

The Integrated Development Plan

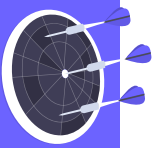
IDP



What is the IDP?



The IDP is a municipality's **5 year plan** for what needs to be done in their communities.



IDPs set **yearly development targets** and explain what the municipality aims to achieve.



IDPs are reviewed by the municipality and **updated every year**.

Why is it important?



The IDP is a **link between local government** and the needs of the **citizens**.



IDPs guide **how municipalities spend their money**.



Developments will only happen in your area if they are included in the IDP.



What does the IDP do?



Sets out the **plans and projects** that the municipality aims to develop in your area.



Allows **residents to have their say** on government development in their area.



Guides how **budgets** are used and helps municipalities to **keep track of their spending**.



Helps to make sure that municipalities can be held **accountable** by communities.



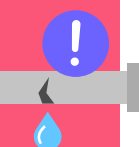
Having a good IDP helps to **speed up service delivery**.



Makes it easier for **national, provincial, and local** government to **work together**.



What does the IDP NOT do?



Address service delivery problems like burst pipes and blocked toilets.



Incorporate spontaneous requests that have not gone through the IDP process.