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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION OF 2023/24 FINANCIAL YEAR SERVICE DELIVERY & BUDGET IMPLEMENTATION PLAN (SDBIP) AND PERFORMANCE AGREEMENTS OF SENIOR MANAGERS



THABA CHWEU LOCAL MUNICIPALITY

In terms of Section 53(1) (c) (ii) (iii) and subsection 3 (a) (b) of Local Government Municipal Finance Management Act (MFMA) No 56 of 2003 which stipulates that, the Mayor of a municipality must take all reasonable steps to ensure that the Municipality's Service Delivery and Budget Implementation Plan (SDBIP), is approved by the Mayor within 28 days after the approval of the Budget and that Performance Agreements for the Municipal Manager and Senior Managers are concluded and made public no later than 14 days after approval of the SDBIP. Thaba Chweu Municipality hereby notifies the public that the Mayor, Cllr. Friddah Nkadimeng has approved the SDBIP for 2023/24 Financial Year. Further to make public the signed Performance Agreements of all Senior Managers for 2023/24 financial year as enshrined through section 75(1) (d) Local Government Municipal Finance Management Act (MFMA) No 56 of 2003 read with section 21A (1) of Local Government: Municipal Systems Act, No 32 of 2000.



NOTICE OF BASIC ASSESSMENT IN SUPPORT OF A WASTE MANAGEMENT LICENCE APPLICATION TO DECOMMISSION AND REHABILITATE THE HISTORIC SLURRY PONDS (AREA 5) AT TUBATSE CHROME (PTY) LTD, FETAKGOMO TUBATSE LOCAL MUNICIPALITY, LIMPOPO PROVINCE

Notice issued in terms of the National Environmental Management Act 107 of 1998 (NEMA); the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations, 2014 (as amended); and the National Environmental Management: Waste Act 59 of 2008 (NEMWA)

BACKGROUND AND LOCATION

Tubatse Chrome (Pty) Ltd (Tubatse), a subsidiary of Samancor Chrome, is a ferrochrome smelting operation situated in the Steelpoort Valley, adjacent to the R555, 2 km south of the town of Steelpoort and 58 km to the north of Roossenekal, in the Limpopo Province. Tubatse produces approximately 375 000 tonnes of ferrochrome annually. The plant, established in 1975, has six submerged arc furnaces, a Chrome Recovery Plant (CRP) and a Pelletising and Sintering Plant (PSP). The CRP slurry ponds (Area 5) was historically used to store thickener underflow from the CRP. These ponds were established in the late 1980's and have been replaced by two concrete silt traps. Tubatse proposes to decommission Area 5 and to remove the waste from the footprint for disposal to the existing licenced hazardous waste disposal facility (referred to as the HH Facility).

Since Area 5 is regarded as a waste disposal facility, the decommissioning of the facility requires a waste management licence (WML) as it triggers Category A, Activity 3(14) of Regulation GN R.921, published under the National Environmental Management Waste Act, 2008 (Act 59 of 2008) (NEMWA) (as amended). Category A waste management activities require a Basic Assessment process, as outlined in GN R. 326 of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations (2014, as amended), for submission to the Department of Forest, Fisheries and the Environment (DFFE). A WML for the decommissioning of Area 5 was issued to Tubatse in 2017 (Ref. No. 12/9/11/L60588/5). However, the licence validity lapsed as there were delays in the construction of the HH facility on which the Area 5 material was to be removed to. Tubatse therefore currently seeks to re-apply for a WML to decommission and rehabilitate the CRP historic slurry ponds (Area 5).

REGISTRATION AND SUBMISSION OF COMMENTS

WSP Group Africa (Pty) Ltd (WSP) was appointed as the independent Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP) to manage the BA process. Parties wishing to formally register as interested and affected parties (I&APs), in order to receive more information and/or raise comment(s) on the proposed project, are requested to forward their full contact details to the Public Participation Office and disclose their interest in the project. Any comments on the proposed project should be submitted to the Public Participation Office via the details provided below. Registered I&APs will be forwarded all future

Copies of the 2023/24 SDBIP and the Performance Agreements of Senior Managers will be posted on the municipal website **www.tclm.gov.za and will be available at the below listed offices:**

- Mashishing Municipal Offices
- Mashishing Thusong Centre
- Lydenburg Municipal Offices
- Graskop Municipal Offices
- Sabie Municipal Offices
- Northern Areas Municipal Offices

Any inquiries relating to the 2023/24 SDBIP can be made at the Office of
the Municipal Manager. Contact person: Ms Vukile Dladla at 013-325-7310
or via email at vukile.dladla@tclm.gov.za

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project related correspondence and notified individually of additional opportunities to participate in the process.

DRAFT BASIC ASSESSMENT REVIEW PERIOD

The Draft Basic Assessment Report will be made available at the venues below for review and comment for 30 days from **14 August 2023 to 12 September 2023.**

Name of Public Place	Address
Mapodile Public Library	Ga-Mapodila-A, Steelpoort,1133
Burgersfort Public Library	Cnr. Kort &, Eddie Sedibe St, Burgersfort, 1150
Fetakgomo-Greater Tubatse Municipality	283 Eddie Sedibe St, Burgersfort, 1150
WSP website	https://www.wsp.com/en-za/services/public-documents

Kindly ensure that all comments on the proposed project or requests to be registered as an I&AP are submitted to the contact details provided herewith, by **12 September 2023**. Should you have any queries/comments, please do not hesitate to contact the Public Participation Office.

The contact details to register as an I&AP:

ame: Jashmika Maharaj	Tel: 011 552 4300	Fax: 011 361 1381	
-mail: jashmika.maharaj@wsp.c	om Address:	PO Box 98867, Sloane Park, 2	2152

Protection of Personal Information: WSP will be processing certain personal information about you as an interested and affected party (I&AP) for purposes of enabling your registration as an I&AP and storing of your details on our database, if you consent for us to do so. WSP will use these details to contact you about other relevant projects in the future.



WSP will always process your personal information in accordance with the Protection of Personal Information Act 4 of 2013. You are entitled to exercise your rights as a data subject and let us know if you wish to be deregistered as an I & AP or if you no longer want your contact details to be included on our database.

All enquiries or sales support:

Lydenburg 013-591-4697