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PROVINCIAL TREASURY LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT FORUM MEETING: 30 MARCH 2022 VIA MS TEAMS.

1. PURPOSE

- 1.1 To inform municipalities of the next scheduled Local Government SCM Forum Meeting to be held on the **30th March 2022**, streamed via Microsoft Teams (MS Teams).
- 1.2 All Municipal Managers and Chief Financial Officers are requested to avail the Managers of the Supply Chain Management units to attend the meeting.
- 1.3 Where the senior official is unable to attend the forum meeting, the Municipality may nominate a representative, preferably an official of the Municipality's Supply Chain Management unit to attend.

2. BACKGROUND

- 2.1 In terms of section 5(3) of the MFMA (Act 56 of 2003), a Provincial Treasury may assist municipalities and municipal entities in building their capacity for efficient, effective and transparent financial management.
- 2.2 Given the pessimistic economic outlook, the supply chain environment has come under severe strain as all spheres of government aim to effectively respond to the COVID-19 pandemic, while also managing existing procurement pressures. This new context affects our daily operations in every way, from how we plan, to how we execute and implement, to ultimately how we report.
- 2.3 2The aim of the SCM forum is to assist on issues such as managing transformation within SCM, developing coherent policy and setting norms and standards for service delivery and to enhance interdepartmental SCM relations and the exchange of information, while taking a long-term perspective on spending and policy from an SCM perspective. The SCM forum meeting further seeks to be a co-operative communication between the Provincial Treasury and municipalities, with the view to share experiences and best practices.
- 2.4 Considering recent developments within the Provincial Treasury's strategy, specifically with COVID-19, the district forums become crucial, considering the last two years of municipal audit outcomes and the possible focus of the Auditor-General going forward.
- 2.5 It is imperative that each municipality in the Province is adequately represented, given the importance of the SCM Forum Meetings and the topics to be covered at the sessions.

3. AGENDA ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED

- 3.1 The Provincial Treasury will afford the municipalities the opportunity to forward their proposed agenda items or issues to be addressed at the forum meeting.
- 3.2 Should a Municipality wish to forward any proposed agenda items for discussions, they can do so via email no later than **Monday**, **14 March 2022**.
- 3.3 The agenda items include the following but will not be limited to:
 - Con-Court Judgment (Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017)
 - Update on the SCM Audit Interpretation Challenges
 - SALGA;

- CIDB;
- SCM Governance Workstream;
- Roll-out of the SEB; and
- The Asset Management Projects.

4. CONFIRMATIONS

- 4.1 Municipalities are requested to forward the name, designation and contact details of the representative, who will be attending the Supply Chain Management Forum meeting.
- 4.2 Confirmation of attendance or apologies should reach Provincial Treasury by no later than **Friday**, **18th March 2022**.
- 4.3 Please direct your communication to:
 - Attention : Mr. Sancho Nomdo
 - Tel. Nr : 076 587 8529

Email: : <u>Sancho.Nomdo@westerncape.gov.za</u>

- 4.4 Any enquiries in this regard may be directed to Ms. Letitia Sallies on (021) 483 3180.
- 4.5 Please consider this as the direction given by Provincial Treasury in confirming the way forward of this essential forum.

RODNEY MOOLMAN DIRECTOR: LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT DATE: 7 March 2022