

VACANCY ADVERTISEMENT

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Reference Number:	KZNP/20260223/3987
Advert Reference Number:	DD- TRER 03/FEB 2026
Job Title:	DEPUTY DIRECTOR: LOCALISATION OF OPPORTUNITIES, TOWNSHIP AND RURAL ECONOMIE REVITALIZATION X 2 Posts
Job Level:	11
Vacancy Type:	Internal & External
Salary:	R 896 436- R 1 055 958 PER ANNUM
Department:	KZN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT TOURISM AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS
Component:	HEAD OFFICE
Employment Type:	Permanent
Center:	PIETERMARITZBURG
Number Of Posts:	2

Duties/Responsibilities:

Facilitate and coordinate the implementation of Township and Rural Economies Revitalization; . Facilitate Access to finance and markets for township and rural based enterprises; . Facilitate the establishment of sound stakeholder management processes and partnerships; . Develop and implement policies, strategies, frameworks and plans relevant to Localization of Opportunities Township and Rural Economies Revitalization (TRER) in the Province; . Manage the human and financial resources of the Sub-directorate.

Qualifications and Experience:

An appropriate Bachelor's Degree / Three-year National Diploma in Business Management/ Business Administration/ Economics at NQF Level 6/7 as recognized by SAQA. . A minimum of 3 years' junior management experience in project management (project conceptualization, stakeholder interaction and management, financial management and monitoring), development work in township and rural areas, and the formulation of economic development concepts. .A valid driver's License.

Essential Knowledge, Skills and Competencies Required:

: The successful candidate must have an in-depth knowledge of . Legislation, Policy and Strategy affecting Township and Rural Economic Development; Provincial Economic Transformation policies and strategies; Research Methodologies; Sustainable Economic Development strategies; Feasibility Studies, Sector Studies, Business Plans, Integrated Development Plans, Project Financing, SWOT and Economic Development Plans; Economic Environment of KZN and at District Level; Partnerships for Economic Development; Interpreting and Analysing Economic Information as well as Project and Contract Management. Sound knowledge and understanding of the Public Service Regulatory Framework, e.g., Public Service Act, PFMA, Constitution of the Republic of South Africa, Public Service Act, Public Service Regulations, Public Finance Management Act, Labour Relations Act, Basic Conditions of Employment Act, Service Delivery Frameworks (Batho Pele Principles), Employee Performance Management System, Skills Development Act, Promotion of Access to Information Act, National Development Plan, Promotion of Administrative Justice Act, Project Management Principle. Skills such as Research, Planning and organizing, Verbal and written communication (isiZulu & English proficiency), Negotiation and Networking, Ability to interact with people at all levels, Time management, Interpersonal relations, Project development, management and monitoring, Business planning, Report writing and Presentation skills, Budgeting, Analytical thinking and problem solving, as well as Computer Literacy. Attributes such as Self-confidence, Integrity and trust, Client orientation, Ability to work in teams as and when necessary, Independent work and result-oriented, Ability to motivate others and show initiative, as well as Ability to learn continuously.

Additional Information

ALL THE APPOINTMENTS WILL BE MADE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE EMPLOYMENT EQUITY TARGETS OF THE DEPARTMENT, WHICH IS AFRICAN MALE, COLOURED MALE, INDIAN MALE, AND PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES WHO MEET THE REQUIREMENTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO APPLY.

PLEASE NOTE THAT APPLICANTS SHOULD ONLY USE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING METHODS WHEN APPLYING FOR A POST: EITHER THROUGH THE ONLINE E-RECRUITMENT SYSTEM, EMAILING THE Z83 AND CV DIRECTLY TO THE RELEVANT DEPARTMENT, OR SUBMITTING A HARDCOPY APPLICATION AS DIRECTED.

How to apply

To apply please log onto the e-Government Portal: <https://www.eservices.gov.za/> and follow the following process;

1. Register using your ID and personal information;
2. Use received one-time pin to complete the registration;
3. Log in using your username and password;
4. Click on "Employment & Labour";
5. Click on "Recruitment Citizen" to create profile, update profile, browse and apply for jobs;

Or, if candidate has registered on eservices portal, access <https://www.eservices.gov.za/>, then follow the below steps:

1. Click on "Employment & Labour";
2. Click on "Click on KZN Provincial Government e-Recruitment Vacancies, S'Thesha Waya Waya";
3. Log in using your username and password;
4. Click on "Recruitment Citizen" to create profile, update profile, browse and apply for jobs;

For support, please send an email to: KZNHelpDeskRecruit@KZNpremier.gov.za

Closing Date : 13 Mar 2026

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b)If you do not hear from us within two months of the closing date, please regard your application as unsuccessful.

c)Applications received after the closing date will not be considered.

d)Please clearly indicate the name of the post and reference number of the position for which you are applying.

e)Applicants applying for posts in KZN Government Departments via the online e-Recruitment system, must upload a copy of their CV onto the system. Certified copies of supporting documents need not accompany your application and CV, as these will be requested from shortlisted applicants only.

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g)It is the responsibility of the applicant to have foreign qualifications evaluated by the South African Qualifications Authority (SAQA), prior to the time the qualification documents are requested to be submitted to the KZN Provincial Department or Public Entity.

h)Only candidates who meet the requirements may apply.

i)Appointment is subject to verification of the qualifications of the applicant, reference checking, and securing a positive security clearance, in circumstances where this is in relation to the requirement/s for appointment to the post applied for.

j)Applications from Recruitment Agencies will not be considered.

k)Applications sent to incorrect email address will not be considered.

l)The respective Provincial Departments and Public Entities reserve the right not to make an appointment.

m)The appointed candidate shall be required to sign a performance agreement.

n)Reference checks and/or confirmation of employment will be done with the current employer and candidates are advised to include references from the current employment in their application/CV to facilitate this.

o)The respective Provincial Departments and Public Entities reserve the right to regard a negative record on any verification check or risk assessment conducted, as sufficient grounds for refusal to select a candidate for appointment.

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