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DA Limpopo lambasts state of Emergency Medical Services

LIMPOPO

The Democratic Alliance (DA) in Limpopo has raised concerns over the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) in the province.

According to the DA, innocent lives remain jeopardised as the services in Limpopo collapse. Lindy Wilson, DA Limpopo spokesperson for Health, said the party demands that the Minister of Health, Dr. Aaron Motsoaledi, intervenes in the collapsed EMS in the province.

Wilson stated that of great concern is the lack of qualified ambulance crews to administer life-saving interventions for patients requiring critical care.

"After much grandstanding and fanfare around the handover of dozens of new ambulances to public facilities around the province, very few have qualified crews to operate them. In fact, the DA is advised that there are only four advanced medical practitioners in the province," Wilson pointed out.

She alluded that paramedics and EMS personnel are required to complete a Higher Certificate in Emergency Medical Care, the most basic life support requirement – very basic paramedic, a Diploma in Emergency Medical Care or a Bachelor's Degree in Emergency Medical Care for Advanced Medical Practitioners.

"The majority of the crews on ambulances only have the basic Certificate in Emergency Medical Care and are not qualified to administer life-saving interventions like intubation. As a result, critical patients' lives have been put at risk by inadequately qualified personnel to assist where necessary. The crisis is made worse by the fact

that neither the Thazimbi nor the Capricorn training facilities in Limpopo are operational. Neither has met the accreditation criteria required by the Department of Higher Education and therefore, potential students for the EMS services are forced to travel to alternative provinces for training," added Wilson.

She indicated that Medivac helicopters, which should have one Advanced Medical Practitioner on board to fly patients to hospitals, are released with emergency medical personnel, which do not meet the requirements as laid out in the Act.

"In Limpopo province, where medical legal claims already run into billions, the situation has reached crisis point. Confidence in MEC Mashego and the Department of Health in Limpopo has all but disappeared. The DA will take a stand against the abysmal state of healthcare administered to our poor and vulnerable citizens and will ensure that every possible action is taken to protect them," concluded Wilson.

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The Democratic Alliance (DA) Limpopo spokesperson for Health, Lindy Wilson, calls for intervention on the province's Emergency Medical Services.

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Broadway Legacy Foundation empower learners in Sekhukhune

TAFELKOP

The Broadway Legacy Foundation recently visited Rammupudu Primary School, Motjedi Secondary School and Refilwe Secondary School in Tafelkop and surrounding villages as part of its 2025 activities to support learners in Sekhukhune and beyond.

The foundation presented learners with awards and gifts, aiming to inspire them to work harder and provide hope to educators.

According to Kholo Makena, Chairperson of the Broadway Legacy Foundation, the organization was established to address the challenges faced by rural communities, particularly in schools.

“We decided to act because we believe that our educators need our support as

parents, academics, and the community in general. Working together as stakeholders will give hope to educators and inspire learners to work harder,” she said.

Makena’s passion for empowering women and bringing change to her community has not gone unnoticed.

Jeffrey Walker, Chairperson of Bana Ba Sekhukhune community solutions, praised her dedication, saying: “We need women like Mrs Makena in our communities, people with passion for people and the urge to bring change to your surroundings.”

Makena, who is also a community activist, received numerous awards as a testament to her commitment to empowering learners and communities.

She also participated in various national and international forums, including the

Young Entrepreneurs of South Africa and the SAB Kickstarter.

Makena’s qualifications and experience are equally impressive, with a range of certifications and work experience in IT, project management, entrepreneurship, and social counselling.

Her dedication to empowering women and bringing change to her community is an inspiration to many.

Some of her other notable academic achievements include 100% pass rate in IT Network Engineering and 2-week ICT training in Shenzhen, China.

She said the Broadway Legacy Foundation’s visit to schools in Sekhukhune is a welcome development, and its efforts to support learners and educators are likely to have a positive impact on the community.



Broadway Legacy Foundation Chairperson, Kholo Makena, says she believes that the organization will have a positive impact in Sekhukhune communities.



Broadway Legacy Foundation founder, Kholo Makena (In front) during her schools’ visit programme in Tafelkop Village.

Leeuwfontein RDP residents demonstrate over crime and unemployment concerns



Residents of Leeuwfontein RDP concerns of high rate of crime and unemployment .

LEEUEWFFONTEIN - The community of Leeuwfontein RDP Section in Ephraim Mogale Local Municipality (EPMLM) has on Monday 26 May 2025 staged a protest raising complaints about pressing concerns affecting the community, high crime rate in main.

The community said the area is plagued by various criminal issues, including frequent killings, armed robberies, and house break-ins which have created a sense of insecurity among residents. They also raised concerns about spiking unemployment rate in the area which they say is significantly high, contributing to economic instability and social unrest.

The Leeuwfontein community feels that law and order are not being adequately enforced due to a lack of police visibility. They are also concerned about the high volume of illegal foreign nationals in the area, which they believe is exacerbating existing problems such as crime and high unemployment rates at local farms.

Community Leader, John Leshilo, told

the publication that the protest was sparked by the recent killing of one of residents who was murdered on 18 April 18 2025.

Leshilo stated that the protest was set to make an impact with the closure of all main roads in Leeuwfontein and also impact normal traffic flow. However, the demonstrators were dispersed by the public order police before the protest could escalate.

A meeting was convened with the police in the morning in which the protesting community was promised that a relevant police delegation will be sent in the area to address the high crime issues.

“We are happy with the outcomes of the meeting but the community has given the police an ultimatum, stating that if they fail to attend to their concerns, they will stage another protest soon,” said Leshilo.

Currently, the situation remains tense at Leeuwfontein, and the community is eagerly awaiting the police delegation's visit to address their safety concerns.

FORM 8

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LIQUOR LICENCE IN TERMS OF SECTION 28(1) (C)

Limpopo Liquor Act, 2009 (Act No. 5 of 2009)

Regulation 8

I, the undersigned applicant hereby give notice in terms of S28(1)(c) that an application for liquor licence will be lodged with the Capricorn District Local Liquor Authority.

In terms of S28(1) (b) of the Act, you may lodge an objection to the application.

The objection form is obtainable from the above -mentioned Liquor Local Authority. Objections must be submitted to the aforesaid Local Liquor Authority within 21 days from the date of lodgement of the application.

1. Full names of Applicant: **Ramphisa Mpho Frans**

2. Intended Trading name: **Mpho’s Club**

3. Identity number of applicant: **740918 5740 087**

4.1. Full address and Location of the premises: **Stand no. 65B, LESEHLENG B Section, Ntwane village, Farm: Kwarrielaagte no. 69 JS, Moutse.**

4.2. Global positioning system(GPS) coordinates of the property where the retail operations are to be carried out.

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5. Type of licence applied for: **On consumption -Food provision**

6. List of Schools, places of worship etc. within a radius of 500m from the premises listed in paragraph 4.

School: **None**

Place of Worship: **None**

Public Transport Facility: **None**

Buildings where the public have access to public services: **None**

Filling Station: **None**

GNT pension and medical aid contributions matter receives intervention



One of the Great North Transport depots in Sekhukhune district in an undesirable state with broken down vehicles and buses.

SEKHUKHUNE

Great North Transport employees affected by the company’s hardships to make contributions to the pension and medical aid payment could breathe a sigh of relief.

This is following the recent announcement by the Limpopo Economic Development Agency (LEDA) to fast-track payment of the outstanding cases. Thakani Makhuvha, LEDA Group Chief Executive Officer has highlighted the significance of GNT’s turnaround plan and confirmed that LEDA would step in to close the gap caused by non-payment of the critical employee benefits.

Makhuvha stated that they have taken an important decision, as GNT’s shareholder, to make the necessary payments and bring all outstanding contributions up to date. “We are hopeful this situation will not recur,” said Makhuvha.

Makhuvha further expressed concern

over the no-payment issue and extended an apology to the affected employees, describing the situation as unfortunate and regrettable.

Responding to the Democratic Alliance (DA) Limpopo’s decision to lay criminal charges against officials of both GNT and LEDA, the Group CEO said while it is within the party’s right to pursue legal action, they want to assure the public that LEDA has been in continuous engagement with GNT to find a lasting solution to the matter.

The bus company has been faced with difficulties in fulfilling the obligations as a result of financial constraints.

GNT recently undertook several strategic interventions to facilitate its turnaround, including the acquisition of new buses to replace its aging fleet.

It launched a bus lease programme which is expected to yield positive results and increase the number of operational buses on the road.

Major breakthrough in Roossenekal farm attack investigation

ROOSSENEKAL - In a significant breakthrough that has been achieved in the ongoing investigation into serious violent crimes in Limpopo, a 29-year-old suspect, Bazali Mathebula, was arrested in connection with the brutal murder of a Roossenekal farmer, Robert Scholtz, who



The police made a breakthrough arresting a suspect in connection with the murder of slain Roossenekal farmer, Robert Scholtz.

was killed at his farm recently.

The suspect appeared before the Groblersdal Magistrate’s Court on Friday 23 May 2025, following a successful intelligence-driven, multi-disciplinary operation.

Brigadier Hlulani Mashaba, Limpopo Provincial Police Spokesperson, said the operation led to the recovery of four unlicensed firearms and 218 rounds of ammunition, some of which have been linked to the brutal farm murder of Scholtz earlier in May 2025.

“The joint operation was conducted on Tuesday 20 May 2025, and involved members of the Sekhukhune Tracking Team, Roossenekal Police, supported by BMO Security Company. Acting on credible intelligence, officers apprehended the suspect and recovered a disassembled shotgun, which investigations later confirmed was linked to the Scholtz murder case. The suspect was granted bail of R4, 000 bail and the case was remanded to 23 June 2025, for further investigation,” explained Mashaba.

He informed that a further search of

MAKHUDUTHAMAGA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF A TOWNSHIP IN TERMS OF SECTION 53 OF THE MAKHUDUTHAMAGA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY SPLUMA BY-LAW, 2020

I/We, Matete and Associates Consultants, being the agent of the owner of property, Portion 48, Portion 69 (a portion of 47), Portion 70 (a portion of 47) of the Farm Vergelegen 819 KS (Jane Furse Ext 2), hereby give notice in terms of section 90(1)(h) of the Makhuduthamaga Spluma By-law, 2020, that I/we have applied to Makhuduthamaga Local Municipality for the amendment of the applicable Land Use Scheme, by establishing a township in terms of section 53 of the Makhuduthamaga Spluma By-law, 2020, of the property as described above comprising of 3 Erven for the purpose of a government offices. Any objections and/or comments, including the grounds for such objections and/or comments with full contact details and shall be lodged with, or made in writing to: Manager: Town Planning, Private X 343, Jane Furse, 1085 within 28 days from 1st date of the publication.

Full particulars and plans (if any) may be inspected during normal office hours at the Municipal offices Stand no 1, Groblersdal Road, Jane Furse, for a period of 28 days from the 30th of May 2025 (1st date of publication of the notice).

Address of the Applicant: 100 Marshall Street, Office 4 Kruger Park, Polokwane, 0699
PO Box 339, Bendor Park, 0713
Telephone no: 015 291 1425
Cell: 078 367 6950

MAKHUDUTHAMAGA MMASEPALE WA SEGAE TSEBISO YA KGOPELO YA GO HLOMA MOTSE GO YA KA KAROLO YA 53 YA MOLAO WA MAKHUDUTHAMAGA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY SPLUMA BY-LAW, 2020

Nna/Rena, Matete and Associates Consultants, ka ge re le moemedi wa mong wa thoto, Portion 48, Portion 69 (a portion of 47), Portion 70 (a portion of 47) of the Farm Vergelegen 819 KS (Jane Furse Ext 2), ka fao re fa tsebišo go ya ka karolo 90(1)(h) ya Makhuduthamaga Municipality Spluma By-Law, 2020, gore nna/re dirile kgopelo go Mmasepala wa Makhuduthamaga bakeng sa phetošo ya Sekema sa Tšhomišo ya Naga seo se šomago, ka go hloma motse gape go ya ka karolo ya 53 ya Molao wa ka fasana wa Makhuduthamaga Spluma, 2020, ya thoto bjalo ka ge e hlalošitšwe ka mo godimo e bopilwego ka ditene tše tharo ka morero wa diofisi tša mmušo.

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Dintlha ka botlalo le maano (ge di le gona) di ka hlahlobja ka dinako tše di tlwaelegilego tša mošomo dikantorong tša Mmasepala Stand no 1, Groblersdal Road, Jane Furse, lebaka la matšatši a 28 go tloga ka la 30 Mei 2025 (letšatšikgwe di la mathomo la phatlalatšo ya tsebišo).

Aterese ya Mokgopedi: 100 Marshall Street, Office 4 Kruger Park, Polokwane, 0699
Lepokisi la PO 339, Bendor Park, 0713
Nomoro ya mogala: 015 291 1425
Sele: 078 367 6950.



The ammunition of various high calibre firearms were confiscated by the police during the arrests of Bazali Mathebula in connection with the Roossenekal farm attack murder.

the suspect’s residence yielded a substantial weapons cache, including the recovery of a rifle with a magazine and ammunition, two shotguns, a pistol with ammunition and a total of 218 rounds of ammunition in various calibers.

“Preliminary findings indicate that the recovered firearms were the property of a private security company based in Thulamashe, whose director is now deceased,” Mashaba said.

Mashaba said the investigation into the murder of Robert Scholtz remains ongoing, and additional arrests have not been ruled out as the probe continues.

The Provincial Commissioner of the Police in Limpopo, Lieutenant General Thembi Hadebe, has highlighted the effectiveness of intelligence-led policing and strong inter-agency collaboration in tackling serious crimes impacting rural communities.



The unlicensed firearms which were recovered at Bazali Mathebula's residence during his arrest.

Operation Vala Umgodi crackdown on illegal miners and illegal migrants



The Operation Vala Umgodi conducted in Marble Hall and Makhado policing areas resulted in the arrests of illegal miners and illegal immigrants.

MARBLE HALL - The Police in Limpopo have made significant strides in disrupting illegal mining activities and related crimes through Operation Vala Umgodi, conducted on Friday 23 and Saturday 24 May 2025, with the arrests of 22 suspects, aged between 18 and 52, for contravention of the immigration act in the Marble Hall and Makhado policing areas. Brigadier Hlulani Mashaba, Limpopo Provincial Police Spokesperson, said in Marble Hall, 19 suspects were arrested during patrols and stop-and-

search operations, while three suspects were arrested in Makhado.

"The police also seized abandoned items, including shovels, pickaxes, and a Mitsubishi truck, after suspects fled the scene on foot. The arrested suspects will appear before the local magistrate's courts soon, and police investigations are ongoing," he said.

Mashaba said the police continues to crack down on illegal activities, ensuring the safety and security of communities in Limpopo.

Career expo empowers Elias Motsoaledi youth



Pupils from different secondary schools around Elias Motsoaledi villages attended in numbers to benefit from the career expo.



Sekhukhune TVET College Representative, Abicky Kgolane, highlighting the college's available opportunities during the career expo.

learners in receiving guidance on fields of study, entry requirements, and potential bursaries.

The initiative provided learners with an opportunity to engage with various stakeholders, including universities, government departments, private colleges, TVET colleges as well as private sector companies.

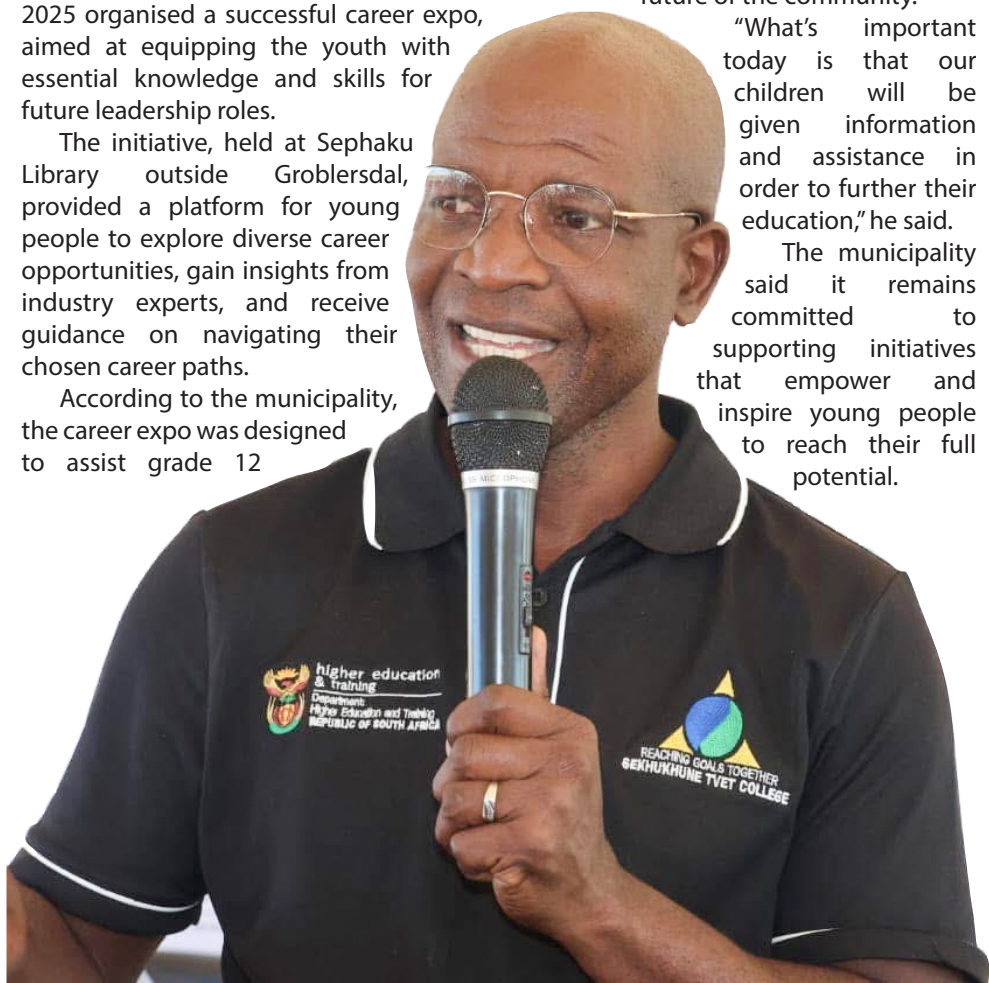
During the expo, EMLM Ward 23 Councillor, Nkgetheng Mohlala, emphasized the importance of investing in the development of the youth, stating: "We are gathered here today for the career expo, to assist grade 12 learners in receiving guidance in the fields of study they wish to follow, what requirements they need to meet in order to gain entry into those fields and to determine where we can assist when it comes to bursaries."

Mohlala added that the exposure enabled learners to gain a deeper understanding of the various career paths available to them and the requirements for each.

He indicated that by investing in the development of the youth, the municipality aims to foster a new generation of leaders who will shape the future of the community.

"What's important today is that our children will be given information and assistance in order to further their education," he said.

The municipality said it remains committed to supporting initiatives that empower and inspire young people to reach their full potential.



Sekhukhune TVET College Representative, Abicky Kgolane, highlighting the college's available opportunities during the career expo.

Ephraim Mogale Local Municipality



PUBLIC NOTICE

DISPOSAL OF PORTION OF PORTION 980 OF THE FARM LOSKOP NOORD 12 JS MEASURING APPROXIMATELY 26.9369 HECTARES FOR DEVELOPMENT OF A SHOPPING MALL.

Notice is hereby given in terms of the Local Government: Municipal Finance Management Act (No. 56 of 2003) (MFMA), read with the Municipal Asset Transfer Regulations (R878 of 2008), the promotion of Administrative Justice Act (No. 3 of 2000) as well as the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act (No. 32 of 2000) as well as the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act (No. 32 of 2000) that the Council of the Ephraim Mogale Local Municipality in terms of resolution number: OC4/20/2025 dated: 30/04/2025 intends to dispose portion of portion 980 of the farm Loskop Noord.

The municipality is intending to dispose of Portion of Portion 980 of farm Loskop Noord 12 JS measuring 26.9369 hectares for development of a shopping mall. The disposal will be based on a market-related price. The Municipality is intending to dispose of the portion of Portion 980 Loskop Noord 12JS to a Developer as appointed through the fair tender process referenced EPMLM/8/3/492.

The portion is not required in terms of section 14 of the MFMA to provide minimum basic services. The purchaser will be responsible for all costs involved.


Any comments and/or objections to the proposed alienation, with your reasons for such objection(s), must be submitted in writing and addressed to the Municipal Manager, Ephraim Mogale Local Municipality, P.O. Box 111 Marble Hall, 0450, by no later than close of business on Wednesday, the 30 July 2025.

Any comments and/or objections which are received after the abovementioned closing date, may possibly not be taken into consideration, in terms of section 21(4) of the Systems Act, notice is hereby given that people who cannot write, may approach the Planning and Economic Development Department during office hours, where a member of staff will assist them in converting their comments or objections in writing. Any enquiries will assist them in converting their comments or objections in writing. Any enquiries may be directed to Ms. P Tjebane or Mr M Seaba at 013 261 8527 or email ptjebane@emogalelm.gov.za or mseaba@emogalelm.gov.za.

M.E. MOROPA
MUNICIPAL MANAGER

P. O. BOX 111, MARBLE HALL, 0450
013 261 8400
013 261 2985

Leeuwfontein Office: (013) 261 8509
Elandsdraal Office: (013) 261 8506
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Thembisile Hani Local Municipality invites suitably qualified applicants for the following vacant position(s):

PLANNING & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SERVICES DEPARTMENT

ASSISTANT MANAGER LOCAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT Ref: THLM/P&ED/06

Workstation: Mthombomuhle (Kwaggafontein) **Term of Office:** Permanent
Salary: R 634,896.00 per Annum (Excluding Benefits) **Task Grade 15.1**

Minimum requirements: Grade 12; A relevant 3-year Tertiary qualification in Economics, Development Studies, Business Administration, or a related field. Minimum of 5 years' relevant experience in local economic development, of which 3 years should be at a supervisory or middle management level. In-depth knowledge of Local Economic Development (LED) principles, legislation, and economic development frameworks. Extensive Knowledge of Small Medium & Micro Enterprise Sector (SMMEs) and Cooperatives. Proven experience in project management, stakeholder engagement, and report writing. Strong communication, analytical, and leadership skills. Must be computer literate and have a valid driver's license.

Competencies: Research and Analysis; Strategic thinking, planning and organising; Project and Programme Management; Financial Management; Public sector understanding; Stakeholder engagement, Innovation and problem-solving; Change management Public Consultation, Socio- Economic/Socio - Political Awareness, Strategic Capability and Leadership.

Key Performance Areas: Support the development, revision and implementation of LED strategies, policies and programs. Facilitate partnerships between the municipality, private sector, government agencies, and community organizations. Identify and promote opportunities for small business development, entrepreneurship, and investment. Monitoring Business compliance and trading infrastructure. Economic Transformation & Supplier Development. Manage and coordinate LED projects, including budgeting, resource allocation, and performance monitoring. Monitor economic trends and provide policy advice to enhance the local economic environment. Provide technical support to SMMEs, cooperatives, and informal traders. Assist in funding applications and stakeholder engagement for project sustainability.

TECHNICAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT

TECHNICIAN ROADS Ref: THLM/TS/26

Workstation: Mthombomuhle (Kwaggafontein) **Term of Office:** Permanent
Salary: R 434,430.00 per Annum (Excluding Benefits) **Task Grade 12.1**

Minimum requirements: Grade 12; A relevant National Diploma in Civil Engineering, registered as candidate technician/technologist with ECSA. Computer literacy: MS Office, 3 - 5 years' relevant experience, valid driver's license.

Competencies: Planning, Operations and Maintenance, Interpersonal Relationships, Action and outcome orientation

Key Performance Areas: Monitors progress in achieving the outcomes identified as priority in the Roads and Stormwater plans, assessing compliance with respect to specific Acts/ Legislation/ Regulations and advising and/ or supporting the immediate supervisor with information on progress and/ or results of interventions, Performs quality control procedures on sealed and unsealed roads pre and post construction. Provide input on by-laws containing conditions for the provision of Roads and Stormwater Plans. Analyze the status of Roads and Stormwater infrastructure, through internal and external assessment, including field reports and data collected through investigations, as well as complaint registers. Reports update and provide information and guidelines to appointed consultants on planned maintenance projects. Provide technical support to ensure that programs are implemented according to specifications and personnel are adequately trained to utilize systems. Ensure that adequate standards are adhered to, maintenance projects are implemented as planned, accurate record keeping and cost control systems are made available to the division. Ensure that Technical Engineering information reflected is accurate to facilitate the monitoring of ongoing projects and planned future projects, as well as Maintenance Engineering. Draft specifications for tender documents and reports and Evaluating Tenders and providing input into the evaluation of consultant's proposals and formulating recommendations for consideration during the appraisal and appointment process and submitting Business Plans to the Supervisor for approval. Analyzing and evaluating adjudication reports received from Consultant's and preparing recommendations on tenders for consideration. Execute procedural measures for monitoring, updating and maintaining cash flows and deliverables in accordance with programme objectives and outcomes. Verifying quantities on payment certificates referring to budget guidelines and submitting variation orders to direct supervisor for approval. Conduct maintenance backlog assessment to determine the capital required to eradicate any backlog in maintenance.

HEAVY PLANT OPERATOR(Excavator Operator) Ref: THLM/TS/27

Workstation: Mthombomuhle (Kwaggafontein)
Term of Office: Permanent

Salary: R 276,845.00 per Annum (Excluding Benefits) **Task Grade 9.1**

Minimum requirements: Basic literacy. Driver's license code 14 (EC) plus proficiency certificate for operating truck mounted equipment, Minimum 3 years relevant experience.

Competencies: Managing Work, Workplace Safety, Task Accountability, Quality Orientation, Oral Communication

Key Performance Areas: Performs general checks ahead of a driving trip, (e.g. tire pressure; current, valid registration sticker; windscreen; lights and horn in working order; body work and vehicle logbook); able to perform safety inspections, recognize and report mechanical problems and performs preventative maintenance. Receive instructions from immediate supervisor to establish details of task. Inspecting safety devices, controls, lubricant levels on vehicle and report defects to the immediate supervisor. Driving and maneuvering heavy mechanical plant and engaging controls to operate mechanisms to enable digging, loading, grading, compacting and levelling sequences.

TRUCK DRIVER Ref: THLM/TS/28

Workstation: Mthombomuhle (Kwaggafontein) **Term of Office:** Permanent
Salary: R 245,883.00 per Annum (Excluding Benefits) **Task Grade 8.1**

Minimum requirements: Basic literacy. Driver's license code 14 (EC). Departmental proficiency test, Minimum 1-2 years Relevant Experience.

Competencies: Managing Work, Workplace Safety, Task Accountability, Quality Orientation, Oral Communication

Key Performance Areas: Receive instructions from immediate supervisor to establish details of tasks, Inspecting safety devices, controls, lubricant levels etc, on vehicle and report defects to the immediate supervisor. Drive the municipal vehicle to the required service point and supervise the maintenance of the waterborne sewer reticulation system and similar systems.

GENERAL ASSISTANT X2 Ref: THLM/TS/28

Workstation: Mthombomuhle (Kwaggafontein) **Term of Office:** Permanent
Salary: R 139,177.00 per Annum (Excluding Benefits) **Task Grade 4.1**

Minimum requirements: Basic Literacy, 0 -1 years' experience required
Competencies: Oral Communication, Workplace Safety, Managing Work.

Key Performance Areas: Undertakes specific activities associated with the sewerage drainage from domestic and business premises, by pumping and cleaning septic tanks as directed, Trouble shooting and repairing septic systems, plumbing and drain cleaning as needed, Locate and dig up tanks when required. Cleans vehicle and attends to the storage and care of cleaning tools by removing and washing off debris from tools, containers and/ or vehicles, applying disinfectants and using pressurized cleaning systems (handheld hoses), Placing and stacking tools in designated storage areas and/ or verbally reporting the condition/ status of tools to the immediate superior

SOCIAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT

GENERAL ASSISTANT Ref: THLM/SS/09

Workstation: Mthombomuhle (Kwaggafontein) **Term of Office:** Permanent
Salary: R 139,177.00 per Annum (Excluding Benefits) **Task Grade 4.1**

Minimum requirements: Basic Literacy, 0 -1 years' experience required
Competencies: Oral Communication, Workplace Safety, Managing Work.

Key Performance Areas: Takes basic instructions, adhere to all safety requirements during work schedules, perform basic daily routine functions including cleaning, sweeping and mopping, wiping and dusting surfaces, cleaning the kitchen and washing utensils and other related duties. Reporting defective items to the immediate superior for attention.

Applications must be submitted on the prescribed "General application" form obtainable from the HR Office/Municipal website: www.thembisilehanilm.gov.za (All field on the form completed). An application should include a comprehensive CV with at least three contactable references. Certified copies (not older than six months) of qualifications & ID document/card can be submitted to: The Municipal Manager: Thembisile Hani Local Municipality, Private Bag x 4041 Empumalanga 0458 or can be deposited at Thembisile Hani Local Municipality Stand No 24 Mthombomuhle (Kwaggafontein 'C') in a Marked Drop Box for vacancies. **NO FAXED OR E-MAILED APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED.**

Failure to fill in and sign the prescribed application form will automatically disqualify the applicant. Candidates must be willing to be subjected to background screening and/or security clearance process.

Thembisile Hani Municipality is an equal opportunity, affirmative Action Employer and all appointment made will be in accordance with the Employment Equity Act. Preference will be given to suitable qualified designated groups in accordance with the Municipal Employment Equity Plan.

CLOSING DATE: 06 June 2025 @ 16H00


Enquiries to Human Resources Enquiries: Ms. N.P. Tjia and/ or Ms. N.A. Mfiso through 013 986 9169 and/ or tjia@thembisilehanilm.gov.za and mfison@thembisilehanilm.gov.za respectively.

NB: Canvassing in respect of these positions will lead to disqualification of the applicant. If you have not received any correspondence from the municipality within six (6) weeks after the closing date of this advertisement, you should consider your application unsuccessful.

The council reserves the right not to appoint, and no correspondence will be entered into.

Mr.D.J.D. Mahlangu Municipal Manager

Ephraim Mogale Local Municipality



PUBLIC NOTICE CALLING FOR INSPECTION OF THE SUPPLEMENTARY VALUATION ROLL 4 AND LODGING OF OBJECTIONS:

Notice is hereby given in terms of section 49(1)(a)(i) read together with section 78(2) of the Local Government Municipal Property Rates Act, 2004 (Act No. 6 of 2004), hereinafter referred to as the "ACT", that the Supplementary Valuation Roll for the financial years 1 July 2024 to 30 June 2025 is open for public inspection at the **Main Office and Satellites Offices of Ephraim Mogale Local Municipality from the 29th May 2025 to 11th July 2025. In addition the Supplementary Valuation Roll is available on the Ephraim Mogale Local Municipality website: www.epraimmogalelm.gov.za** and at the following venues and Satellites Offices listed below on Mondays to Fridays during office hours from 07:30 to 16:00:

1. Municipal library situated at 15 Second Avenue, Marble Hall
2. Municipal Satellites Offices : Moganyaka-A. Elandskraal and Zamenkomst .
3. Ephraim Mogale Main Office: 2 Ficus Street, Marble Hall.

An invitation is hereby made in terms of section 49(1)(a)(ii) read together with section 78(2) of the Act that any owner of the property or other person who so desires should lodge an objection with the Municipal Manager in respect of any matter reflected in, or omitted from, the Supplementary Valuation Roll within the abovementioned period.

Attention is specifically drawn to the fact that in terms of section 50 (2) of the Act an objection must be in relation to a specific individual property and not against the Supplementary Valuation Roll. The form for the lodging of objections are obtainable at the address below or website www.ephraimmogaleml.gov.za

Persons who cannot read and write may visit **The Manager in Revenue Management at the Main Office of Ephraim Mogale Local Municipality Mrs P.R. CHUENE or Mrs E.A. NKGODI** where an explanation will be given to such persons as well as provision of assistance regarding transcribing their comments or representation. And alternatively dial during office hours: **013 261 8434 / 013 261 8439 / 013 261 8445 / 013 261 8452.**

The completed forms must be returned to the following address:

**2 Ficus Street
Ephraim Mogale Local Municipality
Budget & Treasury Office
Revenue Unit**

For enquiries please contact:

You can also call or email the following details:

Mrs P.R. CHUENE 013 261 8452 / Mrs E.A NKGODI 013 261 8434
Emails: pchuene@emogalelm.gov.za or engwenya@emogalelm.gov.za or
Kindly email your objection forms to objections@ephraimmogaleml.gov.za

**M.E. MOROPA
MUNICIPAL MANAGER**

Limpopo budget needs a reset, says DA

LIMPOPO - The Democratic Alliance (DA) in Limpopo is calling for an urgent reset of the provincial budget to decisively tackle unemployment, curb wasteful expenditure, and improve service delivery.

According to Jacques Smalle, DA Limpopo Spokesperson on Finance, a fundamental shift is required in the provincial budget, one that demands accountability, prioritizes infrastructure and investment, and ensures that every rand spent is directed towards creating jobs and delivering essential services.

"The DA is calling for a comprehensive review of spending and savings across all departments, provincial entities, and municipalities to identify areas for cost-cutting and redirect funds to essential services and infrastructure," he said.

Smalle added that the party wants to see failed programmes and projects closed down, and duplicity of roles eliminated to effect savings and improve efficiency.

"The DA is questioning the efficacy and desirability of provincial-owned entities such as Great North Transport (GNT), Gateway Airports Authority Limited (GAAL), and the Road Agency Limpopo (RAL). Why persevere with RAL while the when provincial roads maintenance is being transferred back to the Department of Public Works, Roads and Infrastructure?" asked Smalle.

He emphasized the need for increased and targeted infrastructure spending, stating that it is essential to drive economic growth, productivity, and competitive environment.

"We are calling for increased use of Public-Private Partnerships (PPPs) to fund and develop infrastructure, and to recapitalise, expand and operate municipal infrastructure and service delivery," Smalle said.

He also highlighting the persistent lack of accountability and consequence management within the provincial administration, stating that corruption and maladministration continue to undermine the impact of budgets, stunt development, and cripple Limpopo's growth prospects.

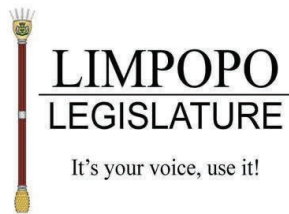
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LIMPOPO LEGISLATURE INVITES SUITABLE SERVICE PROVIDERS FOR THE FOLLOWING BIDS:

The Limpopo Legislature hereby request proposal for the Supply and Delivery of Live Streaming Equipment; and Supply and Delivery of Signage and Branding for Legislature Precinct. The full detailed technical specification/terms of reference is outlined in the bid document.

1 SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF LIVE STREAMING EQUIPMENT: LPL COM 02/2025

EVALUATION CRITERIA

The bid for Supply and Delivery of Live Streaming Equipment to the Legislature will be evaluated on Preferential points scoring system of **80/20**.

1. Preference Points System

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| 1.1 Price | 80 |
| 1.2 Specific Goals | 20 |
| Total points for preferential points scoring system | 100 |

2 SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF SIGNAGE AND BRANDING FOR LEGISLATURE PRECINCT: LPL COM 01/2025

1. FUNCTIONALITY

For bidders to be evaluated further on preferential points scoring system of 80/20 a bidder must obtain at least the **minimum qualifying score of 70%** on Functionality, failure to obtain at least the minimum qualifying score, the bidder will be disqualified. Point's breakdown, requirements and how score will be allocated for functionality will be outlined in the bid document.

1.1. Point's breakdown for functionality

Expertise and skills = 50%, Company experience 50%,
Total points for functionality **100**

EVALUATION CRITERIA

The bid for Supply and Delivery of Signage and Branding for Legislature Precinct to the Legislature will be evaluated on **Functionality** and Preferential points scoring system of **80/20**.

2. Preference Points System

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| 2.1. Price | 80 |
| 2.2. Preferential points | 20 |
| Total points for preferential points scoring system | 100 |

3. Special Conditions of the bids (1&2)

- Shortlisted service providers may be invited for presentation before the Adjudication Committee and the Legislature will not be responsible for the cost incurred during the preparation of presentations.
- A valid CSD report (or in the case of a Joint venture, of all the partners in the joint venture) must be attached
- Accredited valid B-BBEE Certificate/ Sworn affidavit (or in case of a Joint venture, the consolidated B-BBEE Certificate must be attached.
- Bids documents will be uploaded on the website

www.limpopoleg.gov.za and eTender portal from **29 May 2025**.

- Bids may only be submitted on the original bid document as provided by the Limpopo Legislature.
- Limpopo Legislature reserves the rights not to accept the lowest tendered price.
- Limpopo Legislature reserves the right to conduct the inspection in loco in the business premises
- Bidders are advised to adhere to the terms of reference/specification to avoid delays and repercussions of non-adherence to the terms of reference/specification.

Important Information

Your tender should be dropped in a sealed envelope in the Legislature Tender Box, situated at the entrance of the Limpopo Legislature at Lebogakomo Government Complex, which is **open 24 hours 7 days a week before 11H00 on the 24 June 2025**

Compulsory Briefing Session

A compulsory briefing session for the Supply and Delivery of Signage and Branding for Legislature Precinct will be held on the **03 June 2025 at Committees Boardroom (ground floor) 11:00 am**

Contact Persons: Ms. Talane AM (SCM) (015) 633 8000 / 066 519 5499
Mr. Netshidzivhe M (Spec) (015) 633 8000 / 079 877 5300

Operation Vala Umgodi arrests illegal miners and recover stolen properties



The brick moulds, spades and wheelbarrows which were recovered at Dzondo River in Mvelaphanda during Operation Vala Umgodi.

GROBLERSDAL - The Police Operation Vala Umgodi, which were executed at Groblersdal and Vuwani policing areas on Sunday 25 May 2025, resulted in the arrest of seven suspects, aged between 18 and 39, for various offenses, including illegal mining, possession of suspected stolen properties, and contravention of immigration laws. The arrests were made during operations conducted separately at the Groblersdal and Vuwani policing areas respectively. Colonel Malesela Ledwaba, Limpopo Provincial Police Spokesperson, said in Groblersdal, five suspects were arrested after members of Operation Vala Umgodi responded to a tip-off about a suspicious silver grey Mercedes Benz at an old mine.

"Upon searching the vehicle, the police found suspected stolen properties,

including copper wires, shovels, pickaxes, and side cutters. The suspects were also charged with contravention of immigration laws after failing to produce passports," explained Ledwaba.

He added that in the Vuwani policing area, two suspects were arrested for illegal mining and contravention of immigration laws.

"They were found mining illegally at Hamanavhela Mahebe River," Ledwaba said. He said during the operation, the police also confiscated abandoned items, including 5 brick moulds, 3 spades, and 3 wheelbarrows, at Dzondo River in Mvelaphanda area.

"The suspects will appear before their local magistrate's courts soon. Police investigations are ongoing," concluded Ledwaba.

NOTICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION APPLICATION BY: NGWAABE AGGREGATE CARRIES (PTY) LTD

Notice is hereby given in terms of EIA Regulation 41(2) (c) of the Regulations, under the Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998)

Ngwaabe Aggregate Carries (Pty) Ltd applied for a **Mining Permit** for mineral **Sand General Only**, in terms of Section 27 of the Minerals and Petroleum Resources Development Act 28 of 2002. The project will be following the Basic Assessment Report procedures in terms of regulation 41(3) (b) (i) of the NEMA: EIA Regulation, 2014. The project will trigger Activity 21 of Listing Notice (LN) 1 of the EIA Regulations "Any activity including the operation of that activity which requires a mining permit in terms of section 27 of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act, as well as any other applicable activity as contained in Listing Notice 3 of 2014, required to exercise the mining permit.". The applications cover farm:

IRONSTONE 847 KS

DMRE REF: LP 30/5/1/3/2/12884MP.

Located in the magisterial district of **Greater-Tubatse/Fetakgomo/Sekhukhune**.

You can be involved in the Public Participation Process by:

- sending a fax, email or mail with your name, contact details and concerns/questions relating to the project.

- Providing us with the names of additional people that can be contacted.

All correspondence be received within **30 days from receipt of these notice** will be submitted to the Department of Mineral Resources & Energy (DMRE). All issues raised during the public participation process will responded to in writing to the Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs). I&AP include all parties concerned, who will be affected by the project and interested in the prospecting/exploration project.

CORRESPONDANCE MAY BE DIRECTED TO: VM Mafanele

EMAIL: info@mafanelegeo-enviro.co.za or michaelmafanele@mafanelegeo-enviro.co.za or mafanelevm@gmail.com or Postnet Suite 210

Private Bag x 5981

Polokwane North

0750

OFFICE: 26 Thabo Street (AL Smit Building), Polokwane, Limpopo

FAX: 0865 444 911

CEL: 072 395 9511/066 389 1021/078 174 4835

DATE OF NOTICE: 30 May 2025

Seven-hundred and sixty-four nabbed in Shanela Operation

LIMPOPO - A total of 764 offenders were nabbed while three firearms confiscated during the Shanela/Kukula Operation executed across the five districts of Limpopo province between 19 May and 25. The suspects were apprehended for various offences with a total of 427 nabbed for contravention of the Immigration Act.

Colonel Malesela Ledwaba, Limpopo Provincial Police spokesperson, said additionally, the operation resulted three suspects arrested for murder, nine for attempted murder, 10 for rape, 55 attempted rape, nine for other sexual offences, 22 for assault with intent to cause Grievous Bodily Harm, three for business robbery, 1 for house robbery, three for illegal possession of firearms, 22 for possession of dangerous weapons, seven for illicit cigarettes, four for burglary business and eight for malicious damage to property.

Ledwaba stated that 33 more were banned for assault common, 96 for drug-related offences, six for driving under the influence of alcohol, 48 as wanted suspects and 181 for other crimes.

"The operation further resulted in the confiscation of large volumes of contraband and recovery of stolen goods. Fifteen Thousand one-hundred and eighty counterfeit cigarette sticks, 787ml of illegal liquor with 43 arrests for illegal trading, various quantities of narcotics including crack cocaine, heroin as well as nyaope, 12 dangerous weapons and cellphones were

confiscated," added Ledwaba.

He attributed the success of the operation to high-impact policing actions, including 2073 stop-and-searches, 37 roadblocks set up across the province, 378 second-hand goods dealers inspections, 314 scrapyards checks and 1201 liquor outlets inspections, resulting in the closure of 16 illegal ones.

The Provincial Commissioner of South African Police Services in Limpopo, Lieutenant General Thembi Hadebe has welcomed the successes achieved during the operations and commended the role players for their continued efforts in the fight against crime.



The Provincial Commissioner of South African Police Service in Limpopo, Lieutenant General Thembi Hadebe.



IMSSA SALGA PROVINCIAL GAMES IN SEKHUKHUNE

The Executive Mayor of Sekhukhune District Municipality Cllr. Minah Bahula, invites you to the IMSSA SALGA Provincial Games. Join us for an eventful week. Details are as follows:

VENUE

6-7 JUNE 2025, GROBLERSDAL

09:00 - 17:00 SEKHUKHUNE DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY

OPENING CEREMONY: FRIDAY, 6 JUNE 2025

GROBLERSDAL STADIUM

CLOSING CEREMONY: SATURDAY, 7 JUNE 2025

GROBLERSDAL STADIUM



Executive Mayor
Cllr. Minah Bahula

LEAVE NO ONE BEHIND

The Executive Mayor of Sekhukhune



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Career expo empowers Elias Motsoaledi youth

Tshakuma FC tops EPMLM LFA League



Seroka FC suffered a 2-0 defeat from Tshakuma FC during the EPMLM LFA League clash played at Ditshweneng Sports Grounds in Moganyaka



Tshakuma FC climbed to the summit of the EPMLM LFA League following their 2-0 victory defeating Seroka FC on Sunday 25 May 2025.

MOGANYAKA

In a thrilling LFA league match played on Sunday 25 May 2025 at Ditshweneng Sports Ground in Moganyaka Village outside Marble Hall, Tshakuma FC emerged victorious over Seroka FC with a convincing 2-0 win in the Ephraim Mogale Local Municipality (EPMLM) Local Football Association (LFA) League.

The match, which was delayed by 27 minutes due to the absence of the EPMLM LFA League referee, saw Tshakuma FC play like lions in their home ground and gaining victory.

The goals were scored by Thabang Masemola and his nephew Koketso Gwen Masemola, who netted one goal each.

The team played a clean sheet in the first half, but changed their formation from 4-5-1 to 3-5-2 in the second half, which proved to be a masterstroke.

Tshakuma Head Coach, Moruti Monama, praised the performance of their center back, Matlala "Domperryoung" Promise, who played in central midfield and was adjudged man of the match.

"He did well in the middle of the park, and his performance was instrumental in our victory," said the coach.

The win has seen Tshakuma FC move to the top of the log table with 23 points, ahead of Ditlou FC, who drew 1-1 against C4 United.

Tshakuma FC's next match will be played against Moganyaka Mighty Blues FC at Mighty Blues FC Sports Ground on Sunday 1 June 2025, in a highly anticipated derby match that kicks off at 15:00 pm.

The team's fans are eagerly looking forward to the match, and the team is expected to continue their winning streak.

With their current form and determination, Tshakuma FC looks set to make a strong bid for the league title.