

MINUTES

OF THE

**2nd SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING
FOR THE YEAR 2011**

of

MATJHABENG MUNICIPALITY

held on

MONDAY, 13 JUNE 2011

at

16:00

COUNCILLORS ATTENDANCE: SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING: 13 JUNE 2011

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PROPORTIONAL			
1.	Ngangelizwe S (Executive Mayor)	12.	Motshabi MP
2.	Chaka CP	13.	Ntsebeng MH
3.	Kotzee D	14.	Petleki KI (Absent)
4.	Lande ME	15.	Radebe MC
5.	Mafa DM	16.	Radebe ML
6.	Mafongosi ZV	17.	Sephiri MJ (Chief Whip) (Apology)
7.	Matlabe MMT (Absent)	18.	Speelman NW
8.	Mbana MA	19.	Stofile B (Speaker) (Not signed)
9.	Menyatso KJ	20.	Tihone ML
10.	Mkhusane NC	21.	Tsubane ME
11.	Molefi MJ	22.	Vanga NM
WARD			
23.	Dali VN	38.	Morris VR
24.	Khalipha TD	39.	Mosala MS
25.	Mabote TL	40.	Mothege MA
26.	Madumise MM	41.	Mphikeleli MA
27.	Makgowe PV	42.	Ntlele KI (Absent)
28.	Masienyane MD	43.	Phetise ME
29.	Mbambo AX	44.	Qwesha GL (Not signed)
30.	Mfebe MSE	45.	Riet MI
31.	Mokausi LC	46.	Sifatya Z
32.	Mokhomo HA	47.	Taliwe FE
33.	Molelekoa PA	48.	Thateng MJ
34.	Molelekoa PMI	49.	Thelingoane TJ (Absent)
35.	Molete TN	50.	Tlake KR
36.	Molupe RT	51.	Tsatsa SJ
37.	Monjovo NE (Apology)	52.	Tsubella KS

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PROPORTIONAL			
53.	Banyane ME	58.	Marais JS (Apology)
54.	Beneke R	59.	Mholo PP (Absent)
55.	Botha PF	60.	Mlangeni MG
56.	Fanie D	61.	Mokotedi TG
57.	Fourie JJC	62.	Styger A
WARD			
63.	De Villiers MT	66.	Smit DC
64.	Meyer KL	67.	Van Rooyen MS
65.	Naude HJ	68.	Van Schalkwyk HCT (Absent)

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PROPORTIONAL			
69.	Matlebe MM (Absent)	71.	Thoabala TE
70.	May FG		

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PROPORTIONAL	
72.	Taljaard SDM

OFFICIALS

Mr P Sefuthi	:	Acting Municipal Manager
Mr S Makhubu	:	Executive Director Strategic Support Services
Mr Z Lingani	:	Acting Director Corporate Support Services
Mr E Motheoane	:	Acting Executive Director Social Services
Mr JKF Jankowitz	:	Acting Snr Manager Council Administration
Ms G Smith	:	Corporate Services

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SECTION A

1. OPENING

The Speaker requested Cllr GL Qwesha to open the meeting with a prayer.

2. APPLICATIONS FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE

See Councillors Attendance List on **pages I and II** of these minutes.

3. OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS OF THE SPEAKER

A moment of silence was observed for the Chief Whip's mother who passed away as well as a community development worker, Mr P Madumise.

4. DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST

None

5. MATTERS FOR DISCUSSION

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6. ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Speaker reminded Councillors about the Workshop on Friday, 17 June 2011 at the TS du Plessis Hall.

The Speaker informed Council that he received correspondence from the Free State Municipal Pension Fund requesting Council to nominate 5 Councillors to serve in the General Committee of the Fund, but Council would deal with the matter at the Council meeting to be held on 21 June 2011.

The Executive Mayor informed Council that he and the Municipal Manager would be in Bloemfontein on 14 June 2011 to provide detailed responses to the questions raised by the Portfolio Committee on Public Accounts (PROPAC) of the Free State Legislature on the Financial Statements and performance management of Matjhabeng Local Municipality for the financial year ended 30 June 2010.

7. CLOSURE

The Speaker ended the meeting at **16:20**.

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B STOFIE (SPEAKER)

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DATE

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//The Executive Mayor welcomed the new Councillors and the public in the gallery.//

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MUNICIPAL PROPERTY RATES BY- LAW (6/18/5) (MM)

PURPOSE

To submit to Council the Property Rates By-law for adoption.

DISCUSSIONS

The Executive Mayor presented the item to Council.

Cllr JJC Fourie referred to paragraph 15.3 of the draft By-laws indicating that a committee needs to be established.

The Executive Mayor indicated that the committee would be appointed through normal procedures with the assistance of the Municipal Manager.

Cllr Smit proposed that the committee should consist of 6 members of the community, i.e. 3 women and 3 men.

Cllr Smit requested that paragraph 2.4 of the draft By-law should be checked, as according to him, it is contradictory to the principles.

Cllr Smit requested that paragraph 4.1 must also be looked at.

Cllr Smit indicated that paragraph 21 of the draft By-law could not be implemented on 1 July 2011.

Council unanimously **resolved** that paragraph 21 be amended to read as follows:

This by-law comes into force and effect on date of promulgation.

COUNCIL RESOLVED (13 JUNE 2011)

1. That Council **ADOPTS** the Draft Property Rates By-Law.
2. That the Draft Property Rates By-Law **BE ADVERTISED** for public comments for a period of 30 days whereafter it must **BE RESUBMITTED** to Council for adoption.