LAINGSBURG MUNICIPALITY

Performance Agreement for the financial year 1 July 2016 – 30 June 2017



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Performance agreement made and entered into by and between

The Laingsburg Municipality and represented by Stephanus Pieterse, the Municipal Manager (herein and after referred as Employer)

and

Pieter Post, the Internal Auditor (herein and after referred as Employee) for the period 1 July 2016 to 30 June 2017

Where as

- a. The Employer has entered into a contract of employment with the Employee in terms of section 57(1)(a) of the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act 32 of 2000 ("the Systems Act"). The Employer and the Employee are hereinafter referred as "the Parties";
- b. Section 57(1)(b) of the Systems Act, read with the Contract of Employment concluded between the parties, requires the Parties to conclude an annual performance agreement;
- c. The Parties wish to ensure that they are clear about the goals to be achieved, and secure the commitment of the Employee to a set of outcomes that will promote local government goals; and
- d. The Parties wish to ensure that there is compliance with Sections 57(4B) and 57(5) of the Systems Act.

1. INTERPRETATION

- 1.1 In this Agreement the followings terms will have the meaning ascribed thereto:
 - "this Agreement" means the performance agreement between the Employer and the employee and the Annexures thereto;
 - "the Executive Authority" means the Mayoral Committee of the Municipality constituted in terms of Section 55 of the Local Government: Municipal Structures Act 117 of 1998 ("the Structures Act") as represented by its chairperson, the Executive Mayor;
 - "the Employee" means the Director appointed in terms of Section 1.1.3 82 of the Structures Act;
 - "the Employer" means Laingsburg Municipality; and

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1.1.5 "the Parties" means the Employer and Employee.

2. **PURPOSE OF THIS AGREEMENT**

- 2.1 To comply with the provisions of Section 57(1)(b),(4B) and (5) of the Systems Act as well as the Contract of Employment entered into between the Parties:
- 2.2 To specify objectives and targets established for the Employee and to communicate to the Employee the Employer's expectations of the Employee's performance targets and accountabilities;
- 2.3 To specify accountabilities as set out in the Performance Plan (Annexure A);
- 2.4 To monitor and measure performance against set targeted outputs and outcomes:
- 2.5 To establish a transparent and accountable working relationship;
- 2.6 To appropriately reward the employee in accordance with section 11 of this agreement; and
- 2.7 To give effect to the Employer's commitment to a performance-orientated relationship with the Employee in attaining improved service delivery.

3. COMMENCEMENT AND DURATION

- 3.1 This Agreement will commence on 01 July 2016 and will remain in force until 30 June 2017 where-after a new Performance Agreement shall be concluded between the parties for the next financial year or any portion thereof;
- 3.2 The Parties will conclude a new Performance Agreement that replaces this Agreement at least once a year by not later than 31st of July of the succeeding financial year:
- 3.3 This Agreement will terminate on the termination of the Employee's contract of employment for any reason;
- If at any time during the validity of the agreement the work environment 3.4 alters to the extent that the contents of the agreement are no longer appropriate, the contents must by mutual agreement between the parties, immediately be revised; and
- 3.5 Any significant amendments or deviations must take cognizance of the requirements of sections 34 and 42 of the Municipal Systems Act and Regulation 4(5) of the Regulations.

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4. PERFORMANCE OBJECTIVES

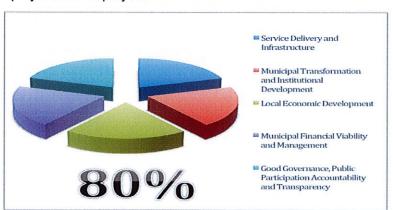
- 4.1 The Performance Plan (Annexure A) sets out -
 - The performance objectives and targets that must be met by the Employee;
 - The timeframes within which those performance objectives and targets must be met; and
 - The competencies (Annexure B definitions in terms of Regulation 21 of 17 January 2014) required to operate effectively as senior managers in the local government environment.
- 4.2 The performance objectives and targets reflected in Annexure A are set by the Employer in consultation with the Employee and based on the Development Plan, Service Delivery and Budget Implementation Plan (SDBIP) and the Budget of the Employer, and shall include:
 - 4.2.1 Key objectives that describe the main tasks that need to be done;
 - Key performance indicators that provide the details of the evidence that must be provided to show that a key objective has been achieved:
 - 4.2.3 Target dates that describe the timeframe in which the targets must be achieved; and
 - Weightings showing the relative importance of the key objectives to each other.
- 4.3 The Personal Development Plan (Annexure C) sets out the Employee's personal development requirements in line with the objectives and targets of the Employer; and
- 4.4 The Employee's performance will, in addition, be measured in terms of contributions to the goals and strategies set out in the Employer's Integrated Development Plan.

5. PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

- 5.1 The Employee agrees to participate in the performance management system that the Employer adopted for the employees of the Employer;
- 5.2 The Employee accepts that the purpose of the performance management system will be to provide a comprehensive system with specific

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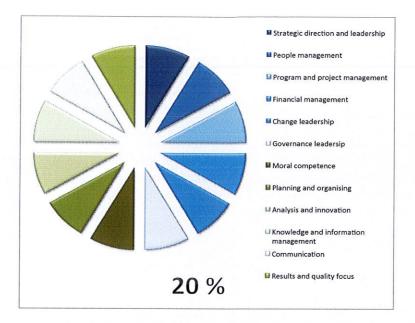
- performance standards to assist the employees and service providers to perform to the standards required;
- 5.3 The Employer must consult the Employee about the specific performance standards and targets that will be included in the performance management system applicable to the Employee;
- 5.4 The Employee undertakes to actively focus on the promotion and implementation of the key performance indicators (including special projects relevant to the employee's responsibilities) within the local government framework;
- 5.5 The criteria upon which the performance of the Employee shall be assessed shall consist of two components, Operational Performance and Competencies both of which shall be contained in the Performance Agreement;
- 5.6 The Employee's assessment will be based on his performance in terms of the outputs/outcomes (performance indicators) identified as per attached Performance Plan, which are linked to the KPAs, and will constitute 80% of the overall assessment result as per the weightings agreed to between the Employer and Employee:



5.7 The Competencies will make up the other 20% of the Employee's assessment score. The Competencies are spilt into two groups, leading competencies (indicated in blue on the graph below) that drive strategic intent and direction and core competencies (indicated in green on the graph below), which drive the execution of the leading competencies.

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6. PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT

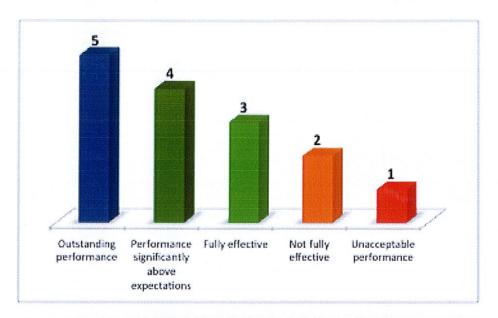
- 6.1 The Performance Plan (Annexure A) to this Agreement sets out
 - 6.1.1 The standards and procedures for evaluating the Employee's performance; and
 - 6.1.2 The intervals for the evaluation of the Employee's performance.
- 6.2 Despite the establishment of agreed intervals for evaluation, the Employer may in addition review the Employee's performance at any stage while the contract of employment remains in force;
- 6.3 Personal growth and development needs identified during any performance review discussion must be documented in a Personal Development Plan as well as the actions agreed to and implementation must take place within set time frames;
- 6.4 The Employee's performance will be measured in terms of contributions to the goals and strategies set out in the Employer's Integrated Development Plan (IDP) as described in 6.6 6.13 below;
- 6.5 The Employee will submit quarterly performance reports (SDBIP) and a comprehensive annual performance report at least one week prior to the performance assessment meetings to the Evaluation Panel Chairperson for distribution to the panel members for preparation purposes;
- 6.6 Assessment of the achievement of results as outlined in the performance plan:

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- Each KPI or group of KPIs shall be assessed according to the extent to which the specified standards or performance targets have been met and with due regard to ad-hoc tasks that had to be performed under the KPI;
- 6.6.2 A rating on the five-point scale described in 6.9 below shall be provided for each KPI or group of KPIs which will then be multiplied by the weighting to calculate the final score;
- The Employee will submit his self-evaluation to the Employer prior to the formal assessment:
- In the instance where the employee could not perform due to reasons outside the control of the employer and employee, the KPI will not be considered during the evaluation. The employee should provide sufficient evidence in such instances; and
- An overall score will be calculated based on the total of the individual scores calculated above.
- 6.7 Assessment of the Competencies:
 - Each Competency will be assessed in terms of the descriptions provided (Annexure B) on a 360 degree basis during the mid-year and year-end reviews and will inform the final score awarded by the evaluation committee. 360 degree means that the employee's peers and managers reporting to him will assess his/her Competencies:
 - 6.7.2 A rating on the five-point scale described in 6.10 below shall be provided for each Competency which will then be multiplied by the weighting to calculate the final score; and
 - An overall score will be calculated based on the total of the individual scores calculated above.
- 6.8 Overall rating
 - An overall rating is calculated by adding the overall scores as calculated in 6.6.5 and 6.7.3 above; and
 - 6.8.2 Such overall rating represents the outcome of the performance appraisal.
- 6.9 The assessment of the performance of the Employee will be based on the following rating scale for KPIs:

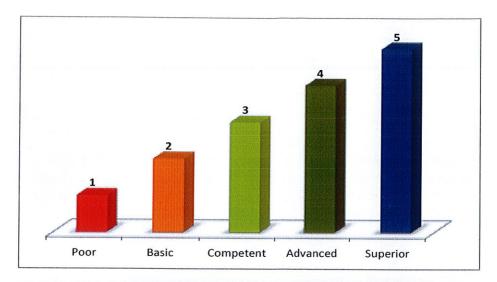
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Terminology	Description
Outstanding performance	Performance far exceeds the standard expected of an employee at this level. The appraisal indicates that the Employee has achieved above fully effective results against all performance criteria and indicators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

6.10 The assessment of the competencies will be based on the following rating scale:

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Achievement Level	Description
Poor	Do not apply the basic concepts and methods to proof a basic understanding of local government operations and requires extensive supervision and development interventions.
Basic	Applies basic concepts, methods, and understanding of local government operations, but requires supervision and development intervention.
Competent	Develops and applies more progressive concepts, methods and understanding. Plans and guides the work of others and executes progressive analysis.
Advanced	Develops and applies complex concepts, methods and understanding. Effectively directs and leads a group and executes in-depth analysis.
Superior	Has a comprehensive understanding of local government operations, critical in strategic shaping strategic direction and change, develops and applies comprehensive concepts and methods.

- 6.11 For purposes of evaluating the performance of the Employee for the midyear and year-end reviews, an evaluation panel constituted of the following persons will be established -
 - 6.11.1 Municipal Manager;
 - 6.11.2 Chairperson of the Performance Audit Committee or in his/her absence thereof, the Chairperson of the Audit Committee; and
 - 6.11.3 The Member of the Council (Portfolio Chairperson).
- 6.12 The Municipal Manager will evaluate the performance of the Employee as at the end of the 1st and 3rd quarters; and
- 6.13 The Municipal Manager will give performance feedback to the Employee within five (5) working days after each quarterly and annual assessment meetings.

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7. SCHEDULE FOR PERFORMANCE REVIEWS

7.1 The performance of the Employee in relation to his performance agreement shall be reviewed on the following dates with the understanding that the reviews in the first and third quarter may be verbal if performance is satisfactory:

Quarter	Review Period	Review to be completed by		
1	July - September	October 2016 (Informal)		
2	October – December	February 2017		
3	January - March	April 2017 (Informal)		
4	April - June	July 2017		

- 7.2 The Employer shall keep a record of the mid-year and year-end assessment meetings;
- 7.3 Performance feedback shall be based on the Employer's assessment of the Employee's performance;
- 7.4 The Employer will be entitled to review and make reasonable changes to the provisions of Annexure A from time to time for operational reasons. The Employee will be fully consulted before any such change is made; and
- 7.5 The Employer may amend the provisions of Annexure A whenever the performance management system is adopted, implemented and/or amended as the case may be. In that case, the Employee will be fully consulted before any such change is made.

8. **DEVELOPMENTAL REQUIREMENTS**

The Personal Development Plan (PDP) for addressing developmental gaps is attached as Annexure C. Such Plan may be implemented and/or amended as the case may be after the each assessment. In that case, the Employee will be fully consulted before any such change or plan is made.

9. **OBLIGATIONS OF THE EMPLOYER**

- 9.1 The Employer shall-
 - 9.1.1 Create an enabling environment to facilitate effective performance by the employee;
 - 9.1.2 Provide access to skills development and capacity building opportunities;

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- 9.1.3 Work collaboratively with the Employee to solve problems and generate solutions to common problems that may impact on the performance of the Employee:
- 9.1.4 On the request of the Employee delegate such powers reasonably required by the Employee to enable him to meet the performance objectives and targets established in terms of this Agreement; and
- 9.1.5 Make available to the Employee such resources as the Employee may reasonably require from time to time assisting him to meet the performance objectives and targets established in terms of this Agreement.

10. **CONSULTATION**

- 10.1 The Employer agrees to consult the Employee timeously where the exercising of its powers will have amongst others-
 - 10.1.1 A direct effect on the performance of any of the Employee's functions:
 - 10.1.2 Commit the Employee to implement or to give effect to a decision made by the Employer; and
 - 10.1.3 A substantial financial effect on the Employer.
- 10.2 The Employer agrees to inform the Employee of the outcome of any decisions taken pursuant to the exercise of powers contemplated in clause 12.1 as soon as is practicable to enable the Employee to take any necessary action with delay.

11. **REWARD**

- The evaluation of the Employee's performance will form the basis for rewarding outstanding performance or correcting unacceptable performance;
- 11.2 The payment of the performance bonus is determined by the performance score obtained during the 4th quarter and as informed by the quarterly performance assessments;
- 11.3 The performance bonus will be awarded as per Rewards and Incentive Policy.
- 11.4 In the event of the Employee terminating his services during the validity period of this Agreement, the Employee's performance will be evaluated for the portion during which he was employed and he will be entitled to a

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- pro-rata performance bonus based on his evaluated performance for the period of actual service; and
- The Employer will submit the total score of the annual assessment and of 11.5 the Employee, to full Council for purposes of recommending the bonus allocation.

12. MANAGEMENT OF EVALUATION OUTCOMES

- Where the Employer is, any time during the Employee's employment, not satisfied with the Employee's performance with respect to any matter dealt with in this Agreement, the Employer will give notice to the Employee to attend a meeting:
- 12.2 The Employee will have the opportunity at the meeting to satisfy the Employer of the measures being taken to ensure that his performance becomes satisfactory and any programme, including any dates, for implementing these measures;
- 12.3 Where there is a dispute or difference as to the performance of the Employee under this Agreement, the Parties will confer with a view to resolving the dispute or difference; and
- 12.4 In the case of unacceptable performance, the Employer shall –
 - 12.4.1 Provide systematic remedial or developmental support to assist the Employee to improve his performance; and
 - 12.4.2 After appropriate performance counselling and having provided the necessary guidance and/or support as well as reasonable time for improvement in performance, the Employer may consider steps to terminate the contract of employment of the Employee on grounds of unfitness or incapacity to carry out his or her duties.

13. **DISPUTE RESOLUTION**

- 13.1 In the event that the Employee is dissatisfied with any decision or action of the Employer in terms of this Agreement, or where a dispute or difference arises as to the extent to which the Employee has achieved the performance objectives and targets established in terms of this Agreement, the Employee may within 3 (three) business days, meet with the Employer with a view to resolving the issue. The Employer will record the outcome of the meeting in writing;
- 13.2 If the Parties cannot resolve the issues within 10 (ten) business days, an independent arbitrator, acceptable to both parties, shall be appointed to resolve the matter within 30 (thirty) business days;

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- 13.3 In the instance where the matters referred to in 13.2 were not successfully resolved, the matter shall be referred to the Executive Mayor to mediate the issues within 30 (thirty) business days of receipt of a formal dispute from the Employee.
- 13.4 The decision of the Executive Mayor shall be final and binding on both parties; and
- 13.5 In the event that the mediation process contemplated above fails, the relevant clause of the Contract of Employment shall apply.

14. GENERAL

- 14.1 The contents of this agreement and the outcome of any review conducted in terms of Annexure A may be made available to the public by the Employer; and
- 14.2 Nothing in this agreement diminishes the obligations, duties or accountabilities of the Employee in terms of his contract of employment, or the effects of existing or new regulations, circulars, policies, directives or other instruments.

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The Performance Plan sets out:

- Key Performance Areas that the employee should focus on, performance objectives, key performance indicators and targets that must be met within a specific timeframe; and a
- The Competencies required from employees prescribed in the Regulations on the appointment and conditions of employment of senior managers, R21 of 2014. Q

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KEY PERFORMANCE INDICATORS

The key performance areas, the performance objectives, key performance indicators and targets that must be met within the agreed timeframe are described below. The assessment of these performance indicators will account for eighty percent of the total employee assessment score.

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Portfolio of	evidence	Minutes of meetings of the audit committee	Minutes of Audit Committee meetings	Minutes of audit committee during which reports were discussed	Minutes of Audit Committee meeting	Approved action plan	Minutes of Audit Committee meeting
Baseline	21112222	4	4	4	-	-	40%
Unit of Measurement		Number of audits reports submitted	Number of meetings held	Number of reports submitted	Number of meetings held	Approved action plan by end January	(Number of audits completed for the period/ total number of audits planned for the period)x100
Kev Performance Indicator (KPI)		Audit actual performance results documented on the SDBIP system quarterly in terms of section 45 of the Municipal systems Act and submit to MM and Performance Audit Committee	Coordinate the quarterly meetings of the audit committee	Prepare and submit quarterly progress reports to the Audit Committee on the implementation of the RBAP and progress made with the proposed corrective actions in internal audit reports by the applicable sections	Arrange meeting of the audit Committee by 28 February on the Oversight report of council on the annual report	Development of an action plan by end January to address all the issues raised in the management letter of the Auditor General and submit to the MM for approval	40% of the approved RBAP for the 2016/17 period executed [(Number of audits completed for the period/ total number of audits planned for the period)x100]
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COMPETENCIES

The competencies required from employees prescribed in the Regulations on the appointment and conditions of employment of senior managers, R21 of 2014. The assessment of these competencies will account for twenty percent of the total employee assessment score. Annexure B describes the different achievement levels for each Competency and should therefore form part of this section of the Performance

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

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

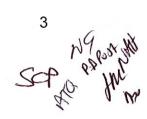
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after approval from higher authorities Understand procedures of program and project management methodology, implications and stakeholder involvement Understand the rational of projects in relation to the institution's strategic objectives Document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

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

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Cluster Leading Competencies						
Competency Name		Governance Leadership				
Competency Name Able to promote, direct and apply profess and compliance requirements and apply of governance practices and obligations. conceptualisation of relevant policies a governance relationships ACHIEVEMENT LEVELS BASIC COMPETENT ADVANCED Display a basic awareness of thorough Able to initiatives into key					tho urth	rough understanding er, able to direct the inhance cooperative SUPERIOR Demonstrate a high level of
risk, compliance and governance factors but require guidance and development in implementing such requirements Understand the structure of cooperative government but requires guidance on fostering workable relationships between stakeholders Provide input into policy formulation	erial serial ser	inderstanding of overnance and sk and ompliance actors and inplement plans of address these emonstrate inderstanding of the techniques individual processes for optimising risk aking decisions within the stitution citively drive colicy formulation within the stitution to insure the chievement of opectives		institutional objectives and drivers Identify, analyse and measure risk, create valid risk forecasts, and map risk profiles Apply risk control methodology and approaches to prevent and reduce risk that impede on the achievement of institutional objectives Demonstrate a thorough understanding of risk retention plans Identify and implement comprehensive risk management systems and processes Implement and monitor the formulation of policies, identify and analyse constraints and challenges with implementation and provide recommendations for improvement		commitment in complying with governance requirements Implement governance and compliance strategy to ensure achievement of institutional objectives within the legislative framework Able to advise Local Government on risk management strategies, best practice interventions and compliance management Able to forge positive relationships on cooperative governance level to enhance the effectiveness of Llocal government Able to shape, direct and drive the formulation of policies on a macro level

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Cluster	Core Competencies	2004 1 200 1				
Competency Name	Moral Competence					
Competency Definition	Able to identify more and integrity and c competence	at promotes honesty that reflects moral				
BASIC	COMPETENT	MENT LEVELS	CUDEDIOD			
Realise the impact of acting with integrity, but requires guidance and development in implementing principles Follow the basic rules and regulations of the institution Able to identify basic moral situations, but requires guidance and development in understanding and reasoning with moral intent	Competent Competent Conduct self in alignment with the values of Local Government and the institution Able to openly admit own mistakes and weaknesses and seek assistance from others when unable to deliver Actively report fraudulent activity and corruption within local government Understand and honour the confidential nature of matters without seeking personal gain Able to deal with situations of conflict of interest promptly and in the best interest of local government	ADVANCED Identify, develop, and apply measures of self-correction Able to gain trust and respect through aligning actions with commitments Make proposals and recommendations that are transparent and gain the approval of relevant stakeholders Present values, beliefs and ideas that are congruent with the institution's rules and regulations Takes an active stance against corruption and dishonesty when noted Actively promote the value of the institution to internal and external stakeholders Able to work in unity with a team and not seek personal gain Apply universal moral principles consistently to achieve moral decisions	SUPERIOR Create an environment conducive of moral practices Actively develop and implement measures to combat fraud and corruption Set integrity standards and shared accountability measures across the institution to support the objectives of local government Take responsibility for own actions and decisions, even if the consequences are unfavourable			

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Cluster	Core Competencies						
Competency Name	Planning and Organising						
Competency Definition	Able to plan, prioritise and organise information and resources effectively to ensure the quality of service delivery and build efficient contingency plans to manage risk						
ACHIEVEMENT LEVELS							
BASIC	COMPETENT	ADVANCED	SUPERIOR				
 Able to follow basic plans and organise tasks around set objectives Understand the process of planning and organising but requires guidance and development in providing detailed and comprehensive plans Able to follow existing plans and ensure that objectives are met Focus on short-term objectives in developing plans and actions Arrange information and resources required for a task, but require further structure and organisation 	 Actively and appropriately organise information and resources required for a task Recognise the urgency and importance of tasks Balance short and long-term plans and goals and incorporate into the team's performance objectives Schedule tasks to ensure they are performed within budget and with efficient use of time and resources Measures progress and monitor performance results 	 Able to define institutional objectives, develop comprehensive plans, integrate and coordinate activities, and assign appropriate resources for successful implementation Identify in advance required stages and actions to complete tasks and projects Schedule realistic timelines, objectives and milestones for tasks and projects Produce clear, detailed and comprehensive plans to achieve institutional objectives Identify possible risk factors and design and implement appropriate contingency plans Adapt plans in light of changing circumstances Prioritise tasks and projects according to their relevant urgency and importance 	 Focus on broad strategies and initiatives when developing plans and actions Able to project and forecast short, medium and long term requirements of the institution and local government Translate policy into relevant projects to facilitate the achievement of institutional objectives 				

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

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		Knowledge and Information Management				
Competency Defini	tion	Able to promote information throu enhance the colle	ACHIEVEMENT LEVELS			
BASIC		COMPETENT	Γ	ADVANCED		SUPERIOR
Collect, categorise and track relevant information required for specific tasks and projects Analyse and interpret information to draw conclusions Seek new sources of information to increase the knowledge base Regularly share information and knowledge with internal stakeholders and team members		Use appropriate information systems and technology to manage institutional knowledge and information sharing Evaluate data from various sources and use information effectively to influence decisions and provide solutions actively create mechanisms and estructures for sharing of information. Use external and internal esources to esearch and provide relevant and cutting-edge knowledge to enhance institutional effectiveness and efficiency		Effectively predict future information and knowledge management requirements and systems Develop standards and processes to meet future knowledge management needs Share and promote best-practice knowledge management across various institutions Establish accurate measures and monitoring systems for knowledge and information management Create a culture conducive of learning and knowledge sharing Hold regular knowledge and information sharing sessions to elicit new ideas and share best practice approaches		Create and support a vision and culture where team members are empowered to seek, gain and share knowledge and information Establish partnerships across local government to facilitate knowledge management Demonstrate a mature approach to knowledge and information sharing with an abundance and assistance approach Recognise and exploit knowledge points in interactions with internal and external stakeholders

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Competency Definition Able to share information, knowledge and ideas in a clear, focused and concise manner appropriate for the audience in to achieve the desired outcome ACHIEVEMENT LEVELS BASIC Demonstrate an understanding for communication levers and tools appropriate for the audience, but requires guidance in utilising such tools Express ideas in a clear, focused manner, but does not always take the needs of the audience into consideration Disseminate and convey information and knowledge adequately Definition Able to desired outcome ADVANCED SUPERIOR Express ideas of the formal and groups in formal and setkings in an manner that is interesting and motivating Able to understand, tolerate and a clear, focused manner, but does not always take the needs of the audience into consideration Disseminate and convey information transfer Deliver content in a manner that gains support, commitment and agreement from relevant stakeholders Complie clear, focused, concise and well-structured written ADVANCED SUPERIOR Regarded as a specialist in negotiations and representing the institution and representing the institutional needs when communication that is impactful and relevant stake the end of the audience and facilitate optimal information transfer Disseminate and convey Definition ADIEVELS BASIC COMPETENT ADVANCED SUPERIOR Regarded as a specialist in negotiations and representive with institutional needs when communication strategy Balance political perspectives with institutional needs when communicating viewpoints on complex issues Able to effectively comvey, persuade and influence stakeholders BASIC COMPETENT ADVANCED Regarded as a specialist in negotiations and representing the institution of the institu	Cluster	Core Competenci	AS				
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Competency Nan		Core Competencies Results and Quality Focus				
Competency Nan		in high quality standard	a facus as called			
	results and ob	Able to maintain high quality standards, focus on achieving results and objectives while consistently striving to exceed				
Competency Defini	tion expectations an	nd encourage others to n	neet quality standards.			
	Further, to acti	vely monitor and measu	ire results and quality			
against identified objectives						
	ACHIEVEN	MENT LEVELS	T			
BASIC	COMPETENT	ADVANCED	SUPERIOR			
 Understand quality of work 	Focus on high- priority actions	Consistently verify	Coach and			
but requires	priority actions and does not	own standards	guide others to			
guidance in	become	and outcomes to	exceed quality standards and			
attending to	distracted by	ensure quality output	results			
important	lower-priority	Focus on the end	Develop			
matters	activities	result and avoids	challenging,			
Show a basic	Display firm	being distracted	client-focused			
commitment to	commitment	Demonstrate a	goals and sets			
achieving the	and pride in	determined and	high standards			
correct results	achieving the	committed	for personal			
Produce the	correct results	approach to	performance			
minimum level of results	Set quality standards and	achieving results	Commit to			
required in the	design	and quality standards	exceed the			
role	processes and	Follow task and	results and quality standards,			
Produce	tasks around	projects through	monitor own			
outcomes that	achieving set	to completion	performance and			
is of a good	standards	Set challenging	implement			
standard	 Produce output 	goals and	remedial			
 Focus on the 	of high quality	objectives to self	interventions			
quantity of	 Able to balance 	and team and	when required			
output but	the quantity and	display	 Work with team 			
requires development in	quality of results in order to	commitment to	to set ambitious			
incorporating	achieve	achieving expectations	and challenging			
the quality of	objectives	Maintain a focus	team goals, communicating			
work	Monitors	on quality outputs	long- and short-			
 Produce quality 	progress, quality	when placed	term expectations			
work in general	of work, and use	under pressure	 Take appropriate 			
circumstances,	of resources;	Establishing	risks to			
but fails to meet	provide status	institutional	accomplish goals			
expectation	updates, and	systems for	Overcome			
when under	make	managing and	setbacks and			
pressure	adjustments as needed	assigning work,	adjust action			
	Heeded	defining responsibilities,	plans to realise goals			
		tracking,	Focus people on			
		monitoring and	critical activities			
		measuring	that yield a high			
		success,	impact			
		evaluating and				
		valuing the work				
		of the institution				

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Personal Development Plan

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Support			
Work opportunity created to practice skill/development area			
Suggested Time Frames			
Suggested mode of delivery			
Suggested training and /or development activity			
Outcomes Expected			2
Skills Performance Gap	-	2.	က်

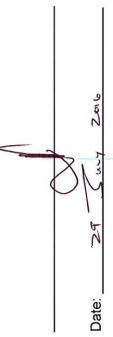
Signed and accepted by the Employee



29 July 2011

Date:

Signed by the Municipal Manager on behalf of the Municipality



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