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## TREASURY CIRCULAR MUN NO. 29/2017

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THE MAYOR, BERGRIVIER MUNICIPALITY: MR EB MANUEL
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# IMPLEMENTATION OF THE NATIONAL TREASURY, MUNICIPAL FINANCE MANAGEMENT ACT, NO. 56 OF 2003 (MFMA) INDUCTION PROGRAMME

#### 1. PURPOSE

1.1 The purpose of this circular is to invite all newly appointed municipal officials with financial management responsibilities and officials requiring refresher training, to the National Treasury MFMA Induction Programme that will be held in November 2017.

## 2. BACKGROUND

- 2.1 National Treasury has initiated the MFMA Induction Programme as part of a comprehensive Public Financial Management Capacity Development Strategy that serves to promote the objects of the MFMA and build the capacity of municipal officials with financial management responsibilities.
- 2.2 The Provincial Treasury (PT) has been tasked to implement the NT MFMA Induction Programme within the Western Cape. To enable the achievement of the programme objectives in an effective and efficient manner and taking into consideration the resources required, PT has partnered with the School of Public Leadership of Stellenbosch University (SPL) to assist in the facilitation of the programme.
- 2.3 The objective of the MFMA Induction Programme is to provide all newly appointed municipal officials with financial management responsibilities a broad overview and understanding of the public sector ethos and ethics, including the municipal service delivery mandate, as well as the municipal finance environment and MFMA reforms. It is an accredited course, aligned to unit standard 119334 that prepares all new and emerging managers and other financial officials of municipalities to exercise their financial management responsibilities.
- 2.4 An outcome of this initiative will be for the participants to understand and relate their own position to:
  - The vision and underlying principles of the MFMA;
  - The roles and responsibilities in municipal finance emanating from the MFMA;
  - Municipal service delivery planning and implementation;
  - Supply-chain management, alternative service delivery mechanisms and contract management; and
  - Reporting and control.

#### 3. LOGISTICS AND REGISTRATION

- 3.1 The details of the upcoming training are as follows:
- 3.1.1 The accredited NT MFMA Induction Programme will be presented over a three-day period. The (NT) MFMA Induction Training Programme will be taking place in two regions, i.e. Cape Town and George.
- 3.1.2 The training venues where the training sessions will be held are as follows:
  - **Group 1**: George Municipality, Council Chambers
  - **Group 2**: Stellenbosch University, Bellville Campus
- 3.1.3 Municipalities are invited to attend the training in the following two groups:

GROUP 1		
Eden District municipalities		
Central Karoo District municipalities		
Swellendam Municipality	8 – 10 November 2017	
Overberg District Municipality		
Cape Agulhas Municipality		
GROUP 2		
City of Cape Town		
Cape Winelands District municipalities		
Theewaterskloof Municipality	13 – 15 November 2017	
Overstrand Municipality		
West Coast District municipalities		

3.1.4 Municipalities are requested to nominate two officials per municipality. To register for the course, nominees are to utilise the following website:

## www.splshortcourses.co.za/

Available courses / Transversal Capacity building 2017 – 2020

- 3.1.5 It is imperative that municipalities note the following:
  - Three days training: for the account of the Western Cape Provincial Treasury.
  - Venue & catering; for the account of the Western Cape Provincial Treasury.
  - Accommodation, transport, incidental expenses, meals (breakfast & dinner); for the account of municipalities.
  - Municipalities are kindly requested to ensure that the nominated officials attend
    the relevant training as non-attendance will lead to fruitless and wasteful
    expenditure.

# 4. REQUIRED ACTION

4.1 Municipalities are requested to forward confirmation of attendance of municipal officials to PT by no later than 20 October 2017 and this can be sent to the following PT officials listed below:

ALLOCATED MUNICIPALITIES			
021 483	Cy Bowers  483 6694  Cy.Bowers@westerncape.gov.za  Wendy Hans  021 483 4289  Wendy.Arendse2@westerncape.gov.za		3 4289
1.	City of Cape Town	1.	Bitou
2.	Matzikama	2.	Knysna
3.	Cederberg	3.	George
4.	West Coast District	4.	Eden District
5.	Bergrivier	5.	Mossel Bay
6.	Saldanha Bay	6.	Hessequa
7.	Swartland	7.	Kannaland
8.	Overstrand	8.	Oudtshoorn
9.	Laingsburg	9.	Central Karoo District
10.	Beaufort West	10.	Theewaterskloof

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- 1. Stellenbosch
- 2. Drakenstein
- 3. Cape Winelands District
- 4. Witzenberg
- 5. Breede Valley
- 6. Langeberg
- 7. Swellendam
- 8. Overberg District
- 9. Cape Agulhas
- 10. Prince Albert

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

**A THOMAS** 

**ACTING DIRECTOR: FINANCIAL GOVERNANCE** 

**DATE:** 10 October 2017