

PERFORMANCE AGREEMENT

**IN TERMS OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT:
MUNICIPAL SYSTEMS ACT,
2000 (32 OF 2000)**

AND

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT: MUNICIPAL PERFORMANCE REGULATION FOR
MUNICIPAL MANAGERS AND MANAGERS DIRECTLY ACCOUNTABLE TO
MUNICIPAL MANAGERS, 2006**

Entered into by and between

The CITY OF MATLOSANA herein represented by

S.G. MABUDA
in his capacity as

Acting Municipal Manager
(hereinafter referred to as the Employer)

And

R.T. MAKGALE

As the

Acting Chief Financial Officer
(hereinafter referred to as the Employee)

For the Period

01 July 2011 To 30 June 2012 (Month to month)

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PERFORMANCE AGREEMENT

ENTERED INTO BY AND BETWEEN:

The **CITY OF MATLOSANA** herein represented by Sipho Gift Mabuda (full name) in his capacity as Acting Municipal Manager (hereinafter referred to as the **Employer**) and Ramatu Thomas Makgale (full name) Employee of the Municipality (hereinafter referred to as the **Employee**).

Collectively referred to as the "Parties".

WHEREBY IT IS AGREED AS FOLLOWS:

1. INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 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 to as "the Parties".
- 1.2 Section 57(1) (b) of the Systems Act, read with the Contract of Employment concluded between the parties, requires the parties to conclude performance agreement.
- 1.3 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 secure local government policy goals.
- 1.4 The parties wish to ensure that there is compliance with Sections 57(4A), 57(4B) and 57(5) of the Systems Act.

2. PURPOSE OF THIS AGREEMENT

The purpose of this Agreement is to -

- 2.1 comply with the provisions of Section 57(1)(b),(4A),(4B) and (5) of the Systems Act as well as the employment contract entered into between the parties;
- 2.2 specify objectives and targets defined and agreed with the employee and to communicate to the employee the employer's expectations of the employee's performance and accountabilities in alignment with the Integrated Development Plan, Service Delivery and Budget Implementation Plan (SDBIP) and the Budget of the municipality;
- 2.3 specify accountabilities as set out in a performance plan, which forms an Annexure to the Performance Agreement;
- 2.4 monitor and measure performance against set targeted outputs;
- 2.5 use the Performance Agreement as the basis for assessing whether the employee has met the performance expectations applicable to his or her job;

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- 2.6 in the event of outstanding performance, to appropriately reward the employee; and
- 2.7 give effect to the employer's commitment to a performance-orientated relationship with its employee in attaining equitable and improved service delivery.

3 COMMENCEMENT AND DURATION

- 3.1 This Agreement will commence on the 01 July 2011 and will remain in force until 30 June 2012, subject to the provisions of clause 3.2.
- 3.2 This Agreement is subservient to the employment agreement of the Employee and will automatically terminate on the termination of the **Employee's** contract of employment for whatever reason.
- 3.3 The content of this Agreement may be revised at any time during the above-mentioned period to determine the applicability of the matters agreed upon, as agreed between the Parties and in compliance with clause 10 of this agreement.
- 3.4 If at any time during the validity of this Agreement the work environment alters (whether as a result of government or council decisions or otherwise) to the extent that the contents of this Agreement are no longer appropriate, the contents shall immediately be revised as agreed between the Parties and in compliance with clause 10 of this agreement.

4 PERFORMANCE OBJECTIVES

- 4.1 The Performance Plan (Annexure A) sets out-
 - 4.1.1 the performance objectives and targets that must be met by the **Employee**; and
 - 4.1.2 the time frames within which those performance objectives and targets must be met.
- 4.2 The performance objectives and targets reflected in the Performance Plan (Annexure A) are set by the **Employer** in consultation with the **Employee** and based on the Integrated Development Plan (IDP), Service Delivery and Budget Implementation Plan (SDBIP) and the Budget of the **Employer**, and shall include key objectives; key performance indicators; target dates and weightings.
 - 4.2.1 The key objectives describe the main tasks that need to be done.
 - 4.2.2 The key performance indicators provide the details of the evidence that must be provided to show that a key objective has been achieved.
 - 4.2.3 The target dates describe the timeframe in which the work must be achieved.
- 4.3 The **Employee's** performance will, in addition, be measured in terms of contributions to the goals and strategies set out in the **Employer's** Integrated Development Plan.

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5 PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

- 5.1 The **Employee** agrees to participate in the performance management system that the **Employer** adopts or introduces for the **Employer**, management and municipal staff of the **Employer**.
- 5.2 The **Employee** accepts that the purpose of the performance management system which provide a comprehensive system with specific performance standards to assist the **Employer**, management and municipal staff to perform to the standards required.
- 5.3 The **Employer** will consult the **Employee** about the specific performance standards that will be included in the performance management system as applicable to the **Employee**.
- 5.4 The **Employee** undertakes to actively focus towards the promotion and implementation of the KPAs (including special projects relevant to the employee's responsibilities) within the local government framework.
- 5.5 The criteria upon which the performance of the **Employee** shall be assessed shall consist of two components, both of which shall be contained in the Performance Agreement.
 - 5.5.1 The **Employee** must be assessed against both components, with a weighting of 80:20 allocated to the Key Performance Areas (KPAs) and the Core Competency Requirements (CCRs) respectively.
 - 5.5.2 Each area of assessment will be weighted and will contribute a specific part to the total score.
 - 5.5.3 KPAs covering the main areas of work will account for 80% and CCRs will account for 20% of the final assessment.
- 5.6 The **Employee**'s assessment will be based on his / her performance in terms of the outputs / outcomes (performance indicators) identified as per attached Performance Plan (Annexure A), which are linked to the KPA's, and will constitute 80% of the overall assessment result as per the weightings agreed to between the **Employer** and **Employee**:

Key Performance Areas (KPA's)	Weighting
Basic Service Delivery	15%
Municipal Institutional Development and Transformation	
Local Economic Development (LED)	
Municipal Financial Viability and Management	85%
Good Governance and Public Participation	
Total	100%

- 5.7 In the case of Managers directly accountable to the Municipal Manager, key performance areas related to the functional area of the relevant manager must be subject to negotiation between the municipal manager and the relevant manager.
- 5.8 The CCRs will make up the other 20% of the **Employee**'s assessment score. CCRs that are deemed to be most critical for the **Employee**'s specific job should be selected (✓) from the list below as agreed to between the **Employer** and **Employee**. Three of the CCRs are compulsory for Municipal Managers:

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CORE COMPETENCY REQUIREMENTS (CCR) FOR EMPLOYEES		
CORE MANAGERIAL COMPETENCIES (CMC)	✓	WEIGHT
Strategic Capability and Leadership		10%
Programme and Project Management		10%
Financial Management		15%
Change Management		
Knowledge Management		
Service Delivery Innovation		
Problem Solving and Analysis		
People Management and Empowerment		10%
Client Orientation and Customer Focus		15%
Communication		10%
Honesty and Integrity		
CORE OCCUPATIONAL COMPETENCIES (COC)		
Competence in Self Management		
Interpretation of and implementation within the legislative and national policy frameworks		
Knowledge of Performance Management and Reporting		10%
Knowledge of global and South African specific political, social and economic contexts		
Competence in policy conceptualisation, analysis and implementation		
Knowledge of more than one functional municipal field / discipline		10%
Skills in Mediation		
Skills in Governance		
Competence as required by other national line sector departments		
Exceptional and dynamic creativity to improve the functioning of the municipality		10%
Total percentage	-	100%

6. EVALUATING PERFORMANCE

- 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** SDBIP.

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6.5 The performance appraisal will involve:

6.5.1 Assessment of the achievement of results as outlined in the Performance Plan:

- (a) Each KPA should be assessed according to the extent to which the specified standards or performance indicators have been met and with due regard to ad hoc tasks that had to be performed under the KPA.
- (b) An indicative rating on the five-point scale should be provided for each KPA.
- (c) The applicable assessment rating calculator (refer to paragraph 6.5.3 below) must then be used to add the scores and calculate a final KPA score.

6.5.2 Assessment of the CCRs

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

6.5.3 Overall rating

An overall rating is calculated by using the applicable assessment-rating calculator. Such overall rating represents the outcome of the performance appraisal.

6.6 The assessment of the performance of the Employee will be based on the following rating scale for KPA's and CCRs:

Level	Terminology	Description	Rating				
			1	2	3	4	5
5	Outstanding performance	Performance far exceeds the standard expected of an employee at this level. The appraisal indicates that the Employee has achieved above fully effective results against all performance criteria and indicators as specified in the PA and Performance Plan and maintained this in all areas of responsibility throughout the year.					
4	Performance significantly above expectations	Performance is significantly higher than the standard expected in the job. The appraisal indicates that the Employee has achieved above fully effective results against more than half of the performance criteria and indicators and fully achieved all others throughout the year.					

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Level	Terminology	Description	Rating				
			1	2	3	4	5
3	Fully effective	Performance fully meets the standards expected in all areas of the job. The appraisal indicates that the Employee has fully achieved effective results against all significant performance criteria and indicators as specified in the PA and Performance Plan.					
2	Not fully effective	Performance is below the standard required for the job in key areas. Performance meets some of the standards expected for the job. The review/assessment indicates that the employee has achieved below fully effective results against more than half the key performance criteria and indicators as specified in the PA and Performance Plan.					
1	Unacceptable performance	Performance does not meet the standard expected for the job. The review/assessment indicates that the employee has achieved below fully effective results against almost all of the performance criteria and indicators as specified in the PA and 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.					

6.7 For purposes of evaluating the performance of the Municipal Manager, an evaluation panel constituted of the following persons must be established -

- 6.7.1 Executive Mayor;
- 6.7.2 Chairperson of the performance audit committee or the audit committee in the absence of a performance audit committee;
- 6.7.3 Member of the Mayoral Committee;
- 6.7.4 Mayor and/or Municipal Manager from another municipality; and
- 6.7.5 Member of a ward committee as nominated by the Executive Mayor.

6.8 For purposes of evaluating the Performance of Managers directly accountable to the Municipal Manager, an evaluation panel constituted of the following persons must be established -

- 6.8.1 Municipal Manager;
- 6.8.2 Chairperson of the performance audit committee or the audit committee in the absence of a performance audit committee;
- 6.8.3 Member of the Mayoral Committee; and
- 6.8.4 Municipal Manager from another municipality.

6.9 The Manager responsible for Human Resources of the municipality must provide secretariat services to the evaluation panels referred to in paragraphs 6.7 and 6.8.

7. SCHEDULE FOR PERFORMANCE REVIEWS

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

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First quarter	July – September 2011
Second quarter	October – December 2011
Third quarter	January – March 2012
Fourth quarter	April – June 2012

7.2 The Employer shall keep a record of all 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.

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 B).

9. OBLIGATIONS OF THE EMPLOYER

9.1 The Employer shall –

- 9.1.1 create an enabling environment to facilitate effective performance by the employee;
 - 9.1.2 provide access to skills development and capacity building opportunities;
 - 9.1.3 work collaboratively with the **Employee** to solve problems and generate solutions to common problems that may impact on the performance of the **Employee**;
 - 9.1.4 on the request of the **Employee** delegate such powers reasonably required by the **Employee** to enable him / her 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 to assist him / her 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 the powers will have amongst others –

- 10.1.1 a direct effect on the performance of any of the Employee's functions;

- 10.1.2 commit the **Employee** to implement or to give effect to a decision 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 10.1 as soon as is practicable to enable the **Employee** to take any necessary action without delay.

11. MANAGEMENT OF EVALUATION OUTCOMES

- 11.1 The evaluation of the **Employee**'s performance will form the basis for rewarding outstanding performance or correcting unacceptable performance.
- 11.2 A performance bonus of between 5% to 14% of the all-inclusive remuneration package may be paid to the **Employee** in recognition of outstanding performance to be constituted as follows:

11.2.1

Performance Score		Performance Bonus Percentage
From	To	
130%	133%	5%
134%	137%	6%
138%	141%	7%
142%	145%	8%
146%	149%	9%
150%	153%	10%
154%	157%	11%
158%	161%	12%
162%	165%	13%
166%	169%	14%

- 11.3 In the case of unacceptable performance, the **Employer** shall –

- 11.3.1 provide systematic remedial or developmental support to assist the **Employee** to improve his or her performance; and
- 11.3.2 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.

12. DISPUTE RESOLUTION

- 12.1 Any disputes about the nature of the **Employee**'s performance agreement, whether it relates to key responsibilities, priorities, methods of assessment and/ or any other matter provided for, shall be mediated by –
- 12.1.1 A member of the municipal council, provided that such member was not part of the evaluation panel provided for in sub-regulation 27(4)(e) of the Municipal Performance Regulations, 2006, within thirty (30) days of receipt of a formal dispute from the employee; whose decision shall be final and binding on both parties.
- 12.2 In the event that the mediation process contemplated above fails, clause 21.3 of the Contract of Employment shall apply.

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13. GENERAL

- 13.1 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**.
- 13.2 Nothing in this agreement diminishes the obligations, duties or accountabilities of the **Employee** in terms of his/ her contract of employment, or the effects of existing or new regulations, circulars, policies, directives or other instruments.

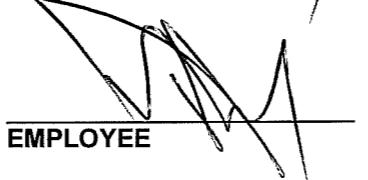
14. PERFORMANCE APPRAISALS

- 14.1 The **Employee** will be responsible for developing annual performance work plans and conducting performance appraisals with all staff in the Directorate as stipulated in Section 5 of the 2011 Performance Management System Framework and Policy document.

Thus done and signed at Klerksdorp on this the 16. day of May 201...

AS WITNESSES:

1. Chenje


EMPLOYEE

2. Yvonne Botha

AS WITNESSES:

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EMPLOYER

2. Rutha

Performance Plan

ACTING CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

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CITY OF MATLOSANA
Period 01 July 2011 to 30 June 2012 (Month to month)

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DIRECTOR FINANCIAL SERVICES - MR RT MAKGALE CAPITAL PROJECTS																			
Project ID.	Vote No.	Item Nr. (Section)	Supervisor	Responsible Person	Key Performance Area (KPA)	Objectives	Key Performance Indicators (KPI)	Annual Target	Revised Target	Base Line	Quarter	Quarterly Projected Target	Rating Key	Quarterly Actual Achievement	Expenditure	Reason for Deviation	Planned Remedial Action	Comments	Portfolio of Evidence
New Capital		ICT1	RT Makgale	S Mphuthi	Service Delivery & Infrastructure Development	To purchase and install an additional Pre-paid Management Server to increase the current capacity	Additional pre-paid management server in the ICT section purchased and installed	Purchasing and installation of an additional pre-paid management server in the ICT section at a cost of R180,000 by December 2011		Existing servers	1	SCM Process							Installed system & Expenditure Vote
New Capital		ICT2	RT Makgale	S Mphuthi		To replace and install computers to ensure an effective working environment	Number of computers purchased and installed	Replacing and installing 125 computer through the replacement programme of Council at a cost of R150,000 by June 2011			2	Server purchased							
New Capital		ICT3	RT Makgale	S Mphuthi		To plan and install an information security architecture to protect council data	Information security architecture platform (phase 1) planned and installed	Planning and installing an information security architecture platform (phase 1) in the ICT section for council a cost of R140,000 by December 2011		New project	3	-							Approved Plans & Designs. Council resolution Expenditure Vote
New Capital		ICT4	RT Makgale	S Mphuthi		To purchase a server arm and rack to ensure an effective working environment	Server arms and racks purchased	Purchasing 1 server arm and rack in the ICT section for Council at a cost of R120,000 by December 2011			4	-							
New Capital		ICT5	RT Makgale	S Mphuthi	Service Delivery & Infrastructure Development	To purchase a fingerprint door access control system to ensure proper security and access	Fingerprint door access control systems purchased and installed	Purchasing and installing 2 fingerprint door access control systems for the financial department at a cost of R200,000 by March 2012		New project	1	SCM Process							Actual Purchases & Expenditure Vote
New Capital											2	Server arm & rack purchased							
New Capital											3	-							
New Capital											4	-							

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Operational		FIN1	RT Makgale	RT Makgale	Municipal Financial Viability & Management	To manage audit queries to obtain reasonable explanations and to resolve	Number of less enquiries received on audit exemption report from the Auditor General	Receiving less than 50 enquiries on audit exemption report from the Auditor General by November 2011		170	1	-							Exemption Report
Operational		FIN2	RT Makgale	RT Makgale			Number of received enquiries resolved on audit exemption report	Resolving the 50 received enquiries on audit exemption report from the Auditor General by June 2012			2	50							
Operational		FIN3	RT Makgale	RT Makgale			Number of less enquiries received on audit exemption report from the Internal Auditors	Receiving less than 25 enquiries on audit exemption report from the Internal Auditors by June 2012			3	-							
Operational		FIN4	RT Makgale	RT Makgale			Number of received enquiries resolved on audit exemption report	Resolving the 25 received enquiries on audit exemption report from the Internal Auditors by June 2011			4	-							

Personal Development Plan (PDP)

ACTING CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER
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CITY OF MATLOSANA

Period 1 July 2011 to 30 June 2012 (Month to month)

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Compiled on (Date): *1 July 2011*

Competency area	Competencies required	Knowledge and Skills	Employee		Supervisor		HR Skills gap Identified
			Yes	No	Yes	No	
1. Strategic leadership and management	Within the Budget and Treasury Office, the ability to contribute to service delivery systems of a complex nature and to manage the achievement of municipal strategies and goals.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Providing visible, supportive & effective leadership • Motivating and empowering staff to deliver on municipal strategies and goals. • Fostering a positive and creative management culture. • Contributing to the alignment of strategies and goals with national and provincial policies and within the district. • Managing and overseeing implementation of an effective performance management system. • Utilising strategic planning methods and tools 					
	Within the area of responsibility, the ability to formulate and influence short, medium and long-term service delivery plans to deliver on municipal strategies and goals.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Providing direction and contributing to the development and review of credible plans including the integrated development plan (IDP) and service delivery and budget implementation plan (SDBIP). • Ensuring, within area of responsibility, the alignment of municipal strategies and goals. • Assessing and monitoring the impact of financial and non-financial changes on plans including national and provincial policy statements and changes. 					

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Implementing plans within the local government legal framework. • Identifying and managing risk in plans. • Based on the past and current performance and financial position of the municipality, advise on plans and strategies and goals. 	
The ability to provide supportive leadership to the accounting officer and senior management team.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Working closely in conjunction with senior management to support the accounting officer • Contributing and advising the accounting officer and senior management on policy objectives to ensure clear purpose and direction. • Evaluating and reporting to the accounting officer and senior management on the alignment and achievement of strategies and goals in respect of activities, service delivery and performance. • Formulating, in conjunction with the accounting officer and senior management, a clear vision, mission and strategies and goals • Establishing a culture of learning within the finance function. 	
Within the area of responsibility, the ability to develop and maintain strategic alliances with various stakeholders.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Developing and maintaining strategic alliances within the cooperative governance framework. • For the purpose of achieving the Constitutional mandate of local government, developing and maintaining strategic alliances with organisations and bodies outside government. • Communicating the municipality's mission and vision to various stakeholders. 	

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2. Strategic financial management	The ability to guide the management of an effective, economic and efficient finance function, supported by effective financial management policies and practices.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Formulating and implementing finance strategies, which enhance good financial management and decision-making practices across the finance function. • Developing and implementing financial policies and systems to ensure efficient and effective financial administration and control. • Developing, implementing and maintaining financial management guidelines, financial instructions, credit control procedures, debt collection and related financial policies. • Within the area of responsibility, managing the control of assets according to policies and procedures. • Managing and overseeing implementation of an effective performance management system within the finance function. • Applying best practice management accounting techniques within the finance function • Supporting the accounting officer to oversee the financial management, tax implications and performance of service delivery mechanisms (internal and external (including municipal entities in the case of a municipality)) and outsourced service agreements.
	The ability to forecast revenue and expenditure and assessing the impact thereof on a municipality's	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In conjunction with the accounting officer, preparing multi-year revenue and expenditure forecasts aligned with the strategic plans and budget and advising the impact thereof on service delivery, performance and financial position. • In conjunction with the accounting

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	financial position and performance	officer, developing sustainable strategies to address revenue shortfalls in alignment with strategic plans.		
3. Operational financial management	The ability to commission and operate financial systems.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Formulating specifications, commissioning and overseeing the maintenance of appropriate and accurate financial operating systems, including the areas of debt, cash, investment, asset and liability management, revenue management expenditure management, audit- and analytical requirements and statutory deductions. • Generating, regular reporting, measuring and monitoring of financial information to ensure financial control and to measure and monitor performance. • Ensuring adequate control of financial operating systems. • In conjunction with the accounting officer, and through the financial operating systems, analyse and report on the financial position, borrowing and performance of the municipality and how that impacts on the implementation of the annual budget and on the service delivery and budget implementation plan (SDBIP). • In conjunction with the accounting officer, determining requirements for in-house or outsourced or shared service agreements for the operation of financial systems. • Regular review of the efficiency and effectiveness of financial operating systems to align with the changing needs of the municipality. 	<p>The ability to</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monitoring the effects of changes, 	

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		<p>including legislation, inflation and resource allocations, on the working capital.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prioritising working capital to align with strategies and goals. • Monitoring and reporting on working capital, including how that affects investment options, revenue and debt collection. • Monitoring and reporting, through analysis, the implications of borrowing and the significance thereof to service delivery programmes and possible influences on the financial markets. • Applying 'best practice' risk management practices to the management of working capital.
maintain sufficient working capital (cash flow/short-term liquidity) to meet the needs of the municipality.	The ability to manage the budget preparation and implementation process and provide technical expertise in this regard	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In the case of a municipality: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Advising the accounting officer on the time schedule outlining key deadlines for the preparation, tabling and approval of the annual budget and the annual review of the IDP, budget related policies and related consultative processes. ◦ In conjunction with the accounting officer ensuring that the budget process aligns the budget and related budget policies to the integrated development plan (IDP) and service delivery and budget implementation plan (SDBIP) of the municipality • In the case of a municipal entity: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Advising and supporting the accounting officer with the budget process and annual review of related policies and related

	<p>consultative processes with the parent municipality. This includes the alignment of the entity's budget with its strategic plan and the service delivery agreement (SDA) and the integrated development plan (IDP) of its parent municipality.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Supporting the accounting officer to ensure the proposed budget is submitted to the parent municipality and that any recommendations of the council of the parent municipality are considered by the board of directors prior to approval of the budget. • Preparation, adoption and implementation of the budget and providing support to the accounting officer throughout the budget process. • Ensuring compliance to the legislative framework governing municipal budget and formats. • Knowledge of financial planning, taxation, budgeting and forecasting and the interrelation thereof. 	

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4. Governance, ethics & values in financial management	The ability to support and implement good governance in the area of responsibility.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support and implement clear roles and responsibilities, separation of powers and regular reporting lines for all role players within the area of responsibility to ensure transparency and accountability. • Knowledge and understanding of governance and ethics in financial management, embodied in the King Report on Corporate Governance, as it applies to the local government legal framework. • Supporting the accounting officer in the
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	<p>generation and sharing of knowledge and learning to enhance the collective knowledge, capacity and skills of officials and councillors or directors</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support the formulation of and implement the codes of conduct for all role players within the area of responsibility, which shall as a minimum include financial management, supply chain management and the codes of conduct set out in the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act. Support the implementation of systems to encourage and enforce good governance, ethics and the codes of conduct. These systems could include mechanisms to report misconduct, fraud, corruption, favoritism and non-compliance with legislation and disclosure of conflicts of interest, inducements, rewards, gifts, hospitality and favours. Ensuring that investigations are conducted within 30 days of discovery of allegations and that cases that may constitute a criminal offence are reported to the South African Police Service. Ensuring that codes of conduct, roles and responsibilities and reporting lines are clearly communicated, understood and observed by all role players within the area of responsibility. Leading by example and promoting high standards of ethical behaviour by acting with fidelity, honesty, integrity and in the best interests of the municipality and maintaining the confidentiality of information.
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5. Financial and performance reporting	The ability to implement and manage the financial reporting process of the municipality.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Knowledge and understanding of the legislative framework governing financial reporting in local government, including generally recognised accounting practice (GRAP). Manage the timely preparation, submission and publication of statutory reports, including the annual financial statements, annual report, in-year reports (e.g. in the case of a municipality monthly (section 71) and mid-year reporting (section 72), withdrawals from bank accounts (section 11(4)) etc. Ensure that the content of financial reporting is specific (unambiguous), measurable, accurate and valid, reliable and time specific. Support the accounting officer to analyse and evaluate the financial reports to understand the impact on, and to guide planning in respect of strategies and goals including the financial position, borrowings, performance, implementation of the annual budget and service delivery and budget implementation plan (SDBIP), tariff-, rates-, credit control, debt collection-, supply chain management, and relevant policies.
	The ability to implement and manage the performance reporting process of the municipality.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Knowledge and understanding of the local government legislative framework governing performance reporting. Within the area of responsibility implementing and maintaining a performance management system. In the case of a municipal entity also regularly monitoring, measuring, reviewing and reporting its performance to its parent

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Within the area of responsibility timely preparation, submission and publication of statutory reports relating to performance. For example the annual performance report (section 121(3) of the MFMA), mid year performance reporting (section 72 of the MFMA) of a municipality and in the case of a municipal entity, an assessment of the entity's performance (section 121(4) of the MFMA), mid year performance reporting (section 88 of the MFMA) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Within the area of responsibility, ensure that the content of performance reporting is specific (unambiguous), measurable, accurate and valid, reliable and time specific. • Within the area of responsibility support the accounting officer to analyse and evaluate the performance reports to understand the impact on, and to guide planning in respect of, strategies and goals including the implementation of the budget and service delivery and budget implementation plan (SDBIP) and policies. • Within the area of responsibility support the accounting officer to analyse and evaluate the performance of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ service delivery mechanisms (internal and external) and outsourced service agreements against performance targets, and in the case of a municipality, of each of its municipal entities against the service level agreement and performance targets for that entity, • Within the area of responsibility, ensuring that there is a link between the 	<i>M</i> <i>link of</i> <i>Se Cem</i>

<p>performance indicators and targets and the integrated development plan (IDP), service delivery and budget implementation plan (SDBIP) and the individual performance agreements of officials.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Within the area of responsibility, ensuring that the remuneration and appraisal system is performance based and that all performance bonuses are only awarded after consideration of actual performance of the municipality against the performance targets for a specific period. • Regularly benchmark the performance of the Budget and Treasury Office function against the performance of similar and/or comparable Budget and Treasury Offices to improve and guide in the planning and delivery of services. 		
6. Risk and change management	The ability to understand risk and guide the management of risk for the municipality within the area of responsibility.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Contributing to and supporting the accounting officer with the establishment and maintenance of effective, efficient and transparent systems of financial and risk management and internal control. • Contributing to and supporting the accounting officer with the implementation of a risk management- and fraud prevention plan • Contributing to and supporting the accounting officer with regular risk assessments and ensuring that risks are prioritised according to highest versus lowest potential risk • Mitigating risks within the area of responsibility in accordance with the prioritisation of risk • Within the area of responsibility

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<p>contributing to the management of risk (including the possible transfer of risk) and consideration of potential risks relating to mechanisms for service delivery (both internal and external), outsourced service agreements. In the case of a municipality it must also consider its municipal entities and Public-and-Private Partnerships (PPPs) and the transferring of funds to organisations and bodies outside government</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Analysing the reports of the internal audit unit and the audit committee applicable to the area of responsibility when considering risk and risk management 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Understanding the local government environment (including legislative, social, political and economic) and the ability to analyse the financial and non-financial impact of changes in the external and internal environment that could affect the municipality/municipal entity and recognising when this necessitates change ● Managing and implementing change management within the area of responsibility ● The ability to be proactive and find creative and innovative solutions to change ● Consultation with and management of various stakeholders particular to the change ● Managing and resolving any resistance to change ● Contributing and supporting the accounting officer with the alignment of strategies and goals with the need for 	
	<p>The ability to guide the management of change for the municipality within the area of responsibility.</p>	

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	<p>reporting on the performance of projects and contracts within the area of responsibility, including regular reporting to the accounting officer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Within the area of responsibility, ensuring regular reporting by external mechanisms and all contractors and service providers, including the availability of adequate information for the municipality to meet its statutory reporting obligations • Contributing to and supporting the accounting officer with the establishment and maintenance of a contract register • Contributing to and supporting the accounting officer to establish a contract management process to ensure that, prior to their commencement, contracts and amendments to contracts are in writing, include appropriate contract terms and conditions (including section 116 contract requirements (MFMA)) and contain performance based contract remuneration • Oversee the implementation of project plans within the area of responsibility • Contributing to the resolution of problems and disputes within the area of responsibility, as and when required • Supporting the accounting officer in consulting and securing stakeholder and community support for and involvement in projects where relevant. 		
8. Legislation, policy and implementation	The ability to support and contribute to the formulation of policy and By-Laws	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Knowledge and understanding of the municipality's environment (internal and external), the Constitution, national and provincial legislation and policy, and the legislative framework governing local 	

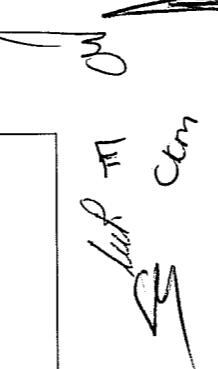
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laws by the municipal council	<p>government as well as the municipality's By-laws and policies</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Excellent verbal communication and writing skills and an ability to research and analyse complex information • Supporting the accounting officer and contributing to the process of adopting policies and making By-laws. This includes advising accounting officer on the financial and nonfinancial impact of proposed By-laws and policies OR in the case of a municipal entity supporting the accounting officer with the process of adopting policies including advising on the financial and non-financial impact of proposed policies • Within the area of responsibility, supporting the accounting officer with the administrative aspects of the process for adopting policies and in the case of a municipality also making By-laws • Supporting the accounting officer and contributing to the conceptualisation, formulation and drafting of policies and in the case of a municipality also By-laws in alignment with the integrated development plan (IDP), the Constitution, national and provincial legislation and policy, and the legislative framework governing local government, having regard to cooperative government. This process should include consideration of and alignment with existing policies and By-laws and be within budget constraints. <p>The ability to implement, manage and oversee the</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Implementing and overseeing the implementation and enforcement of policies and Bylaws, within the area of
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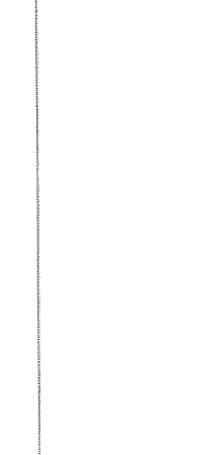
Implementation of legislation and policy within the area of responsibility	<p>responsibility</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Supporting the accounting officer and contributing to the establishment and maintenance of a register of non-compliance with legislative requirements. This includes, within the area of responsibility, regularly reporting these to the accounting officer and other role players. For example, instances of non-compliance with the MFMA are required to be reported to the National Treasury Regularly monitor and report to accounting officer on the implementation of policies and compliance of the municipality with legislative requirements Regularly reviewing and, where necessary, proposing to accounting officer amendment of policies and in the case of a municipality also By-laws, within the area of responsibility, to ensure their relevance and alignment with the strategies and goals Within the area of responsibility, monitor and ensure enforcement of municipal By-laws, including penalties and fines for non-compliance For purposes of the area of responsibility, regularly consider the impact of amendments to the Constitution, national and provincial legislation and policy, and the legislative framework governing local government on the municipality's By-laws and policies 		
9. Stakeholder relations	<p>Within the area of responsibility, the ability to guide, establish</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Within the area of responsibility, knowledge and understanding of stakeholders and recognising the varying relations required with stakeholders and 		

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and maintain appropriate stakeholder relations.	<p>the impact on the municipality and the municipality's impact on its stakeholders.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Within the area of responsibility, establishing and maintaining effective and relevant external stakeholder relations. This would include relations with the community, local businesses, public benefit organisations and other spheres of government including neighbouring municipalities and relations for purposes of external service delivery mechanisms, outsourced service agreements, etc and in the case of a municipality, Public-Private Partnerships (PPPs). Within the area of responsibility, establishing and maintaining clear roles and responsibilities, service levels, reporting lines and communications with the accounting officer, senior managers and other departments within the municipality and in the case of a municipality also its municipal entities, to ensure effective and relevant internal stakeholder relations. Within the area of responsibility, ensuring stakeholder consultation (internal and external) and advising the accounting officer on stakeholder consultation as envisaged and required by the Municipal Systems Act and the MFMA. This includes managing stakeholder expectations. 		
10. Supply Chain Management	The ability to manage and oversee a fair, equitable, transparent, competitive and	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Knowledge and understanding of the legislative framework governing the supply chain management function (including the Municipal Supply Chain Management Regulations, the Preferential Procurement Policy 	

cost effective supply chain management function	<p>Framework Act, 2000, etc)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supporting the accounting officer with the preparation of the supply chain management policy in accordance with the Municipal Supply Chain Management Regulations. This includes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Contributing to the alignment of the supply chain management policy of the municipal entity with the parent municipality's policy ◦ Contributing to the annual review of the supply chain management policy and practices and proposing amendments to the accounting officer • Promptly reporting any deviation of the supply chain management policy from the guideline standard to the accounting officer and ensure reporting to the National Treasury and the relevant provincial treasury • Advising the accounting officer on the establishment of supply chain management capacity, a Supply Chain Management Unit and a committee system (minimum bid specification-, bid evaluation- and bid adjudication committee). This includes building capacity through appropriate training and the allocation of resources. • In the case of a municipality, supporting the accounting officer to monitor councillor involvement in municipal tender committees (section 117 MFMA) • Implementing and monitoring delegations for supply chain management powers and duties in accordance with the Municipal Supply Chain Management Regulations. This includes establishing clear lines for
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	The ability to manage the supply chain management function	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Implementing and managing the supply chain management policy throughout the municipality to ensure supply chain management that is fair, transparent, competitive and cost effective • Supporting the accounting officer with establishing and maintaining registers to support the supply chain management function, including details of all tenders received and awarded, disclosure of sponsorships, inducements, rewards, gifts and favours, awards to close family members and persons in the service of the state, etc. This includes disclosure and reporting thereof (website, annual financial statements, etc.) • Supporting the accounting officer with the resolution of supply chain management related disputes, objections, complaints and queries • Ensuring unsolicited bids are only considered in accordance with the framework contained in the Municipal Supply Chain Management Regulations • Supporting the accounting officer to establish, implement and monitor measures to combat abuse of the supply chain management system, fraud, corruption, favouritism and unfair and irregular practices 		
11. Audit and Assurance	The ability to support the audit process, in order to obtain the	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Providing administrative support for the effective functioning of the internal audit unit and audit committee. This includes ensuring access to the financial records 		

optimum level of assurance from the Auditor-General	<p>and other relevant information of the municipality or municipal entity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Analysing the reports and advice of the internal audit unit and the audit committee and taking appropriate action • Coordinating and ensuring the distribution, analysis and management response to the reports and advice of the internal audit unit, audit committee and external auditors, across the municipality or municipal entity • Through consistent and sound financial management, timely prepare and submit accurate annual financial statements for auditing and the annual report(s) for the municipality and/or its entities to the Auditor-General (refer chapter 12 of the MFMA). In the case of a municipality with sole / effective control of a municipal entity this includes consolidated financial statements of the municipality and such municipal entities • Providing appropriate administrative support to the Auditor-General and access to all relevant information required to conduct the audit. • Assisting to ensure that the Auditor-General has communication with and access to the internal audit unit, audit committee and their reports. This is to ensure coordination between internal and external audit and to prevent a duplication of work • Ensuring and managing appropriate communication with the Office of the Auditor-General • During the audit, timeously responding to and coordinating and managing the responses of various departments to audit queries and requests for additional
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	<p>information</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Analysing the audit report and advice of the Auditor-General and taking appropriate action • In the case of a municipality, supporting the accounting officer to publish the oversight report, containing council's comment on the annual report(s) of the municipality and any of its municipal entities, within seven days of its adoption (section 129(3) of the MFMA) • The audit process provides the municipal council, the board or directors and stakeholders with the level of assurance that can be placed on finances of the municipality and/or entity. The chief financial officer in conjunction with the accounting officer, should consistently ensure improvement of financial management practices of the municipality and/or municipal entities to strive to obtain the optimum level of assurance from the Auditor-General.
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