registration experience

To apply go to www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers

link – closing date is Friday, 2015-06-26.

SUPERINTENDENT (RETICULATION) REF NO: 34004102 R 246 063.96 / R 319 390.68 pa Grade 12

Job Purpose: To ensure effective maintenance and operation of sewer reticulation within their area of control.

Essential Requirements:

- Qualified Artisan in a relevant building trade.
- Valid motor vehicle drivers licence (Code EB). •3 Years relevant experience in sewerage maintenance and construction work. •1 years relevant experience in the supervision and organization of subordinate staff.

Special Conditions: Subject to periodic call-outs after hours and on weekends and public holidays.

To apply go to www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers link – closing date is Friday, 2015-06-26.

SUPERVISOR (CALL CENTRE) REF NO: 34000390 R 156 803.88 / R 203 532.48 pa Grade 09

Job Purpose: To ensure that all professional relationships exists between council and all of the eThekweni residents in relation to services related to water accounts (billing), water, wastewater, storm water, roads and traffic (engineering fault reporting), via a toll free telephone contact point.

Essential Requirements:

- Matric/Grade 12 plus relevant certificate accredited by SAQA. •2 Years relevant experience in a call centre environment. Computer Literacy.

Applications must reach the Human Resources Administration Division, EThekweni Water Services, 3 Prior Road, Durban, P.O Box 1038, Durban, 4000 or visit www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers. (Telephone 3118779 / 8780) not later than Friday 2015-06-26 at 12.00 (Midday)

CHIEF CLERK REF NO: 34000180 R 139 269.00 / R 180 774.36 pa Grade 08

Job Purpose: To supervise staff who are providing an administration and costing functions for eThekweni Water and Sanitation and perform sundry administrative duties.

Essential Requirements:

- Matric/Grade 12. •Valid motor vehicle drivers license (Code B). •18 Months relevant experience.

Applications must reach the Human Resources Administration Division,

EThekweni Water Services, 3 Prior Road, Durban, P.O Box 1038, Durban, 4000 or visit www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers. (Telephone 3118779 / 8780) not later than Friday 2015-06-26 at 12.00 (Midday)

PRINCIPAL CLERK REF NO: 34008360 R 123 692.76 / R 160 565.88 pa Grade 07

Job Purpose: To provide clerical administrative, record keeping, monitoring and general secretarial duties for the Special Projects and Co-ordination Branch, Water and Sanitation Unit.

Essential Requirements:

- Matric/Grade 12 certificate.
- 12 Months relevant experience.

Special Conditions: May be required to work overtime.

Applications must reach the Human Resources Administration Division, EThekweni Water Services, 3 Prior Road, Durban, P.O Box 1038, Durban, 4000 or visit www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers. (Telephone 3118779 / 8780) not later than Friday 2015-06-26 at 12.00 (Midday)

SENIOR CUSTOMER SERVICE AGENT REF NO: 34008890 R 123 692.76 / R 160 565.88 pa Grade 07

Job Purpose: To provide specialised customer care services and attend complex customer queries by interpretation of policies, procedures, protocols and providing qualified information relating to their accounts and fault reports.

Essential Requirements:

- Matric/Grade 12. •Valid motor vehicle drivers license (Code B). •12 Months relevant experience.
- Computer Literacy.

Applications must reach the Human Resources Administration Division, EThekweni Water Services, 3 Prior Road, Durban, P.O Box 1038, Durban, 4000 or visit www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers. (Telephone 3118779 / 8780) not later than Friday 2015-06-26 at 12.00 (Midday)

CLERK REF NO: 34000204 R 86 664.12 / R 112 500.36 pa Grade 05

Job Purpose: To provide a clerical support service to the branch.

Essential Requirements:

- An appropriate level of secondary education. •3 Months relevant experience.
- Computer Literacy.

Applications must reach the Human Resources Administration Division,

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DRIVER MESSENGER
REF NO: 34000044
R 78 829.44 / R 99 924.12 pa
Grade 04

Job Purpose: Undertakes tasks/activities associated with the collection, batching and distribution/delivery of mail and other related correspondence/documentation and items.
Essential Requirements:
•An appropriate level of primary education. •Valid motor vehicle drivers license (Code B). •1 Month relevant experience.

Applications must reach the Human Resources Administration Division, EThekwini Water Services, 3 Prior Road, Durban, P.O. Box 1038, Durban, 4000 or visit www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers. (Telephone 3118779 / 8780) not later than Friday 2015-06-26 at 12.00 (Midday)

ARTISAN (PLUMBER)
(LEVEL I)
REF NO: 34009278
R 156 803.88 / R 203 532.48 pa
Grade 09

Job Purpose: To co-ordinate and control specialized/technical plumbing tasks/activities associated with Control Valves in accordance with specifications to ensure that disruptions to services are minimised.

Essential Requirements:
•Qualified Artisan Plumber or Water Service hand in terms of the relevant legislation. •Certification in Basic First Aid and Basic Safety to be completed within 6 to 12 months from date of appointment. •Valid motor vehicle driver's licence (Code EB). •2 Years relevant experience.

Special Conditions: 1. Required to work in all weather conditions. 2. Required to work outside normal working hours during emergencies and planned overtime. 3. May be required to work shifts. 4. Required to work under unfavourable site conditions such as water-logged excavations and muddy conditions.

Physical Requirements:
The physically attributes required for the performance of tasks associated with specific key performance areas in this post necessitates that the incumbent be physically fit and able bodied.
Applications must reach the Human Resources Administration Division, EThekwini Water Services, 3 Prior Road, Durban, P.O. Box 1038, Durban, 4000 or visit www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers. (Telephone 3118779 / 8780) not later than Friday 2015-06-26 at 12.00 (Midday)

DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT & PLANNING UNIT

REGIONAL CO-ORDINATOR (BIODIVERSITY AND CLIMATE COMPLIANCE ENFORCEMENT)
REF NO: 21001232/21001234
Total Remuneration Package R 676 637.00 / R 860 242.00 pa
Grade 16

Job Purpose: To establish an environmental compliance and enforcement function aimed at achieving sustainable development, the protection of the Municipality's environmental and biodiversity assets and ensuring legislative compliance by all municipal functions with international, national and provincial environmental legislation and policy and IDP.

Essential Requirements:
•A Masters Degree in Environmental Law or an LLB with Environmental Law as a speciality. •Valid motor vehicle drivers license (Code B). •6 Years relevant experience. •Computer Literacy.

Special Conditions:
•Incumbent will be required to accept statutory appointment in terms of extant legislation.

Physical Requirements:
•Must be able to undertake fieldwork.

To apply go to www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers link – closing date is Friday, 2015-06-26.

PROGRAMME MANAGER
REF NO: 21001202
Total Remuneration Package R 607 774.00 / R 770 828.00 pa
Grade 15

Job Purpose: To prepare and drive the rollout of selected large scale implementation programmes in compliance with relevant legislation and policies, and in support of IDP, SDBIP and organizational scorecard in order that biodiversity and climate protection targets are met, and that related green project initiatives are on track.

Essential Requirements:
•Relevant Masters Degree. •Valid motor vehicle drivers license (Code B). •4 Years relevant experience.

Special Conditions: Must have a working knowledge of the terrestrial ecology of the eThekwini Municipal Area. A good working knowledge of other components of the City's biodiversity and related threats (including climate change and invasive alien plants), would be an advantage. Must have experience in open space planning in order to achieve quality of life and biodiversity conservation objectives. Must have reasonable working knowledge of Geographical Information Systems. Must have a good working knowledge of South African environmental law and policy. Must have a good working

knowledge of Sustainable Development, Green Project implementation and Green Job creation.

Physical Requirements:
Must be able to undertake fieldwork and have the ability to drive.

To apply go to www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers link – closing date is Friday, 2015-06-26.

SENIOR PROFESSIONAL PLANNER
REF NO: 21000064B
Total Remuneration Package R 607 774.00 / R 770 828.00 pa
Grade 15

Job Purpose: To undertake and assist with spatial and integrated planning tasks required for the production of the Unit outputs.

Essential Requirements:
•Post graduate degree in Town and Regional Planning from a recognised institution. •Eligible for registration as a Professional Planner with the South African Council for Town and Regional Planners. •Valid motor vehicle drivers license (Code B). •4 Years relevant experience. •Computer Literacy.

Special Conditions: Eligible for registration as a Peace Officer.

Physical Requirements:
Must be able to do field work.

To apply go to www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers link – closing date is Friday, 2015-06-26.

PRINCIPAL BUILDING INSPECTOR
REF NO: 21000584
R 246 063.96 / R 319 390.68 pa
Grade 12

Job Purpose: Supervises a building inspection team responsible for inspections on routine and major impact development to ensure compliance with applicable legislation and regulations, public health and safety requirements.

Essential Requirements:
•National Technical Certificate (III). •Valid motor vehicle drivers licence (Code EB). •3 Years relevant experience. • Sound knowledge of applicable legislation.

Special Conditions: Must be eligible for registration as a Peace Officer.

To apply go to www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers link – closing date is Friday, 2015-06-26.

INSPECTION AND ENFORCEMENT ASSISTANT
REF NO: 21000836
R 123 692.76 / R 160 565.88 pa
Grade 07

Job Purpose: To assist and provide the Building Inspectorate and the Enforcement and Prosecution Branches the necessary administrative functions.

Essential Requirements:
•Matric/Grade 12. •12 Months relevant experience. •Computer Literacy.

Apply via the web address www.durban.gov.za or Applications must Reach Human Resources, 221 Anton Lembede Street, Durban, 4001, Ground Floor, Shell House, not later than Friday 2015-06-26 at 12:00 (Midday)

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND INVESTMENTS UNIT

PROJECT MANAGER (FOREIGN INVESTOR SUPP)
REF NO: 22000102
Total Remuneration Package R 607 774.00 / R 770 828.00 pa
Grade 15

Job Purpose: Applies investment promotion & economic development principles to define/source relevant market intelligence, feasibility studies & other research information to support the development of FDI project proposals/plans.

Essential Requirements:
•Relevant 3 year tertiary qualification i.e. Diploma or Degree in Business, Economics, Project Management or Development studies or a related relevant qualification. •Valid motor vehicle drivers license (Code B). •4 years relevant experience in Business Financial Services or Project Management.

To apply go to www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers link – closing date is Friday, 2015-06-26.

PROJECT MANAGER (INVESTMENT DEVELOPMENT)
REF NO: 22000114
Total Remuneration Package R 607 774.00 / R 770 828.00 pa
Grade 15

Job Purpose: Applies investment promotion and economic development principles to define/source relevant market intelligence, studies and other research information to develop and support newly conceived investment development project plans. This includes strategic partnerships, stakeholder relationship management and project communication.

Essential Requirements:
•Relevant 3 year tertiary qualification i.e. Diploma or Degree in Business, Economics, Project Management or Development studies or a related relevant qualification. •Valid motor vehicle drivers license (Code B). •4 years relevant experience in Business Financial Services or Project Management.

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HEALTH UNIT

SENIOR CLERK
REF NO: 41000078
R 102 318.12 / R 132 817.80 pa
Grade 06

Job Purpose: Performs clerical tasks and activities associated with the processing and updating of information and general functions in the Health Department.

Essential Requirements:
•An appropriate level of secondary education. •6 Months relevant experience. •Computer Literacy.

Application forms to The Human Resources Administration Section, Health Department, 9 Archie Gumede (Old Fort) Place, Durban, 4001 or PO Box 2443, Durban, 4000 and returned by Friday 2015-06-26 At 12.00 (Midday).

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH MONITORS
REF NO: 41000532
R 78 829.44 / R 99 924.12 pa
Grade 04

Job Purpose: The provision of an efficient Environmental Health Attendant Service.

Essential Requirements:
•Appropriate level of education. •1 Month relevant experience.

Application forms to The Human Resources Administration Section, Health Department, 9 Archie Gumede (Old Fort) Place, Durban, 4001 or PO Box 2443, Durban, 4000 and returned by Friday 2015-06-26 At 12.00 (Midday).

SKILLS DEVELOPMENT UNIT

DRIVING INSTRUCTOR
REF NO: 62000160/62000164
R 156 803.88 / R 203 532.48 pa
Grade 09

Job Purpose: To provide a driving instruction service for the Municipality.

Essential Requirements:
•Matric/Grade 12. •Valid motor vehicle drivers license (Code 14) with Professional Driving Permit (PDP). •Instructors Certificate issued by the Traffic Inspectorate of the Department of Transport. •2 Years experience in driver training. •Computer Literacy.
Apply via the web address www.durban.gov.za or Applications must Reach Human Resources, 221 Anton Lembede Street, Durban, 4001, Ground Floor, Shell House, not later than Friday 2015-06-26 at 12:00 (Midday)

SENIOR TRAINING OFFICER
REF NO: 62000252/62000268
R 208 413.84 / R 270 532.20 pa
Grade 11

Job Purpose: To conduct training lessons to all council employees at all levels.

Essential Requirements:
•Relevant 3 year tertiary qualification, i.e. Diploma or Degree. •Valid motor vehicle drivers license (Code B). •2 Years experience as a Trainer. •Computer Literacy.

Apply via the web address www.durban.gov.za or Applications must Reach Human Resources, 221 Anton Lembede Street, Durban, 4001, Ground Floor, Shell House, not later than Friday 2015-06-26 at 12:00 (Midday)

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY UNIT

SAFETY OFFICER/ SENIOR SAFETY OFFICER
REF NO: 65000190/ REF NO: 65000190B
R 208 413.84 / R 270 532.20 pa
Grade 11
R 246 063.96 / R 319 390.68 pa
Grade 12

SAFETY OFFICER: GRADE 11

Job Purpose: Co-ordinating the implementation, maintenance, and monitoring of Safety, Health and Environmental system, policies, procedures, standards, and safe working practices throughout EThekwini Municipality to ensure compliance with the Occupational Health and

Safety Act.
Essential Requirements:
•National Diploma in Safety Management or at least 10 subjects towards such diploma. •Valid motor vehicle drivers license (Manual). •2 years relevant experience in the Safety field. •Computer Literacy.

SENIOR SAFETY OFFICER: GRADE 12

Job Purpose: Co-ordinating the implementation, maintenance, and monitoring of Safety, Health and Environmental system, policies, procedures, standards, and safe working practices throughout EThekwini Municipality to ensure compliance with the Occupational Health and Safety Act.

Essential Requirements:
•National Diploma in Safety Management. •Valid motor vehicle drivers license (Manual). •4 years relevant experience in the safety field. •Computer Literacy.

Apply via the web address www.durban.gov.za or Applications must Reach Human Resources, 221 Anton Lembede Street, Durban, 4001, Ground Floor, Shell House, not later than Friday 2015-06-26 at 12:00 (Midday)

ETHEKWINI TRANSPORT AUTHORITY UNIT

EXECUTIVE SECRETARY
REF NO: 37000010
R 123 692.76 / R 160 565.88 pa
Grade 07

Job Purpose: Co-ordinates activities and requirements associated with executive office through the application of administrative and secretarial procedures within the Transport Authority Cluster.

Essential Requirements:
•Matric/Grade 12 plus relevant certificate accredited by SAQA. •2 Years relevant experience.
Applications must reach the Human Resources Administration, Engineering Unit, 166 Ke Masinga (Old Fort) Road, Durban, 4001 or P.O. Box 680, Durban, 4000, (Telephone 031-3117740) or apply via the web www.durban.gov.za not later than Friday 2015-06-26 at 12:00 (Midday)

FIRE AND EMERGENCY UNIT

WORKSHOP ATTENDANT
REF NO: 43000106
R 78 829.44 / R 99 924.12 pa
Grade 04

Job Purpose: To perform specific mechanical activities supporting the colleagues and immediate superior during the maintenance and repair of plant and vehicles.

Essential Requirements:
•An appropriate level of primary education. •1 Month relevant experience.
Physical Requirements:
Must be physically and mentally capable of carrying out the duties of the post, which may involve the lifting and carrying of heavy items and materials.
Applications to the Recruitment Division of Emergency Services Unit/ Metropolitan Police Services, Human Resources, Metro Police Building, 16 Archie Gumede Place, 2nd floor, room 346, Durban, 4001 or PO Box 1172, Durban, 4000.

Tel: 031 311 2950/2880/2917
by Friday 2015-06-26 at 12:00 (Midday)

PARKS RECREATION AND CULTURE UNIT

SENIOR SUPERVISOR (AMENITIES)

REF NO: 44007964 / 44007966
R 139 269.00 / R 180 774.36 pa
Grade 08

Job Purpose: Supervises the maintenance services and development projects provided to all beach facilities, change rooms, public conveniences and related open space within the eThekweni Municipality area.

Essential Requirements:
•Matric/Grade 12. •Valid Professional Drivers Permit. •Valid drivers licence (Code C1). •18 Months relevant experience.
Applications Must Reach The Human Resources Administration Section, Parks, Recreation And Culture, 3 Rd Floor, Rennie House, 41 Margaret Mncandi (Victoria Embankment) or P.O. Box 5426, Durban, 4000 or apply via the Web Address www.durban.gov.za (Telephone 311-4102) not later than Friday 2015-06-26 at 12:00 (Midday).

STOREKEEPER

REF NO: 44013150
R 102 318.12 / R 132 817.80 pa
Grade 06

Job Purpose: To attend to

activities and duties required to operate various storage facilities within the Parks, Leisure and Cemeteries Department.

Essential Requirements:

•An appropriate level of secondary education. •6 Months relevant experience in a stores environment.

•Computer Literacy.

Special Conditions: May be required to work overtime and/or abnormal hours.

Physical Requirements:

Must be physically capable of performing the duties of the post.

Applications Must Reach The Human Resources Administration Section, Parks, Recreation And Culture, 3 Rd Floor, Rennie House, 41 Margaret Mncandi (Victoria Embankment) or P.O. Box 5426, Durban, 4000 or apply via the Web Address www.durban.gov.za (Telephone 311-4102) not later than Friday 2015-06-26 at 12:00 (Midday).

LIBRARIAN

(BEACH LIBRARY)

REF NO: 44001922/ VARIOUS
R 208 413.84 / R 270 532.20 pa
Grade 11

Job Purpose: To undertake the operational management and professional duties of the library / section in order to meet the educational, recreational and informational needs of the community.

Essential Requirements:

•B. Bibl, HDLS or B.Tech

(Library and Information Studies) or accredited equivalent. •3 Years relevant experience in a library environment.

To apply go to www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers link – closing date is Friday, 2015-06-26.

CLERK

REF NO: 44002090
R 86 664.12 / R 112 500.36 pa
Grade 05

Job Purpose: To contribute to the database administration so as to ensure effective support to the Department.

Essential Requirements:

•An appropriate level of secondary education. •12 Months relevant experience.

•Computer Literacy.

Applications Must Reach The Human Resources Administration Section, Parks, Recreation And Culture, 3 Rd Floor, Rennie House, 41 Margaret Mncandi (Victoria Embankment) or P.O. Box 5426, Durban, 4000 or apply via the Web Address www.durban.gov.za (Telephone 311-4102) not later than Friday 2015-06-26 at 12:00 (Midday).

TECHNICAL OFFICER (ASSETS)

REF NO: 44017038
R208 413.84/R270 532.20pa
Grade 11

Job Purpose: To provide technical support in Assets and Capital projects in

ensuring they are technically sound, economically justifiable and in terms of relevant legislation and policy.

Essential Requirements:

•Relevant 3 year tertiary qualification, i.e. Diploma or Degree. •Valid motor vehicle drivers' license (Code B or EB). •3 Years relevant experience.

To apply go to www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers link – closing date is Friday, 2015-06-26.

GRAPHIC DESIGNER

REF NO: 44002128
R 176 546.28 / R 229 166.40 pa
Grade 10

Job Purpose: To provide a graphic design service and assist with exhibition production.

Essential Requirements:

•Relevant post matric certificate. •Valid motor vehicle driver's licence (Code B). •2 Years relevant experience.

Special Conditions: •5 day - 40 hour week.

To apply go to www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers link – closing date is Friday, 2015-06-26.

DRIVER MESSENGER

REF NO: 44000048
R78 829.44/R99 924.12pa
Grade 04

Job Purpose: To deliver and distribute materials, transport staff and perform a messenger service for the

Department.

Essential Requirements:

•An appropriate level of primary education. •Valid motor vehicle drivers licence (Code B). •1 Month relevant experience.

Applications Must Reach The Human Resources Administration Section, Parks, Recreation And Culture, 3 Rd Floor, Rennie House, 41 Margaret Mncandi (Victoria Embankment) or P.O. Box 5426, Durban, 4000 or apply via the Web Address www.durban.gov.za (Telephone 311-4102) not later than Friday 2015-06-26 at 12:00 (Midday).

BUSINESS SUPPORT UNIT

ASSISTANT MANAGER

REF NO: 25000090
R 246 063.96 / R 319 390.68 pa
Grade 12

Job Purpose: To manage and co-ordinate the functions of the Flea Markets and Retail Markets

Essential Requirements:

•Relevant 3 year tertiary qualification i.e. National Diploma or Degree in Small Business Development or Development related studies. •Valid motor vehicle drivers license (Code B). •3 Years relevant experience.

•Computer Literacy.

To apply go to www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers link – closing date is Friday, 2015-06-26.

CITY FLEET UNIT

ARTISAN (MECHANIC)

REF NO: 73000222
R 176 546.28 / R 229 166.40 pa
Grade 10

Job Purpose: To service, repair and maintenance of plant, vehicles and machinery.

Essential Requirements:

•Qualified as an Artisan with either Petrol and/or Diesel Artisan or as a Heavy Plant Artisan. •Valid drivers' license (Code EC) with PrDP. •2 Years relevant experience.

To apply go to www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers link – closing date is Friday, 2015-06-26.

ADMINISTRATION OFFICER

REF NO: 73001306
R176 546.28/R229 166.40 pa
Grade 10

Job Purpose: Co-ordinates the administrative procedures and processes related to fleet compliance and operations through the evaluation of effective systems and applications.

Essential Requirements:

•Matric/Grade 12 plus relevant certification accredited by SAQA, as applicable. •Valid motor vehicle drivers license (Code B). •2 Years relevant experience. •Computer Literacy.

To apply go to www.durban.gov.za and click on e-careers link – closing date is Friday, 2015-06-26.



INVITATION REGIONAL BUSINESS FAIR

EThekweni Municipality will once again host another prestigious Regional Business Fair at Bridge City Mall, KwaMashu. North Regional Business Fair 2015 will give exhibitors countless opportunities to gain valuable exposure to potential buyers including established businesses. This is the platform for businesses from this Region to showcase their exquisite products and service offerings.

At North Regional Business Fair businesses will have a chance to make new connections, and find innovative ways on how to better market products and services. Participants will also learn about key investments projects and other developments taking place in this Region and how SMMEs can benefit from them.

Members of the public, businesses and those aspire to open businesses are encouraged to come and get the most out of the exhibition and conference.

THE NORTH REGIONAL FAIR IS SCHEDULED AS FOLLOWS:

DATE : 19-21 June 2015
VENUE : Bridge City Mall
TIME : 09h00

If you're looking for the most innovative and relevant ways to market your product then North Regional Business Fair is definitely for you.

Entrance is **FREE!!**
For more information call **031 564 2273**

By 2030 eThekweni will be Africa's most caring and liveable city.

PUBLIC NOTICE

CELEBRATING 20 YEARS OF SMALL BUSINESS PROMOTION

In commemoration of the 20 years of small business promotion, the Municipality has organised series of innovative business activities that will be spread out in various areas in eThekweni throughout June.

The primary aim is to provide entrepreneurship support for small businesses who want to grow their business and become competitive. As part of youth month, these initiatives will provide young entrepreneurs with market access opportunities, business growth strategy, leadership and other innovative business skills.

These activities will be implemented in partnership with various stakeholders and strategic partners.

THE MUNICIPALITY IS INVITING ALL BUSINESSES THAT ARE KEEN TO GROW THEIR BUSINESSES TO ATTEND THESE ACTIVITIES AS FOLLOW:

PROGRAMME	DATE	VENUE	TIME
Youth Economic Empowerment Workshop	17 June 2015	Botanic Gardens	08h30 – 14h00
Career Day	17 June 2015	DUT	08h30
Health & Safety Training	18 June 2015	SEDA-eThekweni	08h30
North Region Durban Business Fair	19 – 21 June 2015	Bridge City Mall	08h00 – 17h00
Transformational Leadership & Lean Methodology Training	22 June 2015	Nedbank - Kingsmead	08h00 – 15h00
Exhibition skills, Marketing & Customer Service workshop	23 June 2015	Clermont Auditorium Centre	09h00 – 14h00
End User Computing Training for Women	23 - 24 June 2015	Pinetown	08h30 – 15h00
Youth in Business Summit	24 – 25 June 2015	ICC	08h00 – 16h00
Clermont Durban Business Fair	26 – 28 June 2015	Clermont Auditorium Centre	08h00 – 17h00
Business Connect	30 June 2015	Durban	09h00 – 13h00

For more information contact Sbonelo Vilakazi on 031 311 4500/ sbonelo.vilakazi@durban.gov.za or Nonhlanhla Khumalo on 031 311 4500/ nonhlanhla.khumalo1@durban.gov.za

PUBLIC NOTICE

LEASE OF PREMISES FOR REGIONAL CENTRES SIZAKALA OFFICES UMLAZI MEGA CITY

In terms of the Municipal Finance Management Act Section 116 (3) (a) and (b) notice is hereby given for the proposed lease of premises at Umlazi Mega City as listed below:

Contract: Lease of premises at Umlazi Mega City for the use by Regional Centres Unit as a Sizakala Centre.

Project Name: Umlazi Mega City Sizakala Centre Lease.

Original Contact Scope: The original lease was a three year period starting in 2006 and was renewed for further periods of three years terminating in 2015.

Proposed amended scope: A three year lease effective from 2015 will allow the Unit to continue to serve the largest population in eThekweni Municipality with a frontline office for municipal service enquiries.

Reason for change in scope: There are no other suitable buildings in the area to establish a new Sizakala Centre and a new lease for the existing premises is necessary to ensure that the community has access to frontline offices for municipal services.

Affected parties must submit representation, within 21 days from date of this notice, addressed to: City Manager, Regional Administration, Regional Centres, 60 Kings Road, Pinetown, 3600.

Sibusiso Sithole
City Manager

PUBLIC NOTICE

2015/2016 REVISION OF TARIFFS OF CHARGES: BUSINESS LICENSING

Notice is hereby given that-

a) Resolutions of the kind contemplated in section 75A of the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act, 2000 (Act 32 of 2000) were passed by the Municipal Council on 2015-05-27 regarding the matter set out below:
• Office of the City Manager: Business Licensing
b) Copies of the said resolu-

tions and the annexed tariffs of charges are available for inspection at the under-mentioned locations.
i) Foyers of City Hall (Dr Pixley ka-Isaka Seme [West] Street, Electricity Headquarters (Jelf Taylor Crescent), Water Headquarters (Prior Road) and City Engineers (KE Masinga [Old Fort] Road).
ii) Sizakala Customer Ser-

vices Centres throughout the Municipality.
c) The effective date for the implementation of the said tariffs of charges is 2015-07-01.

*Sibusiso Sithole
City Manager
City Hall
Dr Pixley ka-Isaka Seme
Street, Durban*

PUBLIC NOTICE

Positive Environmental Authorisation For The Proposed Construction Of A 500Mm Steel Watermain Inlet To Westriding Reservoir, Hillcrest, eThekweni Municipality
LICENSE REFERENCE NUMBER: DM/0054/2014 NEAS REFERENCE NUMBER: KZN/EIA/0001585/2014

Notice is hereby given in terms of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations, published in Government Notice No. R543 (2010), promulgated in terms of Section 24(5) of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998), that eThekweni Municipality: Water and Sanitation has been granted a positive Environmental Authorisation for the proposed construction of a 500mm steel Watermain inlet to Westriding Reservoir, KwaZulu-Natal Province. The Department of Economic Development, Tourism and Environmental Affairs, (DEDTEA) issued the Environmental Authorisation on 27 May 2015. A copy of the Environmental Authorisation and details for the decision

can be accessed on the GIBB website (http://projects.gibb.co.za/West_Riding_Pipeline_Project) or obtained from the GIBB representative at the contact details provided below. Parties wishing to lodge an appeal against this Environmental Authorisation may do so in terms of the provisions of Chapter 7 of GNR 543. A notice of intent to appeal must be lodged with the MEC, within 20 days of the date of the authorisation (17 June 2015) by means of the following methods:
KwaZulu-Natal MEC of the Department of Economic Development, Tourism and Environmental Affairs
By Tel: (031) 310 5300
By Facsimile: (031) 310 5416
By Email: mecpa@kznded.gov.za

gov.za
By Post: Private Bag X001, Bishopgate, 4008, Durban
By Hand: 9th Floor Marine Building, 22 Dorothy Nyembe Street, Durban
Please contact GIBB with any further queries relating to the authorisation of the project at the contact details hereunder.
CONTACT DETAILS:
Katherine Wiles (née de Jong)
Tel: (031) 267 8567
Fax: (31) 266 3310
Email: kdejong@gibb.co.za
Post: P O Box 1365, Westville 3630
The Public Participation Office is open during office hours from Monday to Friday, excluding Public Holidays

*Sibusiso Sithole
City Manager*

PUBLIC NOTICE – FULL COUNCIL MEETING

In terms of Section 19(1) of the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act, 2000, the public is hereby notified that a meeting of the eThekweni Council will be held at the Main Auditorium, City Hall, Church Walk, Durban On Wednesday, 2015-06-24 at 10:00.

*Sibusiso sithole
City Manager*



PUBLIC NOTICE

YOUTH IN BUSINESS SUMMIT

In commemoration of the Youth month, eThekweni Municipality will be hosting Youth in Business Summit on 24-25 June at the ICC. The two day summit aims to empower the youth in business with innovative ways to start and grow their businesses. The summit consists of two business elements, the conference and the exhibition.

Key business experts from various sectors will also give insightful information on the importance of instilling the culture of entrepreneurship and create more job opportunities.

During the exhibition, youth in business will have an opportunity to showcase their businesses/products to other businesses and possible buyers. Youth wishing to attend the summit and to exhibit are encouraged to register because space is limited and it is on first come first served basis.

REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN AND WILL CLOSE ON 19 JUNE 2015 AT 16H00

DELEGATION REGISTRATION

Contact Mndeni Mkhize:
031 311 2120
mndeni.mkhize@durban.gov.za and to

EXHIBITION REGISTRATION

Contact Nondumiso Mhlongo:
031 311 4500
nondumiso.Mhlongo@durban.gov.za

PUBLIC NOTICE

TREASURY
Office of the Deputy City Manager
PROMULGATION OF RESOLUTION LEVYING RATES

Notice is hereby given that on 27 May 2015 the Council of eThekweni Municipality adopted the following resolutions in conformity with the provisions of Section 14 of the Local Government: Municipal Property Rates Act 6 of 2004 and Section 17 (3) (a) (ii) of the Local Government: Municipal Finance Management Act 56 of 2003. To view the policy go to: http://www.durban.gov.za/City_Government/Administration/Administrative%20Clusters/treasury/Rates/Pages/Rates-Policy.aspx

Call For Submissions on Community Peace in KwaZulu-Natal

The KwaZulu-Natal Provincial Government has appointed an independent Special Reference Group on Migration and Community Integration in KwaZulu-Natal (KZN), chaired by Judge Navi Pillay, former United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights. It will investigate the causes of the recent attacks on foreign nationals, and advise the Premier.

The Special Reference Group would like to hear from you!

Individuals and organisations can write to the Special Reference Group and tell us what has built peace and what has challenged peace between foreign nationals and locals in communities in KZN. You can also tell us how positive relations between foreign nationals and locals could be strengthened in KZN. Submissions should be made as soon as possible, but no later than Friday, 31 July, 2015.

By Email: rtsecretariat@accord.org.za

By Fax: Special Reference Group Secretariat, Fax: +27 31 502 4160

By Post: Special Reference Group Secretariat, c/o African Centre for the Constructive Resolution of Disputes (ACCORD), Private Bag X018, Umhlanga Rocks, 4320, South Africa.

All submissions will be treated as private and your name and identity will not be released. The Special Reference Group might want to talk to you in person about your submission.

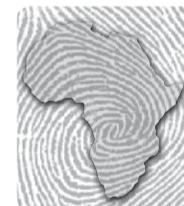
ACCORD House • 2 Golf Course Drive

Mount Edgecombe • 4300 • South Africa

Private Bag X018 • Umhlanga Rocks • 4320

Tel: +27 31 502 3908 • Fax: +27 31 502 4160

email: rtsecretariat@accord.org.za



Special Reference Group on
**MIGRATION
& COMMUNITY
INTEGRATION**
in KwaZulu-Natal



PUBLIC NOTICE

SPORT FEDERATIONS REGISTRATION INVITATION

eThekweni Municipality's Sport Development & Recreation Department invites all sports federations, NGO's, NPO's, Committees and any other organisations that render sport development and recreation activities to register on the Municipal database.

This is aimed at keeping an up-to-date database of all the sporting bodies so that they can be informed and engaged on any sports related matters taking place in their localities.

Registration forms can be obtained at all Sizakala Centres.

They can also be downloaded on <http://www.durban.gov.za/Documents/OrganisationalDetails.pdf>

For enquiries contact: 031 311 4480

CLASSIFIEDS tenders

The place for eThekweni jobs, staff news, calls for proposals, tenders & notices

Sealed tenders, addressed to the CITY MANAGER, c/o GROUND FLOOR, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, 166 K.E. MASINGA ROAD (formerly OLD FORT ROAD, DURBAN 4001, will be received at any time prior to but NOT LATER THAN 11:00 on the closing dates specified for the requirements indicated, when tenders will be opened publicly. Specifications and tender forms are obtainable from the service unit or consultants indicated
SIBUSISO SITHOLE • CITY MANAGER • 2015-06-12

ETHEKWINI ELECTRICITY

Tender documents (available in English) are obtainable from eThekweni Electricity, Room 23, PRASA Offices, Suite 215 Main Concourse, Durban Station, Masabalala Yengwa Avenue, Durban (Cashier times are from 08:00 to 15:00, Mondays to Fridays. Closed on public holidays)
All enquiries: Tel. No.: 031-311 9420 (Tumo Mpetsane)

E.9270 The construction of medium and low voltage electrical networks during a 24-month period (R500 non-refundable tender charge per document - cash or bank guaranteed cheques only)
Closing date: 10 July 2015
All bidders shall make themselves or their representatives available for a compulsory bidders meeting which will be held at eThekweni Electricity's Training Centre, Functions Room, 17 Supply Road, Springfield, Durban on 2015-06-26. Bidders shall meet at 09:30 for 10:00. Bids submitted by bidders who do not attend this meeting will not be considered. Only those tenderers who are registered with the CIDB, at the time of tender closing, will be eligible to submit tenders. It is estimated that tenderers should have a CIDB contractor grading designation of 4EP or higher

E.9340 Supply and delivery of 500kVA mini-substations and 11kV ring main units for a 36-month period (R1000 non-refundable tender charge per document - cash or bank guaranteed cheques only)
Closing date: 17 July 2015
All bidders shall make themselves or their representatives available for a compulsory bidders meeting which will be held at eThekweni Electricity's Training Centre, Functions Room, 17 Supply Road, Springfield, Durban, on 2015-06-18. Bidders shall meet at 09:45 for 10:00. Please note that bidders who arrive after 10:00 will not be allowed into the site meeting. Bids submitted by bidders who do not attend this meeting will not be considered.

ARCHITECTURAL DEPARTMENT

Tender documents (available in English) are obtainable from the Cashier, Basement, Engineering Unit, Municipal Centre, 166 KE Masinga (Old Fort) Road, Durban (between 08:00 and 12:30 and from 13:15 to 15:15)

ESTIMATED TENDER VALUE LESS THAN R1.0M

CSA.0912-4(vii) Ward 28: Cato Manor Museum Phase 1B: Heritage Centre: Joinery fittings installation (R100 non-refundable tender fee - cash or bank guaranteed cheques only)
Closing date: 26 June 2015
A compulsory site meeting will be held at 10:00, on 2015-06-18, at 2 Kalanden Road, Cato Manor. Tenders submitted by tenderers who do not attend this compulsory meeting will not be considered. Only those tenderers who are registered with the CIDB, at the time of tender closing, will be eligible to submit tenders. It is estimated that tenderers should have a CIDB contractor grading designation of 2GB or higher
All enquiries: Tel. No.: 031-311 7125 (Laura Hunt/ Rodney Choromanski).

CSA.0912-4(ix) Ward 28: Cato Manor Museum Phase 1B: Heritage Centre: Supply and

installation of landscaping (R100 non-refundable tender fee - cash or bank guaranteed cheques only)

Closing date: 26 June 2015
A compulsory site meeting will be held at 12:00, on 2015-06-18, at 2 Kalanden Road, Cato Manor. Tenders submitted by tenderers who do not attend this compulsory meeting will not be considered. Only those tenderers who are registered with the CIDB, at the time of tender closing, will be eligible to submit tenders. It is estimated that tenderers should have a CIDB contractor grading designation of 2GB/2SH or higher
All enquiries: Tel. No.: 031-311 7125 (Laura Hunt/ Rodney Choromanski).

CSA.2310(i) Ward 73: 16 Main Street, Chatsworth - Nominated sub-contract for joinery and shopfitting to Chatsworth Treasury (R100 non-refundable tender fee - cash or bank guaranteed cheques only)
Closing date: 26 June 2015
A compulsory site meeting will be held at 11:00, on 2015-06-18, at the Chatsworth Treasury Building, 16 Main Street, Chatsworth. Tenders submitted by tenderers who do not attend this compulsory meeting will not be considered. Only those tenderers who are registered with the CIDB, at the time of tender closing, will be eligible to submit tenders. It is estimated that tenderers should have a CIDB contractor grading designation of 2SG or higher.
All enquiries: Tel. No.: 031-573 1202 or 072 590 7807 (Reesh Singh).

CSA.2388(i) Supply and installation of mechanical extraction/ventilation system and domestic air-conditioning for new Cato Ridge Fire Station and Emergency Response Centre (R100 non-refundable tender fee - cash or bank guaranteed cheques only)
Closing date: 3 July 2015
A compulsory site meeting will be held at 10:00, on 2015-06-19, at 215 Old Geogedale Road, Cato Ridge: New Fire and Emergency Response Centre. Tenders submitted by tenderers who do not attend this compulsory meeting will not be considered. Only those tenderers who are registered with the CIDB, at the time of tender closing, will be eligible to submit tenders. It is estimated that tenderers should have a CIDB contractor grading designation of 2ME or higher
All enquiries: Tel. No.: 031-311 7604 (J. Nagoorsamy).

ESTIMATED TENDER VALUE LESS THAN R5.0M

CSA.0912-4(vi) Ward 28: Cato Manor Museum: Phase 1B: Heritage Centre: Structural steelwork installation (R250 non-refundable tender fee - cash or bank guaranteed cheques only)
Closing date: 26 June 2015
A compulsory site meeting will be held at 11:00, on 2015-06-18, at 2 Kalanden Road, Cato Manor. Tenders submitted by tenderers who do not attend this compulsory meeting will not be considered. Only those tenderers who are registered with the CIDB, at the time of tender closing, will be eligible to submit tenders. It is estimated that tenderers should have a CIDB contractor grading designation of 4SL or higher
All enquiries: Tel. No.: 031-311 7125 (Laura Hunt/ Rodney Choromanski).

CSA.0912-4(viii) Ward 28: Cato Manor Museum Phase 1B: Heritage Centre: Supply and

erection of aluminium frame and cladding for façade screens (R250 non-refundable tender fee - cash or bank guaranteed cheques only)

Closing date: 26 June 2015
A compulsory site meeting will be held at 09:00, on 2015-06-18, at 2 Kalanden Road, Cato Manor. Tenders submitted by tenderers who do not attend this compulsory meeting will not be considered. Only those tenderers who are registered with the CIDB, at the time of tender closing, will be eligible to submit tenders. It is estimated that tenderers should have a CIDB contractor grading designation of 4SL or higher
All enquiries: Tel. No.: 031-311 7125 (Laura Hunt/ Rodney Choromanski).

ENGINEERING UNIT

Tender documents (available in English) are obtainable from the Cashier, Basement, Engineering Unit, Municipal Centre, 166 KE Masinga (Old Fort) Road, Durban (between 08:00 and 12:30 and from 13:15 to 15:15)

IR-15214 Upgrading of 200709 Street - Ward 19 (R250) non-refundable tender charge - cash or bank guaranteed cheques only

Closing date: 26 June 2015
A compulsory site inspection will be held at 09:00, on 2015-06-18, at the intersection of 200780 and 200709 Street (Lat(S) 29°46'6.0492", Long(E) 30°54'2.0359"). Tenders submitted by tenderers who do not attend this meeting will not be considered. Only those tenderers who are registered with the CIDB, at the time of tender closing, will be eligible to submit tenders. It is estimated that tenderers should have a CIDB contractor grading designation of 5CE or higher. Tender documents must be collected no later than 3 days from close of tender.
All enquiries: Tel. No.: 031-311 7472 (S. Nsana).

IR-16600 Upgrade of Access Road 510137 - Phase 2 Bhekulwandle: Ward 67 (R250 non-refundable tender charge - cash or bank guaranteed cheques only)

Closing date: 26 June 2015
A compulsory site meeting will be held at 10:30, on 2015-06-18, at BP Service Station on Seadoone Road (opposite Seadoone Shopping Mall). Tenders submitted by tenderers who do not attend this meeting will not be considered. Only those tenderers who are registered with the CIDB, at the time of tender closing, will be eligible to submit tenders. It is estimated that tenderers should have a CIDB contractor grading designation of 4CE or higher. Tender documents must be collected no later than 3 days from close of tender.
All enquiries: Tel. No.: 031-311 7941 (S.Reddy).

IR-16696 Upgrade of Bhoqwana Road and Uzemu Road, Magabheni: Ward 99 (R250 non-refundable tender charge - cash or bank guaranteed cheques only)

Closing date: 26 June 2015
A compulsory site clarification meeting will be held at 10:30, on 2015-06-19, at the intersection of Bhoqwana Road and Uzemu Road, Magabheni. Tenders submitted by tenderers who do not attend this meeting will not be considered. Only those tenderers who are registered with the CIDB, at the time of tender closing, will be eligible to submit tenders.

It is estimated that tenderers should have a CIDB contractor grading designation of 4CE or higher. Tender documents must be collected no later than 3 days from close of tender.
All enquiries: Tel. No.: 031-311 7555 (V. Pillay)

IR-16920 Upgrade of 510049 Street, Bheka Gumede Road, Alitha Mkhize Avenue and Mdavu Sikhonde Cr - Ward 96 (R500 non-refundable tender charge - cash or bank guaranteed cheques only)

Closing date: 26 June 2015
A compulsory site meeting will be held at 11:30, on 2015-06-18, at the intersection of Alitha Mkhize Avenue and Bheka Gumede Road in Folweni A - Ward 96. Co-ordinates (30°48'47.169'E 29°59'37.613'S). Tenders submitted by tenderers who do not attend this meeting will not be considered. Only those tenderers who are registered with the CIDB, at the time of tender closing, will be eligible to submit tenders. It is estimated that tenderers should have a CIDB contractor grading designation of 5CE or higher. Tender documents must be collected no later than 3 days from close of tender.
All enquiries: Tel. No.: 031-311 7193 (Tsietsi Abel Ntomane).

IR-17202 Supply and installation of polycarbonate handrail to various structures (R250 non-refundable tender charge - cash or bank guaranteed cheques only)

Closing date: 26 June 2015
A compulsory site meeting will be held at 10:00, on 2015-06-18, in Room 213, 2nd Floor, ETA Building, 30 Archie Gumede Place. Tenders submitted by tenderers who do not attend this meeting will not be considered. Only those tenderers who are registered with the CIDB, at the time of tender closing, will be eligible to submit tenders. It is estimated that tenderers should have a CIDB contractor grading designation of 3CE or higher. Tender documents must be collected no later than 3 days from close of tender.
All enquiries: Tel. No.: 031-311 7325 (T.G. Soko).

IR-17279 Access Road A665 Upgrade - Ward 93 (R500 non-refundable tender charge - cash or bank guaranteed cheques only)

Closing date: 26 June 2015
A compulsory site meeting will be held at 10:00, on 2015-06-18, at the intersection of Wanda Cele Road (Old Main Road) and John Craven Place in Amanzimtoti. Tenders submitted by tenderers who do not attend this meeting will not be considered. Only those tenderers who are registered with the CIDB, at the time of tender closing, will be eligible to submit tenders. It is estimated that tenderers should have a CIDB contractor grading designation of 5CE or higher. Tender documents must be collected no later than 3 days from close of tender.
All enquiries: Tel. No.: 031-311 7044 (Siphelele Kweyama).

HUMAN SETTLEMENTS UNIT

Tender documents (available in English) are obtainable from the Cashier, Basement, Engineering Unit, Municipal Centre, 166 KE Masinga (Old Fort) Road, Durban (between 08:00 and 12:30 and from 13:15 to 15:15)

1H-16109 Cornubia Integrated Human Settlement Development: Phase 1B: Appointment of Professional Land Surveyor

(R250 non-refundable tender charge - cash or bank guaranteed cheques only)

Closing date: 10 July 2015
A compulsory briefing meeting will be held at 10:00, on 2015-06-23, in the Human Settlement Boardroom, 17 Doveside Place, Phoenix. Tenders submitted by tenderers who do not attend this meeting will not be considered. Tender documents must be collected no later than 3 days from close of tender.
All enquiries: Technical: Tel. No.: 031-311 2474 (Oscar Kunene); Contractual: Tel. No.: 031-311-2475 (Mandisa Nogwaza).

ICC DURBAN (PTY) LTD

Tender documents are obtainable from the 5th Floor Reception, ICC Durban, 45 Bram Fischer Road, Durban
All enquiries: Ritesh Ramkissoon: Tel. No.: 031-360 1125 or e-mail: riteshr@icc.co.za

ICCD.16/2015 Design, manufacture and supply of buffet tables (R250 non-refundable tender charge per document - cash or bank guaranteed cheques only)

Closing date: 03 July 2015
The Durban ICC requires samples of items disclosed on page eight (8) of the tender document. All samples to be dropped off at ICC Durban, 45 Bram Fischer Road, Durban, Ground Floor, marked for the attention of Desmond Davies. Samples are to be labelled accordingly by the supplier, inclusive of company name and contact details. The closing date for samples is 03 July 2015.

MOSES MABHIDA STADIUM

Tender documents (available in English) are obtainable from the Cashier, Basement, Engineering Unit, Municipal Centre, 166 KE Masinga (Old Fort) Road, Durban (between 08:00 and 12:30 and from 13:15 to 15:15)

MMS-0090 Provision of 24 hour in-house security services at Moses Mabhida Stadium for 36 months (R1000 non-refundable tender charge - cash or bank guaranteed cheques only)

Closing date: 10 July 2015
A compulsory site meeting will be held from 10:00 to 12:00, on 2015-06-23, at Press Conference 1 (Stadium offices), Moses Mabhida Stadium, 44 Isaiah Ntshangase Road, Durban. Tenders submitted by tenderers who do not attend this meeting will not be considered. Tender documents must be collected no later than 3 days prior to close of tender.
All enquiries: Tel. No.: 031-582 8222 (Sithembiso Mbatha).

SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT UNIT

Tender documents (available in English) are obtainable from the Cashier, Basement, Engineering Unit, Municipal Centre, 166 KE Masinga (Old Fort) Road, Durban (between 08:00 and 12:30 and from 13:15 to 15:15)

S.5029 Provision of lift and window cleaning services at City Hall Complex for a 24-month period (R250 non-refundable tender charge - cash or bank guaranteed cheques only)

Closing date: 10 July 2015
A compulsory briefing session will be held at 10:30, on 2015-06-24, at the Admin Block, Durban City Hall Complex. A register will be compiled and

used as proof of attendance of the briefing session and tenderers who do not attend will be precluded from the evaluation process.

Enquiries: Technical: Tel. No.: 031-311 2069 (Mwali Ndlovu); **Contractual:** Tel. No.: 031-311 7889 (Saras Sewshanker).

S.5049 Supply and delivery of A3 white, coloured NCR paper and A3 Buff Tag Board for a period of 24 months (R100 non-refundable tender charge - cash or bank guaranteed cheques only)

Closing date: 10 July 2015
A compulsory briefing session will be held at 10:00, on 2015-07-02, at Corporate Procurement Building, Archie Gumede Place, Durban. Tenders will not be considered from tenderers who do not attend.
Enquiries: Technical: Tel. No.: 031-311 2026 (Devan Chetty); **General:** Tel. No.: 031-311 7889 (Saras Sewshanker).

IP-12351 Undertaking of Indigenous Knowledge - Ulwazi Programme for a period of 36 months (R250 non-refundable tender charge - cash or bank guaranteed cheques only)

Closing date: 10 July 2015
A compulsory briefing session will be held from 10:00 to 11:00, on 2015-06-19, at eThekweni Municipal Library (EML), 99 Umngeni Road, Durban. Failure to attend the briefing session will result in the immediate disqualification of the bid.
Enquiries: Technical: Tel. No.: 031-311 2453 (Thobela Ngidi); **General:** Tel. No.: 031-311 7535 (Bereta Mathibeli).

WATER & SANITATION SERVICES

Tender documents (available in English) are obtainable from the Cashier, Ground Floor, eThekweni Water & Sanitation Customer Services Building, 133KE Masinga Road (next to EWS Main Building), Durban (between 8:00 and 12:30 and from 13:15 to 15:15)

PSC 2014/002 Professional services contract for the design and construction supervision of eZimbokodweni pedestrian and pipe bridge (R500 non-refundable tender charge - cash or bank guaranteed cheques only)

Closing date: 10 July 2015
A compulsory tender briefing session will be held at 10:00, on 2015-06-25, in Room 301, 3rd Floor Boardroom, 3 Prior Road, Durban. To proceed to site thereafter. Tenders will not be considered from tenderers who do not attend. Tender documents must be collected no later than 3 days prior to close of tender.
All enquiries: Tel. No.: 031-311 8656 (Leisel Bowes).

WS.6734 Management contractor for waste removal from ventilated improved pit (VIP) toilets (R1000 non-refundable tender charge - cash or bank guaranteed cheques only)

Closing date: 10 July 2015
A compulsory tender briefing session will be held at 10:00, on 2015-06-25, in the 4th Floor Boardroom, 3 Prior Road, Durban. Tenders will not be considered from tenderers who do not attend. Tender documents must be collected no later than 3 days prior to close of tender.
All enquiries: Tel. No.: 031-311 8877 (Dave Wilson).

Sibusiso Sithole
City Manager

Bafana and Gambia to clash



Bafana Bafana ready to tackle the scorpions of Gambia in the 2017 AFCON qualifier

Picture: SUPPLIED

SIMPHIWE DLAMINI

THE City is ready to host the first 2017 African Cup of Nations (AFCON) qualifiers clash between Bafana Bafana and Gambia on Saturday, 13 June. Tickets for the much-anticipated match are now on sale for R80 at Computicket or at the Moses Mabhida Stadium ticket office and the kick-off is at 15h00.

The match is Bafana Bafana's first attempt to qualify for the continental show-piece that will take place in Gabon. Featured in group M with Bafana Bafana are Mauritius and Cameroon. Moses Mabhida Stadium Manager, Vusi Mazibuko, said the preparations to host this important game and other side events taking place on the same day are

well underway and everything will go accordingly. "Our people must come in early and in their big numbers to support our national pride as the road to Gabon will begin here in Durban. The gates will be open at 12pm sharp and while they are waiting for the game to begin, people can take advantage of our attractions including the sky car, stadium tours and Segway

gliding tours," said Mazibuko. Mazibuko also mentioned that the sitting at the stadium is unreserved, it is important that people come early to the stadium so that they choose the best view. People can park their cars across the road at the Kings Park Swimming Pool or adjacent People's Park East. *simphiwe.dlamini@durban.gov.za*

Kingdom Stars champs of Division 2

SIMPHIWE DLAMINI

THE KWAZULU-NATAL Kingdom Stars are the new champions of the 2015 Brutal Fruit Netball Premier League Second Division. The Stars were crowned champions after defeating the Eastern Cape Aloes by 35 -38 at Rembrandt Hall in Pretoria on Saturday, 8 June 2015. This final was the most energetic game of the day as both teams were hungry for the number one spot, but it wasn't to be for the Aloes, the Stars proved to be stronger and won the game by 3 goals. The road to the finals was never easy for the KZN side as they were trailing behind by nine goals in the last quarter. After the coach had

made changes in the scoring department, the KZN outfit managed to regroup and beat the Northern Cape Diamonds by 52-47 in the semi-finals to secure a place in the finals. The Kingdom Stars Captain Precious Mthembu was the man of the match in semi-finals game against the Diamonds walking away with R 5000. "We are so excited that that we have won division two, it was truly a team effort and we happy that at last it paid off. This wouldn't have been possible without the support we have received from the Provincial government and everyone who was behind us from the beginning," said Mthembu *simphiwe.dlamini@durban.gov.za*



Head of Department at KZN Sport and Recreation Rohini Naidoo celebrating with the Kingdom Stars after winning division 2 of Brutal Fruit netball premier league. Picture: SUPPLIED

Promoting sports health and fitness

SIHLE KHUZWAYO

MOSES Mabhida Stadium in partnership with KwaZulu-Natal Department of Sports and Recreation and other Fitness Clubs will host a Sports Health and Fitness Exchange 2015 at

People's Park on 20-21 June 2015. The event is to give sports and fitness enthusiasts and those seeking to lead a healthier lifestyle an opportunity to learn more about health and fitness tips. Yoga, aerobics and team sports like netball, cy-

cling, soccer and functional training will be offered to all participants. Exhibitors will showcase their latest sporting innovations and developments while speakers will focus on health and fitness topics. The event will open an

opportunity for participants to interact with other representatives of various sporting bodies and buyers of sport and fitness equipments. Access for one day is R55 while a two-day ticket will cost R85.

Phalula wins Spar ladies

SIMPHIWE DLAMINI and SIHLE KHUZWAYO

THE Durban leg of the Spar Women's Challenge has proved to be a happy hunting ground for Lebohanga Phalula as she defended her title, winning the race in 33:36 minutes on Sunday. The race was a tough one though as for the better part of the race, Lebo was closely tagged by Nollen Conrad who fell into the second place in 33.39 minutes and Rhutendo Nyahora who took the third place in 33.53 minutes. Phalula who won the race last year said she had to change her strategy when Conrad pulled away from her at about 8 km.



Lebohanga Phalula celebrating her win at the Spar ladies over the weekend

Picture: SUPPLIED

"I told myself that I need to keep her within my sight as I was confident that as we draw closer to the finishing line, I will overtake her

because I have speed. That strategy worked for me as I sprinted to the finish," said Phalula with excitement. *simphiwe.dlamini@durban.gov.za*

Team eThekweni in the running again

SIMPHIWE DLAMINI

ETHEKWINI Municipality will once again have an opportunity to defend its title at the 2015 South African Local Government Association -KZN Games. This follows the approval by the Emergency and Community Services Committee for the Municipality to participate in the games that will be hosted by ILembe District Municipality between 11 and 14 December 2015. More than 5000 athletes will attend the 17th edition

of the SALGA KZN games from all KwaZulu-Natal 61 municipalities. The games are the biggest sporting event in the country after the South African Games. They are aimed at improving the lives of young people and promoting social cohesion through sports. Team eThekweni has won the SALGA KZN games for the past five consecutive years. The Chairperson of the Community and Emergency Service Committee, Councillor Zandile Gumede, said this is one of the

Municipality's development programmes that are aimed at creating opportunities for young people to participate in sports. "We are proud that through the SALGA games we have been able to produce so many players that are now plying their trade at the professional level, including Siyanda Xulu who is now playing overseas. We now need to make sure that we put processes in place to ensure that we don't lose these in the system," said Gumede. *simphiwe.dlamini@durban.gov.za*