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**OUR NEW
MUNICIPAL
MANAGEMENT
2022**

Vision

We, the people of Thulamela would like our Municipality to achieve a city status by year 2030, to promote urban regeneration and comprehensive rural development whilst encouraging Local Economic Development to improve the quality of lives of our people.

Mission

We build prosperity, eradicate poverty and promote social, political and economic empowerment of all our people through delivery of quality services, community participation, local economic development and smart administration.

Motto

We serve with dedication.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Kha vha diphine nga u wana maffungo kha bammbiri iyi ine ya vha dzomo la zwi bvelelaho kha masipala wa Thulamela siani la ndisedzo dza tshumelo. Vhahashu, mishumo mihulwane ine ya khou itwa nga masipala musi vhurangaphanda ha zwa polotiki/makhantselara na vhashumi vho tanganyisa zwanda vha do zwi pfa henefha. Rine sa masipala ro di kalela tshifhinga tsha uri nga nwaha wa 2030 dorobo ya Thohoyandou ivhe yo no vha inwe ya dzidorobo khulwane dzi wanalaho fhano Afrika Tshipembe. Hezwi zwothe ri do zwi kona nga kha u vhea zwipikwa, u sedzulusa nzulele ya dorobo, mashumisele a mavu khathihi na nzulele ine dorobo ya vha ngayo zwino.

Sa masipala ro di imisela uri musi ri tshi khou shuma na mahosi na vhanwe vhafaramikovhe, bono lashu li do anwa mitshelo. Ngomu ha bammbiri heyi ine vha do vhona vhurangaphanda ho vhubaho masipala wa Thulamela, komiti i melaho ppanelo dza vhaaluwa, mutingati wa zwiimiswa zwa muvhuso u lwa na vhushai kha vhupo hashu khathihi na tshiimiswa tsha Rofhiwa Manwadu tshi sedzanaho na u Othogomela vhathu vha tshilaho na vuholefhalo khathihi na u vulwa ha buroho.

Vhahashu, vhulwadze ha Covid-19 a vhu a thu u fhela, ngauralo kha ri di thogomele uri lushaka lu tsiredzeye.

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MUNICIPAL MANAGER'S DESK

Through our vigorous consultation with committees, our main focus is to upgrade streets without relegating other services to the background. We have an agreement with our community.

Our present IDP document remains a noble guide, however a need now exists to strengthen our muscle in reforming cost-recovery strategies. What is encouraging is that our communities are now in the driving seat. We have tried to incorporate, adjust and also add more projects into our IDP and budget. However, we acknowledge our limitations on some of the suggestions and input from our communities.



Makumule M
Acting Municipal Manager

Some of the suggestions from the communities would form part of the basis of discussions in the Inter-Governmental Relations (IGR) meeting with the Vhembe District Municipality, sector departments and government parastatals such as Eskom and Telkom.

We will take it upon our shoulders to ensure that all the submissions received from the communities are attended to and that our administration make necessary follow-up before another review process starts.

Over the past eight consecutive years we have been getting an Unqualified Audit Opinion. We have been able to root out irregular and fruitless expenditure and many other compliance issues. We are aware that unemployment is one form of concern from our communities, but we need to remain focused and serve our people with dedication.

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THULAMELA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY VISION 2030

INTRODUCTION

Thulamela local municipality has identified the need to increase its grading status as a municipality from a town to a city. This is aimed at providing a status quo analysis and providing guidelines on the development concept for Thulamela Municipality 2030 City vision.

- The amendment of the development principles structuring elements provision of land use strategies, urban planning guidelines and identification of analytic profit for Thulamela Business Area.
- This development concept will strive to address spatial challenges for Thohoyandou B.A. It will also provide guidelines to create a more efficient Thohoyandou CBD structuring demand of public space and increase need for existing retail and commercial services.

OBJECTIVE

Some of the objectives of Vision 2030

- To evaluate the status quo of Thohoyandou B.A through physical amendment.
- To promote social and economic growth and development in Thohoyandou B.A.
- To identify key analytic interventions that will leverage economic and community growth and development of Thohoyandou B.A.
- To identify interventions and formulate a forum developmental plan and implementation programme.

SITUATION ANALYSIS

Business land users

- The majority of land users within Thohoyandou are businesses.
- Most of the retail shops are accommodated primarily on private owned land.
- The layout structure of Thohoyandou B.A is unstructured and this hinders the flow of traffic and affects the utilisation of retail shops.
- The informal street vendors are occupying a significant portion of Thohoyandou B.A on areas that are not (demarcated) for business land use such as loading zones.

INSTITUTION LAND USERS

- There are very few institutions, however the existences of such institutions are the ones that make Thohoyandou B.A.
- Institutions in Thohoyandou and Sibasa Towns include High Court building, Thulamela Local municipality offices, Vhembe District Municipality Offices sharing the same building with the post offices.
- This inconvenient the public as they move to travel long distance to get services in Thohoyandou town.

THULAMELA MUNICIPALITY Inaugural Council meeting 2021

Thulamela Local Municipality held its Inaugural Council meeting on 22 November 2021, at the George Phadagi Town Hall in Thohoyandou. Members of the public were in attendance, including former mayors and councillors. Other guests included religious leaders, role players in community safety, representatives from the education and tourism sector and several media houses.

Cllr Rammuda Athongozwidivha Sarah was elected as the new Mayor of Thulamela Municipality while Cllr Mutheiwana F. and Cllr Malada T. were elected as the Speaker and Chief Whip respectively.

Altogether, 80 councillors were sworn in by Commissioner Mukoma Maiwashe of the Thohoyandou magistrate court.

Mayor Cllr Rammuda promised to work hard with her councillors not only to make sure that Thulamela is one of the best municipality in terms of service delivery but also in ensuring that Thulamela becomes a city by 2030. She also promised to work as per the municipality's Integrated Development Plan (IDP) and will strive to receive a clean audit opinion.



Fulo La u Pfumbudza Vhakhantselara

Sa izwi vhathu vho zwi vhona uri musu ri tshi khou bva kha dzikhetho dza muvhuso wapo, Vho Tshipikara sha masipala wa Thulamela vho vhona zwi zwa ndeme uri huvhe na mutangano wa u pfumbudza makhantselara o nangwaho uri vha vhe na ndivhi ya zwine masipala ya khou shumisa wone zwino na zwauro zwo shumiwaho nga khoro yo fhelaho ndi zwifhio na hone thaizdo de vha tangana nadzo ndi dzifhio siani la ndisedzo ya tshumelo.

U yan ga ha milayo u vhisaho mimasipala, masipla u tea u pfumbudza makhantselara nga Ndila ine masiala a shumisa zwone na zwine masipala was huma zwone hu saathu u fhela maduvha a mahumi na mana (90).

Hovha na vhathu vho tandavhudzaho nga ha uri mihasho ine ya wanala kha masipala ndi mingana na hone l shuma zwifhio nahone hani.

Vho Nedorobo vho do sumbedza uri hezwi zwi do thusa uri musu vharangaphanda vha tshi khou shuma vhavhe na vhudifhinduleli khathihi na u shuma vh dsendeka nga milayo ya masipala.



Masipala wa Thulamela u khetha komiti ya vhaaluwa



Kha mutangano wo farelwaho ngei Thohoyandou Library Vho-Thovhogi Justice vho nangwa sa mudzulatshidulo wa vhaaluwa, ngeno Vho- Maraga na vho muthusa-mudzulatshidulo.

Tshipikwa tshihulwane tsha u nanga komiti iyi ndi u thusa kha u tsireledza dzipfanelo dza vhaaluwa zwi tshi da kha ndi Onganelo sianu la zwa mulayo, thonifho, tshumelo dza masipala na zwino.

Minwe mirado yo nangwaho yo vha i tevhelaho:

- Ramawa M.S – Munwaleli
- Raludzingano M.T – Muthusa munwaleli
- Tshikororo T – Mufaragwama

Mirado zwao:

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- Dau M
- Nemanashi V
- Nekhavhambe M
- Goma E
- Nengovhela V.E
- Nemukula T.J
- Nemaconde M.N
- Ramagwa S





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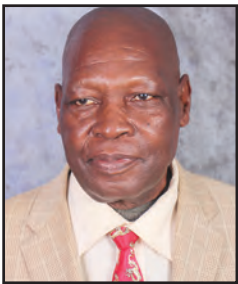
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**THULAMELA
LOCAL MUNICIPALITY**

Joining forces with the **Department of Small Business Development** and **Small Enterprise Development Agency (SEDA)**, **Thulamela Local Municipality** handed over working equipment to identified small businesses as part of the municipality's endeavours to strengthen small, medium, and micro enterprises (SMMEs), in line with its local economic development (LED) strategy.

The handover of the working equipment followed an application process, where small business operators in Thulamela Local Municipality were invited to submit applications and motivate on the kind of assistance their businesses needed.

Speaking on behalf of Thulamela Local Municipality, LED Manager said their support for small businesses was aimed at retaining jobs and for businesses to create more job opportunities, considering the massive retrenchments that occurred due to COVID-19.

Beneficiaries included businesses that operate in the hospitality sector, as well as motor mechanics, with most of them being youth- and women-owned businesses.



Sport

Nelson Mandela once said *“Sport has the power to change the world. It has the power to inspire. It has the power to unite people in a way that little else does. It speaks to youth in a language they understand. Sport can create hope where once there was only despair. It is more powerful than government in breaking down racial barriers. It laughs in the face of all types of discrimination. Sports is the game of lovers.”* Those were Rofhiwa’s silent words at the launch of the **Rofhiwa Manwadu Foundation** at an event held at Fulufhelo Special School.

Persons with disabilities often face societal barriers and disability evokes negative perceptions and discrimination in many societies. As a result of the stigma associated with disability, persons with disabilities are generally excluded from education, employment and community life which deprives them of opportunities essential to their social development, health and well-being. In some societies persons with disabilities are considered dependent and seen as incapable, thus fostering inactivity which often causes individuals with physical disabilities to experience restricted mobility beyond the cause of their disability.

Sport can help reduce the stigma and discrimination associated with disability because it can transform community attitudes





about persons with disabilities by highlighting their skills and reducing the tendency to see the disability instead of the person. Through sport, persons without disabilities interact with persons with disabilities in a positive context forcing them to reshape assumptions about what persons with disabilities can and cannot do.

Sport changes the person with disability in an equally profound way by empowering persons with disabilities to realize their full potential and advocate for changes in society. Through sport, persons with disabilities acquire vital social skills, develop independence, and become empowered to act as agents of change. Sport teaches individuals how to communicate effectively as well

as the significance of teamwork and cooperation and respect for others. Sport is also well-suited to reducing dependence and developing greater independence by helping persons with disabilities to become physically and mentally stronger. These skills can be transferred into other new arenas including employment and advocacy work further helping to build self-sufficiency.

The foundation was launched with the support of Thulamela Mayor Cllr A.S Rammuda and Thovhele Gole Mphaphuli.



Vhadzulapo vha takalela u vulwa buroho

Nedorobo wa masipala wa Thulamela mukhantselara Vho-Athongozwidivha Sara Rammuda vha vula buroho ire kha bada ya R534 kha Punda Maria. Nga murahu ha tshifhinga tshi linganaho nwaha muthihi buroho yo kumbiwa nga mvula dza midalo nga 2021, vha SANRAL vho fhata buroho ya vhunzhilinzhili ho shumiswa mashileni a linganaho R17,9m.

U fhatiwa ha buroho heyi zwo ita uri vhadzulapo vha takale vhukuma sa izwi tshumelo dzi ngaho dza zwa mutakalo, u endedzwa ha vhana vha zwickolo na vhashumi dzo vha dzo thithisea vhukuma. Musi vhe vhukati na u fhata buroho vhadzulapo vho wana mishumo ya tshifhinga nyana. Musi buroho iyi I tshi khou fhatiwa ho vha na thaidzo vhukuma ya u lenga ha dzinyendo dzi fhiraho nga afho sa izwi vhuendi hothe ho vha vhu tshi thoma ha dzhena kha la Maniini.

Mushumo uyu wa u fhata buroho wo dzhia minwedzi mitanu na mivhili ye ya vha yo kalelwa yone. Munwe wa vho ramabindu wa kha vhupo honoho Vho-Thuso Mmbadi a vho ngo kona dzumbamisa dakalo lavho sa izwi mbuyelo kha bindu la u shela mapfura a dzigoloi yo vha yo no tsela fhasi vhukuma.



MAGA A TSIRELEDZO ANE VHA NGA A TEVHEDZELA U ITELA U SA VHA NA VHULWADZE HA COVID 19

Vha tambe zwanda zwavho

- Vha tambe zwanda zwavho nga tshisibe nga vhuronwane.
- Vha tambe nga murahu ha zwanda zwavho, vhukati ha minwe na nga fhasi ha nala.
- Tshifhinga tshothe vha tambe zwanda zwavho nga tshisibe phanda ha musu vha tshi la na nga murahu musu vha tshi bva nnda fhethu ha nnyi na nnyi.

Tsiravhulwadze ya vhudi ya muthu ene mune

- Vha thivhedze mulomo wavho nga thishu musu vha tshi hotola kana vha tshi atsamula.
- Vha litshe u fara tshifhatuwo tshavho nga zwanda zwire na mashika tshifhinga tshothe.
- Arali vha tshi fanela u ita ngauralo vha vhe vha na vhutanzi ha uri vho thoma vha tamba zwanda zwavho nga tshisibe nga vhuronwane.

Vha songo lela zwiliwa fhethu huthihi na u shumisa zwishumiswa zwa u lela zwithihi

- Bakitheria dzi nga pfukela nga phanga, forogo, lebula na zwiturou, vha shumise fhedzi zwishumiswa zwo kunaho nahone vha songo nwisana zwinwiwa .
- Tshifhinga tshothe vha kunakise zwanda zwavho phanda ha musu vha tshila.

Vha vhone dokotela arali vha sina mutakalo

- Tsumbadwadze dzo dowealeho dzi katela u hotola, ningo l elaho maduda, u fhelelwa nga muya vha tshi fema. Arali vha tshi khou tangana na tsumbodwadze idzi vha tode dzilafho nga u tavhanya.vha founele kiliniki kana dokotela phanda ha musu vha tshi ya, vha vha vhudze tsumbadwadze dzavho na divhazwakale ya nyendo dzavho.



COUGH CORRECTLY

Always cough or sneeze into a tissue or your elbow and then throw the tissue away.



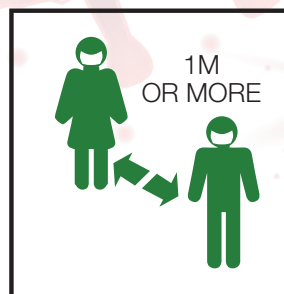
WASH WELL

Wash your hands regularly with soap or use sanitiser.



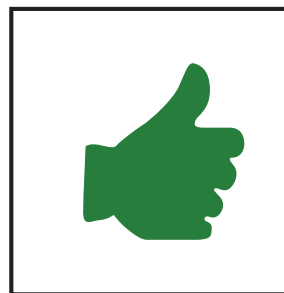
WEAR A MASK

Make sure you always wear your mask when outside the house and at work.



KEEP YOUR DISTANCE

When at work and out in public for essential reasons, adhere to social distancing guidelines by always staying at least one metre away from other people.



FOLLOW THE RULES

Stay at home when you're not at work and continue adhering to government's lockdown regulations.

STAY ALERT • VACCINATE • SAVE LIVES

Wash your Hands - Wear your Mask - Keep your Distance - Together we can Fight against Covid