

CALL FOR BUSINESS ASSISTANCE: SUPPORT FOR LOCAL ENTREPRENEURS IN MANDENI

Mandeni Municipality is pleased to announce a call for applications from Mandeni local entrepreneurs for business support. The support package has been established by Mandeni Municipality to provide limited grant funding to local entrepreneurs / enterprises that requires to improve their businesses. The funding will mainly be allocated in the form of grant in-kind. The municipality will purchase equipment or tools on behalf of the entrepreneur/s. The municipality does not transfer money directly to the entrepreneurs / enterprises.

To apply for the Local Entrepreneurs Business Support, the applicant must submit the following documents:

- Completed application form.
- 2. Copy of business registration certificate/s (company registration documents, valid tax clearance, CSD).
- 3. FICA documents (e.g. Municipal accounts, a letter from traditional authorities)
- 4. A detailed description of your business concept or business plan
- 5. Copy of a lease or rental agreement, title deed or PTO of the business site
- 6. Confirmation letter obtained from Ward Councilor
- 7. A copy of quotations for the cost items

All applications with the completed application forms must be submitted in a sealed envelope marked, "Entrepreneurs Support Programme" must be deposited in the tender box at Mandeni Municipal Offices, Civic Centre, 2 Kingfisher Road, Mandeni. The closing time and date for the submission is 12:00AM, 15 August 2025.

Shortlisted applicants will be required to present their business concept to the EDPHS Portfolio Committee.

IMPORTANT: Successful applicants will be supplied with business equipment, machinery, IT support infrastructure capped at maximum value of R80 000.00 (Eighty Thousand Rand) including VAT per applicant. The focus will mainly be on designated groups, i.e., women, youth and people living with disabilities.

Application forms will be obtained from the Municipal LED Offices at 2 Kingfisher Road, Mandeni, alternatively, application forms can be accessed from the Mandeni Municipal Website, www.mandeni.gov.za

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