

Winnie Madikizela-Mandela Local Municipality

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NOTICE NO: DP/LED OCEANS ECONOMY 03/07/24

Oceans Economy Programme

Winnie Madikizela-Mandela Local Municipality is inviting interested fishing cooperatives (small- scale fisheries), aqua-culture and fish farming projects to apply for Oceans Economy Programme.

Eligibility Criteria;

- It must be a business that has been operating for a minimum of 1 year
- The cooperative must have fishing rights or permit.
- The programme is strictly ocean economy and aqua-culture related.
- The applicants must operate within Bizana jurisdiction.

NB: First preference will be given to vulnerable groups (Women, disabled persons and youth) within the Ocean and Aqua-culture Sector subject to compliance requirements.

- All applicants will be screened and vetted. Shortlisted fishing cooperatives or projects will be notified telephonically or via sms.

Applicants are expected to provide the following to be considered:

- Completed application form
- Be a registered entity (CIPRO/CIPC Certificate)
- Provide proof of fishing rights or permit
- Valid tax clearance/Pin number
- Certified ID copies of all members or directors
- Business plan
- Three months bank statement of the business or bookkeeping records
- Letter of intent (off-take agreement)
- Letter from ward Councilor confirming the existence of the cooperative or project (Not proof of residence)
- Supporting quotations

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- No persons in the service of the state will be considered

Disqualification;

- Canvassing with politicians or municipal officials will lead to disqualification.
- Failure to comply with relevant bodies e.g. SARS, CIPC will lead to disqualification.
- Failure to submit proof of fishing rights or permit will lead to disqualification.
- Failure to submit certified copies of any of the required documents will lead to disqualification.
- Faxed or emailed applications will not be accepted.
- Incomplete applications will lead to disqualification.

Applications will be available at the LED offices, councilors and municipal website. **Advertised on the 30th July 2024 and closed not later than 16th August 2024 at 12H00.** Applications must be submitted at Winnie Madikizela-Mandela Local Municipality LED offices and must be in a sealed envelope clearly marked **Oceans Economy Programme**. Communication will be limited to successful applicants only.

All enquiries may be referred to Mr. B Hlangabezo: LED Manager @ 039 251 0230 / or hlangabezob@mbizana.gov.za

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