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Open Day: Saldanha Bay Water Quality Forum Trust

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Johan von Goethe: "What matters most must never be at the mercy of what matters least"



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Constitution(152) A municipality must strive within its financial and administrative capacity to:

- Provide democratic and accountable government
- Ensure provision of services in sustainable manner
- Promote social and economic development
- Promote a safe and healthy environment
- Encourage the involvement of communities in matter of local government

Balance – Triple Bottomline

People = community Profit = economy Planet = environment

PEOPLE

Social variables dealing with community, education, equity, social resources, health, well-bring, and quality of life

BEARABLE

EQUITABLE

SUSTAINABLE

PLANET Environmental variables relating to natural resources, water & air quality, energy conservation & land use

VIABLE

PROFIT

Ecomonic variables dealing with the bottom line & cash flow



Future Through Excellence

- 1. To diversify the economic base of the municipality through industrialization, deregulation, investment facilitation, tourism development whilst at the same time nurturing traditional economic sectors.
- 2. To facilitate an integrated transport system.
- 3. To provide and maintain superior decentralized consumer services (Water, sanitation, roads, storm water, waste management and electricity.)
- 4. To develop socially integrated, safe and healthy communities.
- 5. To maintain and expand basic infrastructure for economic development and growth.
- 6. To be an innovative municipality through technology, best practices and caring culture.
- 7. To be a transparent, responsive and sustainable decentralised administration.
- 8. To ensure an effective communication system. (Media, newsletter, marketing, IT, talking to clients, participation, internet).
- 9. To embrace a nurturing culture amongst our team members to gain trust from the community.
- 10. To ensure compliance as prescribed by relevant legislation.

Alignment

- Recognize our impact on the Bay
- Contributor to the Trust
- Represented by Alderman Kruger and other officials
- We acknowledge the great work done by SBWQFT
 - Thus far and planned
 - Impact and results is visible by the quality results
- Endeavor to decrease our impact and comply to the relevant legislation
- Treated effluent infrastructure is currently being upgraded and this will be continued in up and coming years – funding is rearranged, solicited
- Partnerships is revisited and engagements is frequent.
- S.M.A.R.T Green committee is established under watchful eye of Alderman Kruger
- Realize that the Bay is one of our biggest assets

Conclusion

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- SBM must comply to Environmental legislation
- SBM is committed to the vision of SBWQFT as it aligns with OURS
- SBM thank and recognize SBWQFT for the good work
- SBM is keen to install systems to prevent and minimize negative impacts
- Input to reinforce environmental resilience and ensure a sustainable environment is valued and appreciated

Alderman Kruger: "we need balance the need to conserve our natural heritage with the requirement to develop and prosper economically?"

Thank You

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