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THE CHIEF DIRECTOR: LOCAL GOVERNMENT BUDGET ANALYSIS – NATIONAL TREASURY (MR J HATTINGH) THE CHIEF DIRECTOR: MFMA IMPLEMENTATION – NATIONAL TREASURY (MR TV PILLAY)

MUNICIPAL CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICERS' FORUM - 5 AND 6 JUNE 2014

- This circular serves to confirm that the Municipal Chief Financial Officers' Forum will take place on Thursday and Friday, 5th and 6th of June 2014 at the Lord Milner Hotel, MATJIESFONTEIN, Central Karoo District.
- 2. Provincial Treasury notes that June is the last month of the municipal financial year and that one of the final steps in the accounting cycle is the preparation of the financial statements.
- 3. For the financial officer of every municipality around South Africa, the preparation and submission of accurate annual financial statements that comply with Generally Recognised Accounting Practices or GRAP is of paramount importance.
- 4. Consequently, the theme for the CFO Forum discussions will be the "**Preparation of GRAP Compliant Annual Financial Statements & the adequacy of Audit files to improve 2013 Audit Results**"
- 5. To this end, representatives from the Accounting Standards Board, Office of the Auditor-General South Africa, Department of Human Settlements, National and Provincial Treasury will amongst others, address the following matters:
 - Exposure Draft of a Proposed Standard of GRAP on Accounting By Principals And Agents (Ed 122) – Ms J Poggiolini (Accounting Standards Board)
 - Clarification of Grap Standards relating to Agency Functions i.e- Roads Agency Function Ms J Poggiolini (Accounting Standards Board)
 - Improvement of quality of financial statements and areas where significant adjustments had to be made during the 2012/13 financial year – Ms S Adams (Acting Business Executive – AGSA Western Cape)
 - Preparations of the audit file which takes into consideration Circular 50 of the MFMA Mr R Venter (Senior Manager AGSA Western Cape)
 - IT Governance : Addressing the audit findings (Ms W Solomons Senior Manager AGSA Western Cape)
 - Asset Management: Completeness of Asset Register, Heritage Assets etc. Mr A Hardien (WC Provincial Accountant General)

- Applying the Probability Test on Initial Recognition Of Exchange Revenue i.e Traffic Fines – IGRAP 1 : Ms N Oliphant (Snr Manager : Local Government Accounting Service – Provincial Treasury)
- Auditing of PDOs Clarification of the audit standards applied during the annual regulatory audit relating to Predetermined Objectives. Mr M Booysen (Snr Manager: Local Government Budget Management Provincial Treasury)
- 6. All municipal Chief Financial Officers (CFOs) and officials responsible for the preparation of annual financial statements are encouraged to attend the forum.
- 7. Attendees should please note that given the nature of items that will be discussed, the format of the meeting will change into a 2 day workshop.
- 8. Municipalities are requested to submit any additional items for the agenda by no later than 20 May 2014.
- 9. The logistics for the Chief Financial Officers' Forum are as follows:

Day 1	:	Thursday, 5 June 2014
Time	:	09:00 – 16:30
Venue	:	Lord Milner Hotel, Matjiesfontein
Day 2	:	Friday, 6 June 2014
Day 2 Time		Friday, 6 June 2014 08:30 – 14:00
Time	:	

- 10. Confirmation of attendance or apologies should reach Provincial Treasury by no later than 20 May 2014.
- 11. Please direct your communication to:

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12. Your co-operation in this regard will be appreciated.

Yours faithfully

MR M SIGABI SENIOR MANAGER: LOCAL GOVERNMENT REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE DATE: 09/05/2014