

AGENDA

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2019-03-26

**NOTICE OF THE 3RD MEETING OF
THE COUNCIL OF BREDE VALLEY MUNICIPALITY
TUESDAY, 2019-03-26 AT 10:00**

TO The Speaker, Cllr N.P.Mercuur [Chairperson]
The Executive Mayor, Alderman A. Steyn (Ms)
The Deputy Executive Mayor, Cllr J.D. Levendal

COUNCILLORS

M.N. Bushwana	A.Pietersen
R. Farao	P.C. Ramokhabi
Alderman S.Goedeman	J. Robinson
E.N. Isaacs	M. Sampson
Alderman C. Ismail	E.Y. Sheldon
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J.R.Jack	Alderman P.Tyira
M.Jacobs	E.Van der Westhuizen
J.D.P.Jaftha	J.F. Van Zyl
J.P. Kritzinger	J.J. Von Willingh
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P. Marran	N.P. Williams
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Notice is hereby given in terms of Section 29, read with Section 18(2) of the *Local Government: Municipal Structures Act, 117 of 1998*, as amended, that the 3RD **MEETING** of the **COUNCIL** of **BREDE VALLEY MUNICIPALITY** will be held in the **COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CWDM, 51 TRAPPE STREET, WORCESTER** on **TUESDAY, 2019-03-26** at **10:00** to consider the items on the Agenda.



SPEAKER
CLLR NP MERCUUR

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1. OPENING AND WELCOME

In terms of the Rules of Order for Internal Arrangement By-Law 2012 the chairperson must take the chair at the time stated in the notice of the meeting or as soon thereafter as is reasonably possible: provided that the meeting does not commence later than 30 (thirty) minutes after the time stated in the notice of the meeting and must proceed immediately with the business of the meeting.

2. OFFICIAL NOTICES

2.1 DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS

Item 5 of the Code of Conduct for councillors' states:

A councillor must –

- (a) disclose to the council, or any committee of which that councillor is a member, any direct or indirect personal or private business interest that that councillor or any spouse, partner or business associate of that councillor may have in any matter before the council or the committee; and
- (b) withdraw from the proceedings of the council or committee when that matter is considered by the council or committee, unless the council or committee decides that the councillors' direct or indirect interest in the matter is trivial or irrelevant.

2.2 APPLICATIONS FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE

In terms of the Rules of Order for Internal Arrangement By-Law 2012;

- 2.2.1 Every Councillor attending a meeting of the Council must sign his or her name in the attendance register kept for such purpose.
 - 2.2.2 A Councillor must attend each meeting except when –
 - (a) Leave of absence is granted in terms of Clause 10; or
 - (b) The Councillor is required to withdraw in terms of law.
 - 2.2.3 The Attendance Registers will be available at the meeting.
 - 2.2.4 A blank Application for Leave of Absence form is enclosed.
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3. COMMUNICATION

3.1 INTERVIEWS OR PRESENTATIONS BY DEPUTATIONS

In terms of the Rules of Order for Internal Arrangement By-Law 2012;

*“A deputation seeking an interview with Council must give the Municipal Manager **6 (six) days** written notice of its intention and furnish details of the representations to be made and the source of the deputation. The Municipal Manager must submit a request by a deputation for an interview with Council to the Speaker, who may decide to grant or refuse an interview and under what conditions”*

3.2 BIRTHDAYS OF COUNCILLORS

None

3.3 LONG SERVICE AWARDS: EMPLOYEES

NUMBER	NAME AND SURNAME	POST TITLE AS AT DATE OF LONG SERVICE AWARD	LONG SERVICE YEARS
1	KOOS APRIL	GENERAL WORKER - DE DOORNS	10
2	LIESL DU PLESSIS	PRINCIPAL CLERK: COMMITTEES	10
3	CYNTHIA OOR	CLERK SUPPORT SERVICES - MECHANICAL WORKSHOP	10
4	CLARA SAUNDERS	GENERAL WORKER - DE DOORNS	10
5	CLIVE SCHROEDER	HANDYMAN BUILDINGS - DE DOORNS	10
6	CHRISTO CUPIDO	FOREMAN WASTE WATER	25
7	PETRO SCHREUDER	PERSONAL ASSISTANT	25
8	NICO SWARTZ	GENERAL ASSISTANT	25

3.4 STATEMENTS BY THE SPEAKER**3.5 STATEMENTS BY THE EXECUTIVE MAYOR****4. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES**

- 4.1 In terms of the Rules of Order for Internal Arrangement By-Law 2012;
- (a) Minutes of the proceedings of meetings must be compiled in printed form and be confirmed by the Council at the next meeting and signed by the Speaker.
 - (b) The minutes shall be taken as read, for the purpose of confirmation, if a copy thereof was sent to each Councillor within forty-eight hours before the next meeting, subject to the provisions of sub-Clause (4).
 - (c) No motion or discussion shall be allowed on the minutes, except in connection with the correctness thereof.
 - (d) The minutes formulated and screened during meetings, shall constitute a resolution for purposes of implementation of decisions.

4.2 Council Meeting held on 26 February 2019 (Copy enclosed)**RECOMMENDATION**

That in respect of

**CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS COUNCIL MEETING
discussed by Council at the Council meeting held on 26 March 2019:**

1. As the Minutes of the Council Meeting held on 26 February 2019 were sent to each councillor at least forty-eight hours prior to the meeting, the minutes of the Council meeting held 26 February 2019 be taken as read and confirmed.
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5. REPORT BY THE EXECUTIVE MAYOR ON DECISIONS TAKEN BY THE EXECUTIVE MAYOR, THE EXECUTIVE MAYOR TOGETHER WITH THE DEPUTY EXECUTIVE MAYOR AND THE MAYORAL COMMITTEE

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6. CONSIDERATION OF AGENDA ITEMS**6.1 DRAFT INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT PLAN (IDP) 2019/2020**

File No./s:10/3/8
Directorate: Strategic Support Services

Responsible Official: C. Malgas
Portfolio: Strategic Support Services

Purpose

To table the 2019/2020 Draft IDP, as prepared in line with the prioritised needs of the Breede Valley community, in accordance with the budgetary resources available.

To obtain Council's approval of the Breede Valley Municipality Water Services Development Plan – IDP water sector draft input report for 2019 - 2020.

The 2019/2020, Draft IDP shall be consulted with the local community and all relevant stakeholders as required by legislation.

Background

In terms of the Municipal Systems Act, Act 32 of 2000, Section 34, a Municipal Council must review its integrated development plan annually in accordance with an assessment of its performance measurements in terms of Section 41, and to the extent that changing circumstances demand, and may amend its integrated development plan in accordance with a prescribed process.

Section 16(1) of the Municipal Systems Act, Act 32 of 2000 refers to the development of a culture of municipal governance that complements representative government with a system of participatory governance, thereby encouraging and creating conditions for the local community to participate in the affairs of the municipality, including:

- (i) The preparation, implementation and review of its integrated development plan; and
- (ii) In execution of the above, Council endorsed a direct IDP/Budget information sharing with the public in all wards of the municipality

A copy of the 2019/2020 Draft IDP is attached as Annexure "A".

For Ease of Reference, the page reference with updates to information is listed below:

vi: Mayor's Foreword

vii - viii: Municipal Manager's Foreword

5 - 16: Process plan for the 2nd review of the fourth-generation integrated development plan adopted by Council (changed dates to reflect Council Adoption of Time Schedule for 2019/2020)

21 - 36: Socio-economic & Demographic Profile (Human Development Index; Educational Statistical Information; Skills Level; Safety & Security)

176 – 177: Establishing the Zwelethemba Commercial Corridor

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288 - 347: Ward priorities/plans of each ward pertaining to the 2019/20 financial year

356 -358: Institutional Governance (Council & Executive Mayoral Committee sections)

475 – 489: Overall Actual Performance of Indicators for the Mid-Year Ending 31 December 2018

With regards to the Water Services Development Plan - IDP Water Sector Input Report

The Water Services Act (Act 108 of 1997) requires that every Water Services Authority must report on the implementation of its Water Services Development Plan (WSDP) during each financial year. The Breede Valley Municipality is the responsible Water Services Authority in its area of jurisdiction. In addition to being a legal requirement, the WSDP provides the basis of planning for water services in a Water Services Authority, serving as input to the Integrated Development Planning (IDP) process. The WSDP provides information on, inter alia, water sources and quality, water balance, water services infrastructure and institutional arrangements for water services.

The primary purpose of the WSDP is to assist WSA's to carry out their mandate effectively. It is an important tool to assist the WSA to develop a realistic long-term investment plan which prioritises the provision of basic water services, promotes economic development and is affordable and sustainable over time.

The WSDP is a five-year plan that is aligned with the IDP process. The WSDP processes the availability of data and information to support the planning of water services. This then provides an opportunity for the Breede Valley Municipality to recognize shortfalls and optimally utilize the data to address gaps by developing strategic plans in order to reach the Municipality's strategic objectives.

A copy of the Water Services Development Plan - IDP Water Sector Input Report is attach as Annexure "B"

Matters not amended in the reviewed IDP

Kindly note that information in sections not mentioned in the list above, have not changed and/or will be updated and incorporated in the final review to be tabled in May 2019

Financial Implications

The Medium-Term Revenue and Expenditure Framework (MTREF) will be aligned to the final reviewed and approved IDP.

Applicable Legislation

MFMA, Section 21

Municipal Systems Act, Act 32 of 2000

Comment of Directorates / Departments concerned**Municipal Manager: Supported****Director: Strategic Support Services: Supported****Director: Financial Services: Supported****Director: Technical Services: Supported****Director: Community Services: Supported****Senior Legal Manager: Supported****Annexures**

Annexures A: Draft integrated development plan 2019/20

Annexures B: Water Services Development plan IDP Water Sector input report

RECOMMENDATION**That in respect of -****2019/2020 Draft Integrated Development Plan (IDP)****discussed by Council at the Council meeting held on 26 March 2019:**

1. That Council adopts the 2019/2020 Draft IDP, second review of 2017-2022.
2. That Council adopts the Water Services Development Plan – IDP Water Sector Input Report for 2019/2020.

To action:

Chad Malgas

6.2 2019/20 DRAFT BUDGET MEDIUM TERM REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE FRAMEWORK

File No. /s: 3/2/2/19

Responsible Official: R Ontong

Directorate: Financial Services

Portfolio: Financial Services

Purpose

The purpose of this submission is to present the 2019/20 MTREF Final Budget.

Legal Framework

Section 16 of the Municipal Finance Management Act states:

“Annual budgets

16. (1) The council of a municipality must for each financial year approve an annual budget for the municipality before the start of that financial year.

(2) In order for a municipality to comply with subsection (1), the mayor of the municipality must table the annual budget at a council meeting at least 90 days before the start of the budget year.

(3) Subsection (1) does not preclude the appropriation of money for capital expenditure for a period not exceeding three financial years, provided a separate appropriation is made for each of those financial years.

Contents of annual budgets and supporting documents

17. (1) An annual budget of a municipality must be a schedule in the prescribed format —

(a) setting out realistically anticipated revenue for the budget year from each revenue source;

(b) Appropriating expenditure for the budget year under the different votes of the municipality;

(c) Setting out indicative revenue per revenue source and projected expenditure by vote for the two financial years following the budget year;

(d) Setting out —

(i) Estimated revenue and expenditure by vote for the current year; and

(ii) Actual revenue and expenditure by vote for the financial year preceding the current year; and

(e) A statement containing any other information required by section 215(3) of the Constitution or as may be prescribed”

Financial Implications

The financial implications of the 2019/20 MTREF final budget is captured in the Budget Report.

Annexures

Municipal Budget and Reporting Regulations Schedule-A Budget tables (**Annexure A**)

Quality Certificate (**Annexure B**)

Revised Budget Related Policies (**Annexure C**)

- Asset Management Policy
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- Budget Policy
- Budget Virement Policy
- Costing Policy
- Credit Control and Debt Collection Policy
- Financial System User Account Management Policy
- Funding and Reserves Policy
- Infrastructure Investment And Capital Projects Policy
- Insurance Management Policy
- Long Term Financial Plan Policy
- Petty Cash Policy
- Property Rates Policy
- Supply Chain Management Policy
- Tariff Policy
- Write-Off Policy

Municipal Tariffs (**Annexure D**)

Municipal Finance Management Act Budget Circulars (**Annexure E**)

FINAL MEDIUM-TERM REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE FRAMEWORK 2019/2020 – 2021/2022



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Abbreviations and Acronyms

AMR	Automated Meter Reading
ASGISA	Accelerated and Shared Growth Initiative
BPC	Budget Planning Committee
CBD	Central Business District
CFO	Chief Financial Officer
CPI	Consumer Price Index
CRRF	Capital Replacement Reserve Fund
DBSA	Development Bank of South Africa
DoRA	Division of Revenue Act
DWA	Department of Water Affairs
EE	Employment Equity
EEDSM	Energy Efficiency Demand Side Management
EM	Executive Mayor
FBS	Free basic services
GAMAP	Generally Accepted Municipal Accounting Practice
GDP	Gross domestic product
GDS	Gauteng Growth and Development Strategy
GFS	Government Financial Statistics
GRAP	General Recognised Accounting Practice
HR	Human Resources
HSRC	Human Science Research Council
IDP	Integrated Development Strategy
IT	Information Technology
kℓ	kilolitre
km	kilometre
KPA	Key Performance Area
KPI	Key Performance Indicator
kWh	kilowatt-hour
ℓ	litre
LED	Local Economic Development
MEC	Member of the Executive Committee
MFMA	Municipal Financial Management Act
MIG	Municipal Infrastructure Grant
MM	Municipal Manager
MMC	Member of Mayoral Committee
MPRA	Municipal Properties Rates Act
MSA	Municipal Systems Act
MTEF	Medium-term Expenditure Framework
MTREF	Medium-term Revenue and Expenditure Framework
NERSA	National Electricity Regulator South Africa
NGO	Non-Governmental organisations
NKPIs	National Key Performance Indicators
OHS	Occupational Health and Safety
OP	Operational Plan
PBO	Public Benefit Organisations
PHC	Provincial Health Care
PMS	Performance Management System
PPE	Property Plant and Equipment

PPP	Public Private Partnership
PTIS	Public Transport Infrastructure System
RG	Restructuring Grant
RSC	Regional Services Council
SALGA	South African Local Government Association
SAPS	South African Police Service
SDBIP	Service Delivery Budget Implementation Plan
SMME	Small Micro and Medium Enterprises

Glossary

Adjustments Budgets – Prescribed in section 28 of the Municipal Finance Management Act. It is the formal means by which a municipality may revise its budget during a financial year.

Allocations – Money received from Provincial and National Treasury.

Budget – The financial plan of a municipality.

Budget related policy – Policy of a municipality affecting or affected by the budget.

Capital Expenditure – Spending on municipal assets such as land, buildings and vehicles. Any capital expenditure must be reflected as an asset on a municipality's balance sheet.

Cash Flow Statement – A statement showing when actual cash will be received and spent by the Municipality, and the month end balances of cash and short-term investments.

DORA – Division of Revenue Act. The annual piece of legislation that indicate the allocations from National Government to Local Government.

Equitable Share – A general grant paid to municipalities. It is predominantly targeted to assist with free basic services.

GDFI - Gross Domestic Fixed Investment

GFS – Government Finance Statistics. An internationally recognized classification system that facilitates comparisons between municipalities.

IDP – Integrated Development Plan. The main strategic planning document of a Municipality.

KPI – Key Performance Indicators. Measures of service output and/or outcome.

LM – Breede Valley Municipality.

MFMA - Municipal Finance Management Act (No 53 of 2003). The principle piece of legislation relating to municipal financial management.

mSCOA – Municipal Standard Chart of Accounts

MTREF – Medium Term Revenue and Expenditure Framework as prescribed by the MFMA sets out indicative revenue and projected expenditure for the budget year plus two outer financial years to determine the affordability level.

Operating Expenditure – Spending on the day to day expenses of a municipality such as general expenses, salaries & wages and repairs & maintenance.

Rates – Local Government tax based on assessed valuation of a property.

TMA – Total Municipal Account

SDBIP – Service Delivery Budget Implementation Plan. A detailed plan comprising quarterly performance targets and monthly budget estimates.

Strategic Objectives – The main priorities of a municipality as set out in the IDP Budgeted spending must contribute towards achievement of these strategic objectives.

Vote – One of the main segments into which a budget is divided, usually at department level.

PART 1 – Annual Budget

Mayor's Report

The Breede Valley Municipality remains committed to the cause of bringing respectable services to all households. We as a municipality acknowledge the fact that households are faced with numerous difficulties, ranging from social to economic challenges. We view our role as integral in addressing these challenges to improve quality of life, and will therefore continue to play our part by creating a conducive environment for job creation and social development in our community. It should be understood that not all plans will be completed within the timeframes due to various unforeseen challenges, but we as a municipality is committed in ensuring that all projects commenced are completed.

This budget serves the purpose of outlining future service delivery objectives by reflecting on the past financial years and anticipating future advances.

Breede Valley municipality has made significant progress in fighting service delivery backlogs, but also acknowledges that there is still a lot to be done. We will continue with the good work and improve wherever needed to ensure that this municipality better the quality of life for the people within Breede Valley municipal area.

Resolutions

It is recommended to council that in respect of the 2019/20 MTREF, and outer financial years that council approves the 2019/20 MTREF draft budget in terms of section 24 of the Municipal Finance Management Act.

Executive Summary

Legislative Background

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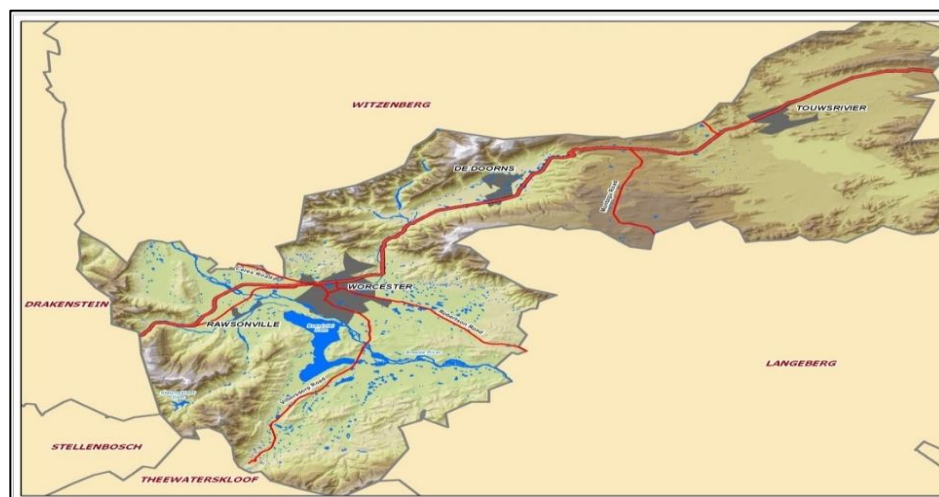
(i) Estimated revenue and expenditure by vote for the current year; and

(ii) Actual revenue and expenditure by vote for the financial year preceding the current year; and

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Municipal General Overview

The following map outlines the geographical area of Breede Valley Municipality. As per the map Breede Valley Municipality serves the towns of De Doorns, Rawsonville, Touwsrivier and Worcester. Surrounding municipalities include Drakenstein Municipality, Langeberg Municipality, Laingsburg Municipality, Stellenbosch Municipality, Theewaterskloof and Witzenberg Municipality. All the mentioned municipalities, including Breede Valley Municipality forms part of the Cape Winelands District Municipality.



Strategic Framework, Pillars and Objectives of the Municipality



Strategic Pillars and Objectives

Strategic Pillars	Strategic Objectives
Opportunity	To create a unique and caring Valley of service excellence, opportunity and growth
Safety	To ensure a safe, healthy, clean and sustainable external environment for all Breede Valley's People
Caring	To create and enabling environment for employment and poverty eradication through pro-active economic development and tourism
Inclusive	To provide democratic, accountable government for local communities and encourage involvement of communities and community organisations in the matters of local government
Well-run municipality	To assure a sustainable future through sound financial management, continuous revenue growth, corporate governance and risk management practises

Budget Principles and Criteria

The 2019/20 MTREF was compiled based on the following principles and criteria:

Credibility

- Planned Activities must be consistent with the IDP and vice versa.
- Financial viability of municipality should not jeopardised.
- Ensure Capacity to spend the budget.

Sustainability

- Financial sustainability/ overall financial health of Municipality.
- Revenue/ Expenditure budgeted must be realistic.

Responsiveness

- To the needs of the community / public.
- Alignment of IDP, LED Strategies with Budget to give effect to provincial and national priorities.
- Budget must be responsive to economic growth objectives and the socio- economic needs of the community.

Affordability

- Tariffs must not be increased unreasonably and consumers must be able to afford tariffs.

The 2019/2020 budget is compiled in line with chapter 4 of the Municipal Finance Management Act, MFMA Budget Circulars and other relevant circulars and / or guidelines from National Treasury and Provincial Treasury. The budget strives to be consistent with the financial norms and ratios as per the MFMA Circular 71 to ensure sound and sustainable management of financial affairs of the municipality. The budget is also consistent with the Long Term Financial Plan to ensure synergy between long term planning and implementation of planning. Other important principles includes addressing the need of access to basic services and the efficient capacitation of the municipality, which is in many instances a challenge given limited financial resources.

The main challenges experienced with the compilation of the 2019/20 MTREF are as follow:

- Implementation of mSCOA;
- Effect of water crisis on the revenue generation;
- Re-categorization of properties leading to decrease in property rates revenue;
- Consumers exploring alternative energy sources and using less municipal electricity;
- Direct effect of the current state of the economy on larger municipalities relying on progressive economic activity;
- Vandalism to strategic infrastructure assets;
- Ageing infrastructure and increasing service delivery backlogs; and
- Increasing cost of bulk purchases versus the electricity tariff increases, resulting in pressure to maintain a balance between sustainability, growth and affordability of services.

Service charges and other revenue sources are prepared in accordance with planned activities / initiatives / developments and past performance trends to ensure that the budgeted amounts are realistic and do not negatively affect the credibility of the budget and the financial position of the municipality.

The operating expenditure budget compilation process was done in line with the MFMA budget circulars. In instances of inconsistencies, appropriate reasons for the corresponding deviations are provided.

MFMA circular 70 highlighted examples of non-priority spending that need to be addressed by municipalities. Breede Valley Municipality remains commitment to the elimination of these

non-priority items from the 2015/16 MTREF and applying zero percent increases on related items where elimination or a decrease in the 2019/20 MTREF budget is not possible.

Further, MFMA circular 82 on cost containment measures was also taken into consideration with the aim of promoting section 62(1)(a) of the MFMA through the effective, efficient and economical use of municipal resources.

The capital budget for 2018/19 aims to address the capital needs within the municipal area, given the available resources internally and externally. The main source of funding remains conditional grant allocations from National and Provincial government departments, followed by either internal funding or external loans (when applicable). The 2019/20 MTREF is not funded by any external loan funding at this stage. External loan funding may however be rolled over from the current financial year in the event where projects funded from this funding source are not fully implemented and budgets fully spent by 30 June 2019

Rebates

Rebates relating to Unemployed, Indigent and Pensioners (under and over 70 years of age) are displayed below:

1 Rebates: Unemployed and Indigent

Household Income	Rates	Sewer	Refuse	Rental
R0 - R4 500	50%	50%	50%	100%
Max. Valuation	R 150 000			
<u>Free Basic Services</u>				
Electricity	50 Units			
Water	10 Kilolitre			

2 Rebates: Pensioner

Household Income	Rates	Sewer	Refuse	Rental
Government Pension & Disability / Pensioners 60 years and older				
R0 - R4 500	100%	100%	100%	100%
Max Valuation	R 150 000			
<u>Free Basic Services</u>				
Electricity	50 Units			
Water	10 Kilolitre			

3 Rebates: Pensioner 70 years and older

Pensioners falling in this category are eligible for an additional R65 000.00 rebate on the calculation of their property rates bill. This overall rebate is capped at R150 000.00

4 Special Rating Area (SRA)

In terms of Section 22 of the Municipal Property Rates Act a municipality may by resolution of its Council determine an area within that Municipality as a Special Rating Area (SRA) and levy an additional rate on property in that area for the purpose of raising funds for improving or upgrading that area. The SRA must submit a budget to the Council annually in terms of the Special Rating Areas By-law.

Budget Overview

The budget overview provides insight pertaining to the operating and capital budgets over the MTREF

I Operating Revenue

The table below reflects the operating revenue in relation to the current year and 2019/20 MTREF.

Please refer to Annexure A

Based on the current economic climate within the Breede Valley municipal area, tariffs were kept in line with the guidelines as per MFMA budget circular. This inflation linked increase in tariffs aim to promote sustainability of the revenue, other than the counterproductive method of increasing tariffs to such an extent that the collection rate deteriorates.

Property Rates: Budgeted revenue is based on the current performance realised during the 2018/19 financial year. A significant decrease in property rates was effected during the 2018/19 Mid-Year Adjustment Budget due to the re-categorised of farm properties.

In terms of Section 22 of the Municipal Property Rates Act a municipality may by resolution of its Council determine an area within that Municipality as a Special Rating Area (SRA) and levy an additional rate on property in that area for the purpose of raising funds for improving or upgrading that area. The SRA must submit a budget to the Council annually in terms of the Special Rating Areas By-law.

Electricity revenue, Refuse revenue and Sanitation revenue is projected to increase as per the latest available NERSA guideline (electricity) and the respective consumption patterns observed during the 2018/19 financial year. The budgeted amounts also accounts for the rebate changes effected during the 2018/19 financial year.

Service Charges: Water consumption during the 2018/19 financial year is currently underperforming and therefor have been decreased to a realistic revenue projection for the current financial year. The decrease in the current financial year forms the basis of the 2019/20 water revenue budget.

Interest on External Investments: This 2019/20 budget is informed by the municipality's current investment portfolio, and the anticipated return on investments to be made during the 2019/20 financial year.

Fines: The budgeted amount for fines is inclusive of the provincial traffic fines that need to also be included in the 2019/20 MTREF. The municipality will have a service provider appointed for the 2019/20 financial year which will have a positive effect on this revenue source.

Transfers Recognised – Operational: This revenue item is based on the operational transfers (conditional and unconditional) as per the 2019/20 budget year allocations.

Operating Expenditure

The table below reflects the operating expenditure in relation to the current year and 2019/20 MTREF.

Please refer to Annexure A.

The operational expenditure budget was adjusted in order to accommodate the underperformance on revenue. These amendment were mainly effected during the 2018/19 Adjustment Budget, which was used as basis for the 2019/20 MTREF.

Employee related cost: Employee related cost is based on the Salary and Wage Collective Agreement and amendments in terms of the staff structure.

The personnel budget is calculated for the full 12 months of the financial year, regardless of when the post are to be filled. The savings that arise from filling vacancies later than the start of the financial year, are then used during the adjustment budget to finance other priorities and as contributions to the CRR.

The municipality is currently in the process of conducting a work study to ensure an effective and efficient staff structure.

Debt Impairment: The fines and corresponding write-off will be managed within the available budgets. These amounts will be reviewed with the 2019/20 adjustments budget if needed. This budgeted amount is also reflective

Depreciation and asset impairment: Depreciation is calculated based on the useful lives of assets, which are currently being reviewed. The commission date of the majority of capital projects are more to the end of the financial year (based on past trends), resulting in new additions not having a full year's depreciation, but only a part thereof.

Finance charges: No borrowings will be taken up in 2019/20. The finance charges are calculated based on the municipality's borrowing portfolio. It should also be noted that the interest portion of the repayment decreases over the term of the loan.

Bulk Purchases: This item comprises of electricity and water bulk purchases and is based on the current consumption patterns in terms of usage. The municipality also have boreholes that is making a significant contribution in terms of decreasing water bulk purchases.

Other materials: The budget for other materials is also based on the revised

Other expenditure: The low percentage increase in other expenditure is due to the cost containment not being increased and also the decreased revenue as mentioned. Please refer to SA1 for the detail.

Capital budget

MBRR Table A5 - Budgeted Capital Expenditure by standard classification and funding source

Please refer to Annexure A

The majority of funding is allocated to trading services which will ultimately promote service delivery and revenue generation.

The municipality implemented quarterly budget engagements where performance of the capital budget & Grant funding are tracked. Grant funding is planned to be 100% implemented in the current financial year.

Technical Services Capital Projects

Description	2019/20 Financial Year	2020/21 Financial Year	2021/22 Financial Year
	Budget Year	Budget + 1	Budget + 2
<u>Not Allocated to Wards</u>			
<u>Stettynskloof Water Supply (Worcester/Rawsonville)</u>			
Upgrading of Stettynskloof Supply Pipe Line - Phase 3 (MIG 164422)	-	3 432 595.00	3 979 395.00
<u>Rawsonville WwTW</u>			
Extension of WwTW (0,24 Ml/day)	-	6 446 742.00	7 473 685.00
<u>Klipvlakte/ Transhex Residential Development (13 000 erven)</u>			
External Stormwater pipeline (MIG)	-	6 948 409.00	8 055 266.00
Electrical Reticulation	10 000 000.00	15 000 000.00	18 000 000.00
<u>Reservoirs</u>			
Langerug	-	417 987.00	484 571.00
Pre-loads	12 105 490.00	11 162 687.00	12 940 864.00
<u>Resealing of Roads</u>			
Resealing of Municipal Roads - Rawsonville	1 511 317.00	-	1 000 000.00
<u>Resealing of Municipal Roads - Worcester</u>			
	-	-	4 000 000.00
External Loan	-	-	-
CRR	-	-	4 000 000.00

	-	-	-
Resealing of Municipal Roads - De Doorns	-	-	1 500 000.00
External Loan	-	-	-
CRR	-	-	1 500 000.00
Resealing of Municipal Roads - Touws River	1 000 000.00	-	1 000 000.00
<u>Electricity (8112)</u>			
Refurbishment of electrical system	9 000 000.00	11 000 000.00	-
4) Durban street. - Replace overhead network to underground network complete.	2 000 000.00	-	-
<u>Refuse Removal (6603)</u>			
Worcester : Material Recovery Facility (MIG Form ID 237066)	14 244 205.00	1 452 670.00	-
SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT			
WORCESTER			
Refuse Compactor Trucks (19m ³)	2 500 000.00	-	5 247 019.00
Wheeliebins	250 000.00	-	-
<u>Ward 1</u>			
Touws River: Water Reticulation System (61 existing erven)	1 100 000.00	-	-
Rehabilitation of Bok River Pipe Line - Phase 6	4 000 000.00	6 907 467.00	7 092 533.00
<u>Ward 2</u>			
De Doorns : Transfer Station	1 143 095.00	334 918.00	388 269.00
New Retention Ponds - De Doorns: South of N1 (MIG Number 202347)	-	372 513.00	431 853.00
De Doorns Water Purification Works : Augmentation of DAF Unit (MIG funding)	5 986 361.00	4 333 639.00	5 023 972.00
Stormwater : New Retention Ponds (MIG 202347 - Counter funding)	-	2 590 152.00	2 590 152.00
<u>Ward 8</u>			
Replace 11 Kv cable from Mc Allistor to Field Sub (1 600 m @ 185 mm Al PILC)	-	-	-
Abbotoir Street Rehabilitation	1 200 000.00	1 700 000.00	-
<u>Ward 9</u>			
Leighpoldt Street Rehabilitation	2 500 000.00	500 000.00	-
Upgrade of Roads - Springveld str. to Marias str.	1 000 000.00	-	-
<u>Ward 16</u>			
High mast (flood) lighting	-	7 871.00	9 125.00
<u>Ward 20</u>			
Extension of WwTW (0,561 Ml/day extention) (MIG)	-	8 353 894.00	-
<u>Ward 21</u>			
New Streetlighting (MIG number 207835)	304 573.00	-	-

New Streetlighting (MIG number 207736)	668 276.00	-	-
Furniture and Equipment	300 000.00	-	-
<u>SERVICE CONNECTIONS (Depending on Public Contr)</u>			
Sewer Connections	147 764.00	1 120 000.00	1 120 000.00
Electricity Connections	334 642.00	-	-
Water Connections	241 150.00	2 719 200.00	2 719 200.00
Purchasing of Vehicle & Machinery in lieu of Rental			
Digger Loader 4x4 (Landfill Site)	950 000.00	-	-
Tipper landfillsite (5 cum)	700 000.00	-	-
Water & Sanitation			
Admin			
Software/PC WWTW upgrade (x 4)	30 000.00	-	-
Machinery and Equipment	50 000.00	675 000.00	-
Road and Safety signs	-	60 000.00	-
Municipal Vehcles (LDV)	600 000.00	600 000.00	-
5 Ton trok	-	700 000.00	-
Crane Truck	-	700 000.00	-
Upgrading of Builing and Facilities	350 000.00	350 000.00	-
Construction of Building for vehcles and equipment	350 000.00	400 000.00	-
Waste Water Treatment Works			
Lockers (10 x 2 tier)	5 000.00	5 000.00	-
Office furniture chairs and table	-	200 000.00	-
Digger Loader	1 300 000.00	-	-
Machinery and Equipment	550 000.00	50 000.00	-
Vacuum tanker	-	1 300 000.00	-
Crew Cab	600 000.00	-	-
Municipal Vehicles: Bakkie	350 000.00	-	-
DE DOORNS			
Complete building at De Doorns	400 000.00	-	-
Lockers (10 x 2 tier)	-	10 000.00	-
Office furniture	30 000.00	10 000.00	-
TOUWSRIVER			
Machinery and Equipment	80 000.00	-	-
Upgrading of the WWTW	50 000.00	10 000 000.00	-
RAWSONVILLE			
Municipal Vehicles: Bakkie	350 000.00	-	-
Generator	-	500 000.00	-
Laboratory			

Machinery and Equipment	195 000.00	195 000.00	-
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Other Directorates Capital Projects

Description	2019/20 (Budget year)	2020/21 (Budget year + 1)	2021/22 (Budget year + 2)
	Draft Budget	Budget Year + 1	Budget Year + 2
<u>Municipal Manager</u>			
<u>Admin -0603</u>			
Furniture and Equipment	5 000.00	5 000.00	5 000.00
<u>Project Management -0615</u>			
Construction of tar-surfaced playing areas in Touwsrivier	495 000.00	-	-
Construction of pedestrian bridge over Donkies River in Touwsrivier	350 000.00	-	-
Traffic calming measures in Touwsrivier	100 000.00	-	-
Upgrading of playparks - Avian Park, Riverview, Roodewal ,Zwelethemba	200 000.00	-	-
Speed bumps - Avianpark	110 000.00	-	-
Speed bumps - Riverview/Victoriapark	110 000.00	-	-
Speed bumps - Roodewal/ Hexpark	110 000.00	-	-
Speed bumps - Zweletemba	100 000.00	-	-
Shared Economic Infrastructure Facility for informal traders in Zweletemba	3 275 000.00	-	-
ECD projects at Zwelethemba library	250 000.00	-	-
<u>Community Services</u>			
<u>ADMIN - 0903</u>			
Furniture & Equipment	5 000.00	5 000.00	5 000.00
<u>HOUSING</u>			
<u>Unallocated DoRA projects - TRANSHEX</u>	-	-	-
Water Reticulation	15 000 000.00	6 000 000.00	-
Sewer Reticulation	15 000 000.00	6 000 000.00	-
Roads	15 000 000.00	6 000 000.00	-
Stormwater	15 000 000.00	6 000 000.00	-
<u>SWIMMING BATH: De La Bat - 5118</u>			
Upgrade of filters and pump	600 000.00	-	-
Entrance gate and Ticket Booth	300 000.00	-	-
<u>SWIMMING BATH: Grey Street - 5121</u>			
upgrade of basket rooms	400 000.00	-	-
<u>SWIMMING BATH: Zweletemba - 5125</u>			
New Swimming Bath	7 056 205.00	2 500 000.00	-
New Swimming Bath	-	-	-
<u>SWIMMING BATH: De Doorns</u>			
New Swimming Bath	-	500 000.00	-
	-	-	-

<u>SPORT: Boland Park - 5130</u>	-	-	-
Replacement of fence perimeter	-	-	2 500 000.00
<u>SPORT: De Wet -</u>			
Water Cannon	55 000.00	110 000.00	-
<u>SPORT: Esselen Park</u>	-	-	-
Replacement of fence perimeter	1 430 783.00	-	-
<u>SPORT: De Doorns West - 5145</u>			
sit-on lawn mower	100 000.00	100 000.00	-
<u>WATERLOO LIBRARY - 4506</u>			
Replace equipment	30 000.00	30 000.00	-
<u>Buildings</u>	-	-	-
Road marking machines	40 000.00	-	-
Municipal Court Furniture and Equipment	113 000.00	-	-
Municipal Court Airconditioners	100 000.00	-	-
Upgrading of building - Municipal Court	1 547 358.00	-	-
<u>FIRE DEPARTMENT: ADMIN - 4203</u>			
Fire Station - De Doorns (Ward 3) (MIG Form ID 228572)	-	1 319 970.00	-
Vehicle - Incident Report	-	500 000.00	-
Fire Station - De Doorns (Ward 3) (MIG Form ID 228572, Counter Funding)	-	2 772 618.00	-
<u>FINANCIAL SERVICES</u>			
<u>Admin</u>			
Furniture and Equipment	5 000.00	5 000.00	5 000.00
<u>Financial Planning</u>			
Safeguarding of Assets	400 000.00	400 000.00	400 000.00
Insurance claims	400 000.00	400 000.00	400 000.00
<u>COUNCIL & MAYCO</u>			
<u>MAYORAL OFFICE - 0306</u>			
Furniture and Equipment	5 000.00	5 000.00	5 000.00
<u>STRATEGIC SUPPORT SERVICES</u>			
<u>STRATEGIC SUPPORT - ADMIN - 2103</u>			
Furniture and Equipment	5 000.00	5 000.00	5 000.00
TOTAL			
<u>INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY - 2114</u>			
Biometric system upgrade	96 000.00	-	-
Computer Equipment	716 600.00	-	-

Kindly refer to SA36 for the detail capital budget.

Annual Budget Tables

The budget tables prepared in accordance with the Municipal Finance Management Act, and Municipal Budget and Reporting Regulations are listed in below:

- **Table A1** Budget Summary
- **Table A2** Budgeted Financial Performance (Revenue and Expenditure by standard classification)
- **Table A3** Budgeted Financial Performance (revenue and expenditure by municipal vote)
- **Table A4** Budgeted Financial Performance (revenue and expenditure)
- **Table A5** Budgeted Capital Expenditure by vote, standard classification and funding
- **Table A6** Budgeted Financial Position
- **Table A7** Budgeted Cash Flows
- **Table A8** Cash Backed Reserves / Accumulated Surplus Reconciliation
- **Table A9** Asset Management
- **Table A10** Basic Service Delivery Measurement

Kindly refer to Appendix A for the detailed Schedule A tables.

Breede Valley Municipality do not have any entities, therefore, no consolidation of budget information and tables are presented in the document and other supporting documentation.

PART 2 – Supporting Documentation

Overview of Annual Budget Process

	STEP	PROCESS
1.	Planning	Schedule key dates, establish consultation forums, review previous processes
2.	Strategising	Review IDP, Determine priorities, set service delivery targets and objectives for the next three years, consult on tariffs, indigent, credit control, free basic services, etc and consult local, provincial, and national issues, previous years performance and current economic and demographic trends.
3.	Preparing	Prepare budget, revenue, expenditure projections, draft budget policies, consult and consider local, provincial and national priorities.
4.	Tabling	Table draft budget, IDP and budget related policies before the council, consult and consider formal local, provincial, and national inputs and responses.
5.	Approving	Council approves budget and related policies.
6.	Finalising/ Implementation	Publish and approve SDBIP and annual Performance agreements and indicators. Publish Budget in terms of sect.22 MFMA

DETAIL PROCESS FOLLOWED AND MSA AND IDP CREDIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	
ISSUE	TIMEFRAME
IDP/Budget Process Plan/Timetable approved by council	August 2018
IDP Meetings – inputs from Ward Councilors & Ward Committees	October - November 2018
First IDP/ Budget Steering Committee Meeting	November 2018
Departmental inputs on Draft allocations	November and December 2018
2 nd Budget Steering Committee – Consider Adjustment budget	January 2019
IDP Rep Forum Consultation	November 2018 March 2019
Draft Budget input captured and Budget balanced	March 2018
Draft IDP & Budget tabled in Council	March 2018
IDP & Budget workshop - Council	March - April 2019
Public Consultation	March - April 2019
Finalise Sector / Dept Strategy Plan / Budget - IDP	April 2019
Consideration of Comments received	April 2019
Tabling of Final MTREF	End May 2019

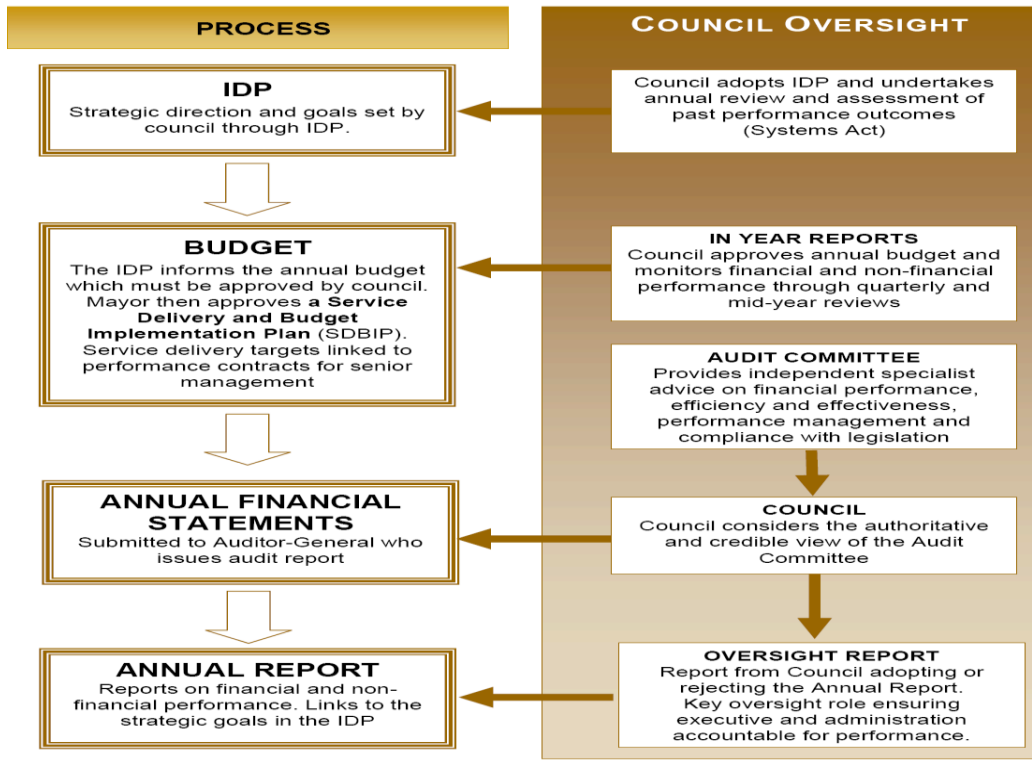
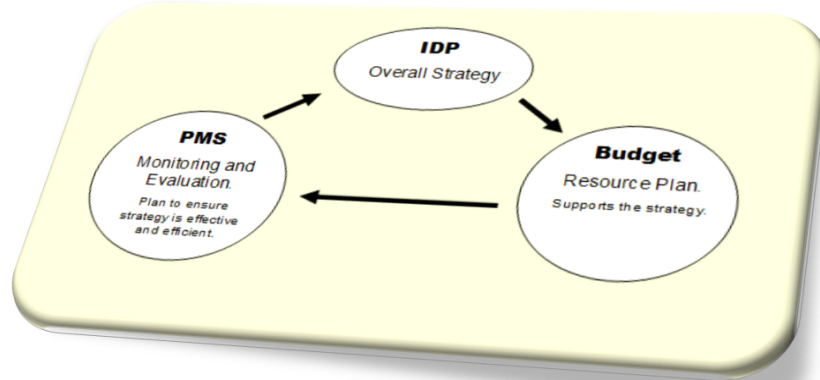
The IDP / Budget process plan was consulted with all relevant stakeholders, whom are:

- Council
- Executive Mayor and Mayoral Committee
- Accounting Officer
- Management
- Institutional Committees
- District Municipality (Cape Winelands District Municipality)

- Intergovernmental (National Treasury, Provincial Treasury and Department of Local Government)
- Ward councillors, ward committees and community in wards

Overview of alignment of annual budget with Integrated Development Plan

The below diagrams illustrates the link between the municipality’s IDP and Budget



MBRR Table SA4 - Reconciliation between the IDP strategic objectives and budgeted revenue

Please refer to Annexure A

MBRR Table SA5 - Reconciliation between the IDP strategic objectives and budgeted operating expenditure

Please refer to Annexure A

MBRR Table SA6 - Reconciliation between the IDP strategic objectives and budgeted capital expenditure

Please refer to Annexure A

Measurable performance objectives and indicators

SA7 provides the main measurable performance objectives the municipality undertakes to achieve this financial year.

Please refer to Annexure A

MBRR Table SA8 - Performance indicators and benchmarks

The following table sets out the municipalities main performance objectives and benchmarks for the 2019/20 MTREF.

Please refer to Annexure A

Overview of Budget Related Policies

The following budget related policies are in use:

- Asset Management Policy
- Borrowing Policy
- Budget Policy
- Budget Virement Policy
- Costing Policy
- Credit Control and Debt Collection Policy
- Financial System User Account Management Policy
- Funding and Reserves Policy
- Infrastructure Investment And Capital Projects Policy
- Insurance Management Policy
- Long Term Financial Plan Policy
- Petty Cash Policy
- Property Rates Policy
- Supply Chain Management Policy
- Tariff Policy
- Write-Off Policy

Please refer to annexure C for the budget related policies.

Overview of Budget Assumptions

The following budget assumptions were used as basis for compilation of the 2019/20 MTREF:

- Tariff increases:

Service	Percentage Increase (%)
Electricity	As per NERSA guideline
Water	6.00%
Sewerage	6.67%
Refuse	6.32%
Rates	6.00%

***Kindly refer to Annexure E for the complete list of tariffs**

- CPIX = 5.2 percent (MFMA budget circular)
- Employee related cost is based on the Salary and Wage Collective Agreement.
- Government Grant will be received as gazetted by National and Provincial Government.
- Electricity bulk purchases in line with NERSA guideline.
- Minimal growth in revenue base. Mostly related to low cost housing.
- No / limited increases applied on cost containment items.
- Indigent households is anticipated to remain in the region of 8000 households (formal)
- Budgeted collection rate equals to 95 percent
- Conditional grant will be fully spent
- No borrowings to be undertaken over the MTREF
- Credit rating: Baa1.za

Overview of Budget Funding

Funding sources of operating expenditure budget.

This overview provides the funding for operating expenditure to be incurred in future financial years.

Please refer to table A1 of Annexure A

Funding sources of capital expenditure budget

Similar to the operating revenue, the capital funding indicates how the capital programme of the municipality will be financed in future years. Based on the above table, it is clear that the municipality is largely grant dependant when external funding (loans) are not being taken up. However, it should be noted that significant progress was made with regards to the contribution of own resources to the capital programme.

Internal funding in the form of the Capital Replacement Reserve (CRR) is cash backed and sufficient to cover the related capital expenditure projects for the budget year. The municipality

remains committed in growing the CRR by making contributions to this reserve to enable better service delivery in the form of capital expenditure. Projects funded from the CRR will be closely monitored to aid implementation and where adjustments are required due to implementation challenges, funds will be directed or reprioritised as per the prerogative of management, through the guidance of the IDP and / or the municipality's financial status.

Expenditure on allocations and grant programmes

MBRR SA19 - Expenditure on transfers and grant programmes

Kindly refer to table SA19 of Annexure A.

Allocations or grants made by the municipality

MBRR SA21- Transfers and grants made by the municipality

Kindly refer to table SA21 of Annexure A.

Councillors and board members allowances and employee benefits

MBRR SA23 - Salaries, allowances and benefits (political office bearers/councillors/senior managers)

Kindly refer to table SA23 of Annexure A.

Monthly targets for revenue, expenditure and cash flow

MBRR SA25 - Budgeted monthly revenue and expenditure

Please refer to table SA25 of annexure A.

Contracts having future budgetary implications

MBRR SA33 – Contracts having future budgetary implications

Please refer to table SA33 of annexure A.

MBRR SA35 - Future financial implications of the capital budget

Please refer to table SA35 of annexure A.

Capital expenditure details

MBRR SA36 - Detailed capital budget per municipal vote

Please refer to table SA36 of annexure A.

Legislation compliance status

Compliance with the MFMA implementation requirements have been substantially adhered to through the following activities:

- **In-year reporting:** Reporting to National Treasury and Provincial Treasuries are done in line with the legislated prescripts.
- **Internship programme:** This programme is fully functional within the municipality with 5 interns being employed under this programme. Four of the interns are currently

rotating within the Finance Directorate, and one being developed in our Internal Audit section / unit.

- **Budget and Treasury Office:** The Budget and Treasury Office has been established in accordance with the MFMA.
- **Audit Committee:** An Audit Committee has been established and is fully functional.
- Service Delivery and Implementation Plan
- **Annual Report:** Annual report is compiled in terms of the MFMA and National Treasury requirements.
- MFMA Training
- Policies

Other supporting documents

Please refer to annexures E for MFMA budget circular

Annual budgets of municipal entities attached to the annual budget

No municipal entities.

COMMENTS BY OTHER DIRECTORATES

Municipal Manager – Recommendation supported

Director Strategic Services – Recommendation supported

Director Community Services – Recommendation supported

Director Technical Services – Recommendation supported

Annexures

Annexures A:	Addendum to follow
Annexures B:	Draft Budget 2019/20 Quality Certificate
Annexures C:	Budget related Policies
Annexures D:	New Tariffs
Annexures E:	Circular No.93 and No.94

RECOMMENDATION

That in respect of the 2019/20 Draft Budget discussed by Council at the Council Meeting of 26 March 2019:

1. Council approves the draft annual budget tables and annual budget supporting tables as prescribed by the Municipal Budget and Reporting Regulations, as set out in Annexure A.
2. Council approves the Quality Certificate to the draft budget signed by the Accounting Officer, as per Annexure B.
3. Council approves the revised budget related policies as per Annexure C.
4. Council approves the draft tariffs, tariff structures and service delivery charges for water, electricity, refuse, sewerage, and other municipal services as per Annexure D

To action:
R.Ontong

6.3 REPORT TO COUNCIL ON DEVIATIONS FOR THE MONTH: FEBRUARY 2019

File No./s: 2/1/1/1
Directorate: Financial Services

Responsible Official: R. Ontong
Portfolio: Supply Chain Management

Purpose

To report to Council on all deviations and their reasons, approved by the delegated authority in terms of paragraph 36(2) of the Supply Chain Management Policy, for the month: February 2019.

Background

The purpose of this report is to ensure that Council maintains oversight over the implementation of the Supply Chain Management Policy. In terms of paragraph 36(2) of the said policy, the Accounting Officer must record the reasons for any deviations in terms of paragraph 36(1)(a) of the policy and report them to Council. However, it must be noted that these deviations also serve on the **monthly Section 71** (MFMA) report/s to Mayco and **quarterly Section 52** (MFMA) report/s to Council.

Deviations approved in terms of paragraph 36(1)(a) for the month of February 2019, are attached as **Annexures A**.

Financial Implications

None

Applicable Legislation / Council Policy

Municipal Finance Management Act. 2003, (Act 56 of 2003)
Breede Valley Supply Chain Management Policy, as amended.
Supply Chain Management Regulations

Comment of Directorates / Departments**Municipal Manager**

Recommendation is supported

Director: Strategic Support Services

Recommendation is supported

Director: Financial Services

Recommendation is supported

Director: Technical Services

Recommendation is supported

Director: Community Services

Recommendation is supported

Senior Manager: Legal Services

Recommendation is noted

Annexures

Annexures A: Schedule of deviations from the procurement processes approved in terms of sub-delegations

RECOMMENDATION TO COUNCIL:

1. That the deviations from the procurement processes, approved in terms of the delegated authority for the month of February, **be noted**.

To action:

R. Ontong

6.4 REPORT BACK ON ILLEGAL FIREWORKS BY THE MUNICIPAL MANAGER**Responsible Official: S. Swartz****Directorate: Community Services****Portfolio Committee: Fire Services****Purpose:**

To provide feedback to Council concerning the motion that has served before Council on 26 February 2019.

Background:

A motion served before Council on 26 February 2019 where Council made the following decision:

1. Dat die Munisipale Bestuurder opdrag gegee word om ondersoek in te stel en voorstelle aan die Raad voor te lê oor die toepassing van Hoofstuk 5 van die "Breede Valley Municipality Fire Safety By-Law" afgekondig op 22 Oktober 2008 met spesifieke verwysing na die volgende:
 - 1.1 aanwysing van openbare plekke as enigste plekke waar vuurwerke afgevuur mag word;
 - 1.2 aanwysing / goedkeuring van privaat eiendom waar vuurwerke afgevuur mag word;
 - 1.3 oplê van spesiale voorwaardes tye en tydsduur vir die afvuur van vuurwerke;
 - 1.4 enige ander voorwaardes en beperkinge t.o.v aansoeke, aansoekgelde en ondersteunende dokumentasie betreffende aansoek om die afvuur van vuurwerke soos omskryf in die "BVM Fire Safety By-Law" (Hoof stuk 5).
2. Dat toestemming om handel te dryf in die verkoop van vuurwerke streng beheer word soos voorgeskryf deur Artikel 61 van die "BVM Fire Safety By-Law: en dat die Hoof: Brandweerdienste hierdie bepalings streng afdwing en kontroleer.
3. Dat 'n openbare deelname proses gevolg word om publieke insette rakende die regulering van vuurwerke te verkry en dat 'n voorlopige verslag nie later as 19 Maart 2019 aan die Raad voorgelê word nie. (insette moet veral verkry word van dierewelsyn- organisasies, die sakegemeenskap; bejaardes-en gesondheidsorganisasies en ander belangegroepes en individue)."

After looking at the instruction of Council, the Municipal Manager had a meeting with different stakeholders to discuss the amendment of the Fire Safety By-Law.

Meetings were conducted with animal welfare organisations and legal fireworks retailers. It was clear from the meetings that the organisations as well as the retailers that the Municipality needs to prohibit the use of fireworks and not just amend its By-Law. The negative concerning the risk that fireworks hold for the Municipality out insights the positive of fireworks.

The legal retailers of fireworks [Quenets Jag en Sport and Narotam Pharmacy] were also visited by the Director: Community Services, the Fire Department and the Traffic Department to determine the stock levels on the shelves. We found a very small number of fireworks at both retailers. The managers of both stores also indicated that they are not interested in selling fireworks any longer.

ACTION PLAN

Administration has developed an action plan to deal with the illegal use of fireworks. See Annexure A.

BY LAW REVIEW

A decision was taken that the Municipality needs to amend the By-Law [Fire Safety By-Law]. The need for a standalone By-Law [Fireworks By-Law] was identified in order for the Municipality to deal effectively with fireworks.

Annexures

Annexures A: BVFD Project plan

RECOMMENDATIONS:

REPORT BACK ON ILLEGAL FIREWORKS BY THE MUNICIPAL MANAGER

1. That Council take note of the preliminary report.
2. That Administration review the Fire Safety By-Law and that a new By-Law be developed that deals with fireworks separately.
3. That the action plan be implemented by the Administration on an ongoing basis.

To action:

S.Swartz

For information, a copy of the Notice follows:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a **COUNCIL MEETING**
of the **Breede Valley Municipality** will be held on
TUESDAY, 26 MARCH 2019 at 10:00 in the
CAPE WINELANDS DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY, WORCESTER

Members of the media and the public wishing to attend the meeting must please contact **Mr. J.R. Botha (Public Relations Officer)** at **023 348 2807** during office hours to book one of the **16 (sixteen) seats available to the public** on a first come first served basis. The list will be closed at **16:30** on **WEDNESDAY, 20 March 2019** and will be handed to Security officials the morning of the meeting. Only persons whose names appear on the list will be allowed to attend the meeting and they must be seated at least five minutes before the scheduled start of the meeting. Once the meeting has started, no member of the public will be allowed into the meeting. If a member of the public leaves the meeting venue during the course of the meeting, he / she will not be allowed to return to the meeting.

KENNIS GESKIED HIERMEE dat 'n **RAADSVERGADERING**
van die **Breede Vallei Munisipaliteit** op
DINSDAG, 26 MAART 2019 om 10:00
gehou sal word in die
KAAAPSE WYNLAND DISTRIK MUNISIPALITEIT, WORCESTER

Lede van die media en die publiek wat graag die vergadering wil bywoon moet asseblief **Mnr. J.R. Botha (Skakelbeampte)** by **023 348 2807** gedurende kantoorure kontak om een van die **16 (sestien) sitplekke wat vir die publiek beskikbaar is** op 'n "first come first served basis" te bespreek. Die lys sal om **16:30** op **Woensdag, 20 Maart 2019** die werksdag voor die vergadering sluit en sal aan Sekuriteitbeamptes die oggend van die vergadering gegee word. Alleenlik persone wie se name op die lys verskyn sal toegelaat word om die vergadering by te woon en hulle moet 'n sitplek inneem minstens vyf minute voor die geskeduleerde tyd van die vergadering. Niemand sal tot die vergadering toegelaat word wanneer dit reeds begin het nie. Indien 'n lid van die publiek die vergaderplek gedurende die duur van die vergadering verlaat sal hy / sy nie weer tot die vergadering toegelaat word nie.

D. MCTHOMAS
MUNICIPAL MANAGER/MUNISIPALE BESTUURDER

03 2019

