

MATJHABENG MUNICIPALITY

MINUTES

OF

**SECTION 80: PUBLIC SAFETY &
TRANSPORT MEETING**

HELD ON

THURSDAY, 07 SEPTEMBER 2017

AT

10:00

IN

**PUBLIC SAFETY & TRANSPORT BOARDROOM,
WELKOM**

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**MINUTES OF THE SECTION 80: PUBLIC SAFETY & TRANSPORT HELD ON
THURSDAY THE 07TH SEPTEMBER 2017 AT PUBLIC SAFETY & TRANSPORT
BOARDROOM, WELKOM AT 10:00.**

PRESENT

COUNCILLORS

Cllr V. Morris	: Chairperson
Cllr LN Presente	: Member
Cllr TW Letlhake	: Member
Cllr BB Nkonka	: Member
Cllr PT Ramatisa	: Member

COUNCIL OFFICIALS

Mr. Mokhuoa	: SNR Manager Public Safety
Me. L Williams	: Official
Mr. J Suping	: Official
Mr. M Sithole	: Official
Mr. L Khuze	: Official
Mr. RJF Klaassen	: Official

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1. OPENING

The meeting was officially opened by the Chairperson, Councilor VR Morris who welcomed every one present and acknowledges the presence of Deputy Director from Johannesburg Metro, Department of Justice, Officials from Nala Local Municipality, Officials from Tokologo Local Municipality and Masilonyana Local Municipality.

Concern from the Councilors present was that the meeting is an ordinary meeting and the Agenda was supposed to be delivered within 48 hours but that did not happened. The Chairperson apologized and requested the Admin Officer to take note of the concern.

2. APPLICATION FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Mr. T Taaljaard

3. MOTION OF SYMPATHY AND CONGRATULATION

None

4. DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST

None

5. DEPUTATIONS AND INTERVIEWS

Presentation 1 : I P RADIO

PURPOSE

The purpose of the presentation is to present to the Section 80 the new radio system that can talk nationally.

The equipment is the combination of conventional two way radio system on one side and a cellphone on the other (new version of *walkie-talkie*). It has no limitation like old radio system. It is also connected to the server. With one button the control room can trace the location of the person who is on duty. Purchase price is R2999.00 and rental is R299.00 a month with unlimited data. Software is R150.00 per month.

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That the matter **BE LOOKED** at by the HOD.

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Presentation 2 : DREAGER ALCO TEST 95.10

PURPOSE

The purpose is to present to the Section 80 a breathalyzer which is very advance and which will make the operator of the machine to articulate better to the Magistrate.

The machine is able to print more than three reports which can be presented to the court as evidence. It can verify the Officer who is testing a person. The machine is able to keep the record. The presenter reminded the meeting that Section 65(2-9) speaks to drunken driving which

normally takes two years to resolve but with this new device it takes less that to get results and prosecute. The presenter explained that they will able to come to train the trainers in two months from now. Those who will be trained will be able to train the operators.

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That the matter **BE FURTHER ENTERTAINED** at the departmental level.

Presentation 3 : TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGIES (TMT)

PURPOSE

The purpose of the presentation is to present to the Section 80 Public Safety and Transport the importance of Traffic Management and Road Safety Management.

The company design locally produced cameras. They also do automatic number plate recognition and remote camera monitoring. Their equipment is able to pick up any vehicle that violates the traffic signs like stop signs and robots. It can pick up unlicensed or stolen vehicle.

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That the Public Safety &Transport MMC **MEET** with the HOD and officials to **DISCUSS** the presentation.

Presentation 4 : TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (TMS) – Jeffrey Fokane

PURPOSE

The purpose of the presentation is to present to the Section80 Public Safety & Transport the Traffic Management System that is convenient, quick and easy.

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The Quick Park Machine captures the registration of the vehicle. It reduces crime and informal car guards who mainly harass the motorists. The system will provide jobs to the youths by introducing the parking marshal system. Every morning the parking marshals will have a morning parade to inspect them that they have dressed properly. The system will also have back rooms where the zone monitors are sitting with their computers to monitor the marshals in each and every street.

The marshals will have interaction with the motorists to find out how long are intending to stay and the marshal will charge the motorist the amount as per the by-law. The marshal will then capture the registration number of the vehicle and that information is automatically captured by the back room supervisors of the monitors. The motorist will get a receipt that will be placed at the dashboard. The system also indicates if the motorist has over stayed.

The system generates revenue for the municipality and job creation especially the youths.

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That the Section 80 **TAKES NOTE** of the presentation.

Presentation 5 : SYNTEL JOINT INFORMATION SYSTEM (JIS) – Riaan Engelbrecht

PURPOSE

The purpose of the presentation is to present to the Section 80 the Joint Information System that will assist the traffic Department to manage the traffic around Matjhabeng.

The company manufactures cameras for traffic. They have automatic number plate recognition device which is able to trace stolen vehicles. They can trace vehicles that have committed license offences. They trace duplicates false and cloned vehicles. There is also a device that can scan license and tell if the license is expired or the disc of the car is been forged, the same device can pick up the vehicle registration if it has ignored the road signs. It can monitor border posts around South Africa.

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That the Section 80 **TAKE NOTE** of the presentation.

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6. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

Delivered items from the service provider are 20 boots, helmets and Jackets only.

The combat was not delivered.

10 telephone lines have been installed at Fire Department.

The white House does not belong to council and it cannot be utilized for the student accommodation.

7. MATTERS FOR DISCUSSION

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8. CLOSURE

The Chairperson thanked everybody for being part of the meeting and the meeting was adjourned at **16:58**.

CHAIRPERSON

DATE

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PS&T24/2017

DRAFT POLICY ON THE PREVENTION OF LAND INVASION (AED: CS) (8/1B)

PURPOSE

The purpose of this item is to inform Section 80 with regard to the mechanisms to prevent land invaders.

DISCUSSION

The Department felt that it is necessary to have a policy on prevention of land invasion through the advice of the South African Police Service. Therefore there was a need to consult and come out with a thorough policy and be submitted in the next meeting.

THE SECTION 80: PUBLIC SAFETY & TRANSPORT RESOLVED (07 September 2017)
That the matter **BE REFERRED** back.

PS&T25/2017

ENHANCING PUBLIC SAFETY SERVICE DELIVERY THROUGH THE APPOINTMENT OF EXISTING MUNICIPAL SECURITY PERSONNEL TO EFFECT THE DUAL FUNCTION OF MUNICIPAL LAW ENFORCEMENT & MUNICIPAL SECURITY SERVICES (AED: CS) (5/5/2)

PURPOSE

The purpose of this item is to highlight the Section 80 committee on the Enhancing Public Safety Service delivery through dual function of Municipal Law enforcement and Municipal Security Services.

DISCUSSION

It was felt that the matter has been discussed in this level of section 80. It needed to be approved by the council. The name change which should be **law enforcement unit** will enable the security officers to arrest and stand before the court. This matter therefore needs to be fasttracked and quickly come to the approval of the council.

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That the matter **BE REFERRED** to the Council for approval.

PS&T26/2017

REPORT ON THE ILLEGAL LAND INVASION AT PHUMLANI OPEN SPACE NEXT TO 2010 (AED: CS) (11/1B)

PURPOSE

The purpose of this item is to highlight the Section 80 committee on the current status of Land Invasion.

DISCUSSION

The municipal officers visited the area to investigate the land grab and they were confronted by the land invaders who told them that they were instructed by the Ward Councilor to occupy the land and they throw stones at officers. The Ward Councilor swears at them, according to municipal security officers. MMC informed the meeting that the Executive Mayor said that Councilors must look at the land that is not occupied but it must be the municipal land.

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That the matter **BE REPORTED** to the council to take action.

PS&T27/2017

REPORT ON INSTITUTE FOR MUNICIPAL PUBLIC SAFETY OF SOUTHERN AFRICA HELD ON 22ND – 24TH AUGUST 2017 IN STELLENBOSCH (AED: CS) (5/6/3)

PURPOSE

The purpose of this item is to report on the IMPS-SA (Institute for Municipal Public Safety- Southern Africa Conference which took place from the 22nd – 24th August 2017, in Stellenbosch.

DISCUSSION

The following members were elected in that Conference from Matjhabeng Municipality:

1, Mr. MJ Shuping as IMPS-SA National Councillor and Member of the Executive Committee

2, Mr. RT Mokhuoa Co-opted as IMPS-SA National Councillor

3, Mr. Vicky Morris as Political will IMPS-SA National Councillor

The Section 80 Public Safety & Transport congratulated the members that have been elected in the IMPS-SA.

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That the matter **BE NOTED**.