



CIRCULAR 2 OF 2020

To: Minister of Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs
MECs of Provincial Departments responsible for Local Government
Chairpersons of National & Provincial Houses of Traditional Leaders
President of South African Local Government Association
Chairperson of Independent Electoral Commission
Mayors of affected Metropolitan, District and Local Municipalities

Cc: Speakers of all Metropolitan, District and Local Municipalities
HOD's of Provincial Departments responsible for Local Government
PEO's of Independent Electoral Commission
Municipal Managers Metropolitan, District and Local Municipalities
Chief Surveyor General
Chief Electoral Officer
Chief Executive Officer of SALGA
Statistician – General
Members of extended Boundaries, Powers and Function Committee
Members of Local Elections Technical Committee

Dear Sir/Madam,

CIRCULAR 2/2020: DELIMITATION OF WARDS 2019-2020 – MDB MEASURES TO PREVENT AND LIMIT THE SPREAD OF CORONA VIRUS (COVID-19) DURING OUTSTANDING WARD DELIMITATIONS PUBLIC CONSULTATION MEETINGS.

PURPOSE

1. To provide information on the approach to be followed by the MDB regarding outstanding public meetings as a result of the spread of the coronal virus.

INTRODUCTION

2. The MDB is currently conducting public consultations in the ward delimitation process. The MDB is visiting all local and metropolitan municipalities between

February and April 2020. A number of municipalities have already been visited in Mpumalanga, Eastern Cape, KwaZulu Natal and Western Cape. Gauteng has commenced and was expected to be completed before end of March 2020. Sessions in the Free State, Limpopo, North West and Northern Cape were scheduled to take place in April 2020. A schedule of public meetings providing progress to date is attached hereto as **Annexure A**.

3. Following the declaration of a national disaster status of the country by the President, the MDB is introducing some measures to curb the spread of Corona virus (Covid-19). As the president indicated in his address to the nation on 15 March 2020, "the current circumstances require extra-ordinary measures to curb the spread of the virus" and that "gatherings of more than 100 people will be prohibited, where small gatherings are unavoidable, organisers will need to put in place stringent measures of prevention and control".

APPROACH TO BE FOLLOWED FOR OUSTANDING PUBLIC CONSULTATIONS

4. **The MDB is suspending all public consultation meetings scheduled from 18 March 2020 to 09 April 2020.**
5. Consultations are expected to resume from the 14th April 2020 (**see attached schedule**). The above might be changed depending on the directives issued by the National Command Council as established by the President, in this regard the MDB will communicate accordingly.
6. **Regardless of the situation, members of the public and stakeholders are encouraged to continue and submit written submissions until 30 April 2020.** In this regard forms are available on the MDB website (www.demarcation.org.za) and from municipalities. Submissions should be sent to registry@demarcation.org.za

CONCLUSION

7. The MDB would like to thank municipalities and various stakeholders for their continued support in this trying times.

8. We wish to assure everyone that the MDB is committed to meaningful citizen engagement and we urge all our stakeholders to assist in ensuring the country wins the war against the spread of the Corona virus.
9. The MDB will provide updated information should there be any changes to the programme.

Regards



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DATE: 2020/03/16

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ANNEXURE A

EASTERN CAPE: WARD DELIMITATION PUBLIC MEETING SCHEDULE 2020

DATE	MUNICIPALITY	CODE	STATUS
03 February 2020	Dr Beyers Naude	EC101	Done
04 February 2020	Kouga	EC108	Done
05 February 2020	Kou-Kamma	EC109	Done
06 February 2020	Sundays River Valley	EC106	Done
07 February 2020	Nelson Mandela Bay Metropolitan Municipality	NMA	Done
10 February 2020	Blue Crane Route	EC102	Done
11 February 2020	Makana	EC104	Done
12 February 2020	Ndlambe	EC105	Done
13 February 2020	Great Kei	EC123	Done
14 February 2020	Buffalo City	BUF	Done
17 February 2020	Mbhashe	EC121	Done
19 February 2020	Raymond Mhlaba	EC129	Done
20 February 2020	Amahlathi	EC124	Done
21 February 2020	Ngqushwa	EC126	Done
24 February 2020	Sakhisizwe	EC138	Done
25 February 2020	Inxuba Yethemba	EC131	Done
26 February 2020	Emalahleni	EC136	Done
27 February 2020	Enoch Mgijima	EC139	Done
28 February 2020	Intsika Yethu	EC135	Done
02 March 2020	Engcobo	EC137	Done
03 March 2020	Nyandeni	EC155	Done
04 March 2020	King Sabata Dalindyebo	EC157	Done
05 March 2020	Ngquza Hill	EC153	Done
06 March 2020	Port St Johns	EC154	Done
09 March 2020	Mhlontlo	EC156	Done
10 March 2020	Umzimvubu	EC442	Done
11 March 2020	Matatiele	EC441	Done
12 March 2020	Mbizana	EC443	Done
13 March 2020	Ntabankulu	EC444	Done
16 March 2020	Elundini	EC141	Done
17 March 2020	Senqu	EC142	Suspended

DATE	MUNICIPALITY	CODE	STATUS
18 March 2020	Walter Sisulu	EC145	Suspended
25 March 2020	Mnquma	EC122	Suspended

FREE STATE: WARD DELIMITATION PUBLIC MEETING SCHEDULE 2020

DATE	MUNICIPALITY	CODE	STATUS
01 April 2020	Mangaung	MAN	Suspended
02 April 2020	Letsemeng	FS161	Suspended
03 April 2020	Kopanong	FS162	Suspended
06 April 2020	Mohokare	FS163	Suspended
07 April 2020	Masilonyana	FS181	Suspended
08 April 2020	Tokologo	FS182	Suspended
09 April 2020	Tswelopele	FS183	Suspended
14 April 2020	Matjhabeng	FS184	Not suspended
15 April 2020	Nala	FS185	Not suspended
16 April 2020	Setsoto	FS191	Not suspended
17 April 2020	Dihlabeng	FS192	Not suspended
20 April 2020	Nketoana	FS193	Not suspended
21 April 2020	Maluti a Phofung	FS194	Not suspended
22 April 2020	Phumelela	FS195	Not suspended
23 April 2020	Mantsopa	FS196	Not suspended
24 April 2020	Moqhaka	FS201	Not suspended
28 April 2020	Ngwathe	FS203	Not suspended
29 April 2020	Metsimaholo	FS204	Not suspended
30 April 2020	Mafube	FS205	Not suspended

GAUTENG: WARD DELIMITATION PUBLIC MEETING SCHEDULE 2020

DATE	MUNICIPALITY	CODE	STATUS
12 March 2020	Ekurhuleni	EKU	Done
17 March 2020	City of Johannesburg	JHB	Suspended
18 March 2020	City of Tshwane	TSH	Suspended
19 March 2020	Emfuleni	GT421	Suspended
24 March 2020	Midvaal	GT422	Suspended

DATE	MUNICIPALITY	CODE	STATUS
25 March 2020	Lesedi	GT423	Suspended
26 March 2020	Mogale City	GT481	Suspended
30 March 2020	Merafong City	GT484	Suspended
31 March 2020	Rand West	GT485	Suspended

KWAZULU-NATAL: WARD DELIMITATION PUBLIC MEETING SCHEDULE 2020

DATE	MUNICIPALITY	CODE	STATUS
04 February 2020	Okhahlamba	KZN235	Done
04 February 2020	Umhlabuyalingana	KZN271	Done
05 February 2020	Alfred Duma	KZN238	Done
05 February 2020	Big Five Hlabisa	KZN276	Done
06 February 2020	Inkosi Langalibalele	KZN237	Done
06 February 2020	Jozini	KZN272	Done
07 February 2020	Mtubatuba	KZN275	Done
11 February 2020	UMuziwabantu	KZN214	Done
11 February 2020	Abaqulusi	KZN263	Done
12 February 2020	Umzumbe	KZN213	Done
12 February 2020	uPhongolo	KZN262	Done
13 February 2020	Ray Nkonyeni	KZN216	Done
13 February 2020	Nongoma	KZN265	Done
14 February 2020	Umdoni	KZN212	Done
14 February 2020	Ulundi	KZN266	Done
18 February 2020	Emadlangeni	KZN253	Done
18 February 2020	Greater Kokstad	KZN433	Done
19 February 2020	Endumeni	KZN241	Done
19 February 2020	Dr Nkosazana Dlamini Zuma	KZN436	Done
20 February 2020	Dannhauser	KZN254	Done
20 February 2020	Umzimkhulu	KZN435	Done
21 February 2020	Newcastle	KZN252	Done
21 February 2020	Ubuhlebezwe	KZN434	Done
25 February 2020	eThekwini	ETH	Done

DATE	MUNICIPALITY	CODE	STATUS
25 February 2020	Nqutu	KZN242	Done
24 February 2020	Msinga	KZN244	Done
28 February 2020	uMvoti	KZN245	Done
02 March 2020	Mfolozi	KZN281	Done
03 March 2020	Mthonjaneni	KZN285	Done
04 March 2020	Nkandla	KZN286	Done
05 March 2020	uMlalazi	KZN284	Done
06 March 2020	uMhlathuze	KZN282	Done
09 March 2020	Mpofana	KZN223	Done
10 March 2020	Impendle	KZN224	Done
11 March 2020	uMngeni	KZN222	Done
12 March 2020	uMshwathi	KZN221	Done
13 March 2020	Richmond	KZN227	Done
16 March 2020	Mkhambathini	KZN226	Done
17 March 2020	The Msunduzi	KZN225	Suspended
19 March 2020	Ndwedwe	KZN293	Suspended
20 March 2020	KwaDukuza	KZN292	Suspended
24 March 2020	Maphumulo	KZN294	Suspended
25 March 2020	Mandeni	KZN291	Suspended
26 March 2020	Edumbe	KZN261	Suspended

LIMPOPO: WARD DELIMITATION PUBLIC MEETING SCHEDULE 2020

DATE	MUNICIPALITY	CODE	STATUS
01 April 2020	Maruleng	LIM331	Suspended
01 April 2020	Thabazimbi	LIM361	Suspended
02 April 2020	Greater Letaba	LIM332	Suspended
02 April 2020	Lephalale	LIM362	Suspended
03 April 2020	Greater Tzaneen	LIM333	Suspended
03 April 2020	Bela-Bela	LIM366	Suspended
07 April 2020	Ba-Phalaborwa	LIM334	Suspended
07 April 2020	Mogalakwena	LIM367	Suspended
08 April 2020	Greater Giyani	LIM335	Suspended
08 April 2020	Modimolle- Mookgophong	LIM368	Suspended
09 April 2020	Musina	LIM341	Suspended

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09 April 2020	Ephraim Mogale	LIM471	Suspended
14 April 2020	Thulamela	LIM343	Not Suspended
14 April 2020	Elias Motsoaledi	LIM472	Not Suspended
15 April 2020	Collins Chabane	LIM344	Not Suspended
15 April 2020	Makhuduthamaga	LIM473	Not Suspended
16 April 2020	Makhado	LIM345	Not Suspended
16 April 2020	Fetakgomo-Greater Tubatse	LIM476	Not Suspended
17 April 2020	Blouberg	LIM351	Not Suspended
21 April 2020	Molemole	LIM353	Not Suspended
22 April 2020	Polokwane	LIM354	Not Suspended
23 April 2020	Lepele-Nkumpi	LIM355	Not Suspended

MPUMALANGA: WARD DELIMITATION PUBLIC MEETING SCHEDULE 2020

DATE	MUNICIPALITY	CODE	STATUS
04 February 2020	Bushbuckridge	MP325	Done
05 February 2020	Nkomazi Local	MP324	Done
06 February 2020	City of Mbombela	MP326	Done
11 February 2020	Thembisile Hani	MP315	Done
12 February 2020	Dr JS Moroka	MP316	Done
13 February 2020	Dipaleseng	MP306	Done
18 February 2020	Thaba Chweu	MP321	Done
19 February 2020	Emakhazeni	MP314	Done
20 February 2020	Emalahleni	MP312	Done
25 February 2020	Chief Albert Luthuli	MP301	Done
26 February 2020	Lekwa	MP305	Done
27 February 2020	Msukaligwa	MP302	Done
03 March 2020	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	MP304	Done
04 March 2020	Mkhondo	MP303	Done
05 March 2020	Govan Mbeki	MP307	Done
10 March 2020	Steve Tshwete	MP313	Done
11 March 2020	Victor Khanye	MP311	Done

NORTHERN CAPE: WARD DELIMITATION PUBLIC MEETING SCHEDULE 2020

DATE	MUNICIPALITY NAME	CODE	STATUS
01 April 2020	Richtersveld	NC061	Suspended
01 April 2020	Ubuntu	NC071	Suspended
02 April 2020	Nama Khoi	NC062	Suspended
02 April 2020	Umsobomvu	NC072	Suspended
03 April 2020	Kamiesberg	NC064	Suspended
03 April 2020	Emthanjeni	NC073	Suspended
07 April 2020	Hantam	NC065	Suspended
07 April 2020	Kareeberg	NC074	Suspended
08 April 2020	Karoo Hoogland	NC066	Suspended
08 April 2020	Renosterberg	NC075	Suspended
09 April 2020	Khâi-Ma	NC067	Suspended
09 April 2020	Thembelihle	NC076	Suspended
14 April 2020	Siyathemba	NC077	Not Suspended
14 April 2020	Kai !Garib	NC082	Not Suspended
15 April 2020	Siyancuma	NC078	Not Suspended
15 April 2020	!Kheis	NC084	Not Suspended
16 April 2020	Tsantsabane	NC085	Not Suspended
16 April 2020	Sol Plaatje	NC091	Not Suspended
17 April 2020	Kgatelopele	NC086	Not Suspended
17 April 2020	Dikgatlong	NC092	Not Suspended
21 April 2020	Dawid Kruiper	NC087	Not Suspended
21 April 2020	Magareng	NC093	Not Suspended
22 April 2020	Phokwane	NC094	Not Suspended
23 April 2020	Joe Morolong	NC451	Not Suspended
24 April 2020	Ga-Segonyana	NC452	Not Suspended
28 April 2020	Gamagara	NC453	Not Suspended

NORTH WEST: WARD DELIMITATION PUBLIC MEETING SCHEDULE 2020

DATE	MUNICIPALITY NAME	CODE	STATUS
01 April 2020	Moses Kotane	NW375	Suspended
02 April 2020	Kgetlengrivier	NW374	Suspended
03 April 2020	Rustenburg	NW373	Suspended
06 April 2020	Madibeng	NW372	Suspended
07 April 2020	Moretele	NW371	Suspended

08 April 2020	Kagisano/Molopo	NW397	Suspended
09 April 2020	Greter Taung	NW394	Suspended
14 April 2020	Lekwa-Teemane	NW396	Not suspended
15 April 2020	Mamusa	NW393	Not suspended
16 April 2020	Naledi	NW392	Not suspended
17 April 2020	Ratlou	NW381	Not suspended
21 April 2020	Tswaing	NW382	Not suspended
22 April 2020	Mafikeng	NW383	Not suspended
23 April 2020	Ramotshere Moiloa	NW385	Not suspended
24 April 2020	Ditsobotla	NW384	Not suspended
28 April 2020	Maquassi Hills	NW404	Not suspended
29 April 2020	City of Matlosana	NW403	Not suspended
30 April 2020	JB Marks	NW405	Not suspended

WESTERN CAPE: WARD DELIMITATION PUBLIC MEETING SCHEDULE 2020

DATE	MUNICIPALITY NAME	CODE	STATUS
04 February 2020	Matzikama	WC011	Done
05 February 2020	Cederberg	WC012	Done
06 February 2020	Bergrivier	WC013	Done
07 February 2020	Saldanha Bay	WC014	Done
11 February 2020	Swartland	WC015	Done
12 February 2020	Witzenberg	WC022	Done
13 February 2020	Drakenstein	WC023	Done
14 February 2020	Stellenbosch	WC024	Done
18 February 2020	Breede Valley	WC025	Done
19 February 2020	Langeberg	WC026	Done
20 February 2020	City of Cape Town	CPT	Done
21 February 2020	Theewaterskloof	WC031	Done
25 February 2020	Overstrand	WC032	Done
26 February 2020	Cape Agulhas	WC033	Done
27 February 2020	Swellendam	WC034	Done

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28 February 2020	Mossel Bay	WC043	Done
03 March 2020	Beaufort West	WC053	Done
04 March 2020	Prince Albert	WC052	Done
05 March 2020	Laingsburg	WC051	Done
06 March 2020	Oudtshoorn	WC045	Done
10 March 2020	Kannaland	WC041	Done
11 March 2020	Hessequa	WC042	Done
12 March 2020	Bitou	WC047	Done
13 March 2020	George	WC044	Done
17 March 2020	Knysna	WC048	Suspended