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Dear Interested and Affected Party

### **NOTIFICATION OF PUBLIC REVIEW OF THE DRAFT INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN (IWMP) 2021-2022 FOR THE CITY OF TSHWANE, GAUTENG**

#### **1. Introduction and background**

City of Tshwane (CoT) appointed Zitholele Consulting (Pty) Ltd (Zitholele), and its partner IQS Holdings (Pty) Ltd (IQS) to undertake the development of an Integrated Waste Management Plan (IWMP) for the City of Tshwane.

The 'new generation' IWMP was developed in accordance with the National Environmental Management: Waste Act, No. 59 of 2009, as amended ((NEM: WA), Chapter 3 of NEM: WA, pertaining to Institutional and Planning Matters and more specifically Section 11. The Municipality is required to update the IWMP every five years.

With the development of the IWMP, consideration was given to waste-related strategic objectives in the City of Tshwane's 2021 - 2026 Integrated Development Plan (IDP) and related reports, as well as the need to identify priority waste issues for accelerated implementation.

The IWMP analyses and quantifies all aspects concerning the management of waste within the City of Tshwane (CoT). It commends an urgency to action waste solutions also in the context of future waste increases and its evident impacts locally and globally. The six priority objectives are as follows:

- Environmentally conformant CoT landfills and adequacy of remaining airspace;
- Socio-economic, health and wellbeing of CoT's inhabitants;
- Functional Integrated Waste Management Information System;
- Establish quick wins through action plans from previous IWMPs that can be translated into quick but sustainable wins should be identified and brought to fruition;
- A holistic integrated approach towards waste minimisation with the pursuance of circular economy as a central theme with a specific focus on waste separation strategy inter alia providing automated and electronically based waste separation, transport, processing and finally disposal infrastructure; and
- "Review and update CoT Waste Management Organizational Structure to ensure efficiency, adequate capacity/skills set and clearly defined roles: Refine and operationalize the new structure for Waste Management with Roles/Responsibilities, Job Descriptions; etc".

CoT's vision is to become a prosperous Capital City through fairness, freedom and opportunity.

*Aligned hereto is the vision statement for the IWMP, namely to establish deep seated urban intelligence and participation to unlock the resource value of the waste generated in the City of Tshwane, for its people to prosper environmentally, socially, and economically to sustainably share in a greener and circular future.*

The IWMP provides further details regarding the following:

- IWMP goals;



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- Seven strategic focus areas;
- Current state of waste management within the CoT;
- Waste quantities generated within the CoT;
- Management of different waste types i.e. hazardous waste, e-waste, grit, screenings and sewage sludge, abattoir waste, agricultural waste, health care risk waste, builders rubble (construction waste), industrial waste and garden refuse;
- Waste minimisation initiatives;
- Waste Management Infrastructure available within the CoT;
- Prioritization of funding for key services for waste management;

The IWMP further provides for objectives that have been identified for implementation within 5 years in terms of waste management practises. Monitoring of the implementation plan is important to ensure that goals and targets are reached.

## 2. Public review of the Draft IWMP

This letter serves to inform you as an Interested and Party (I&AP) that the Draft IWMP for the City of Tshwane, dated June 2023, is available for your input, review and comment, until 14 March 2024. Subsequent to receipt of the comments on the Draft IWMP, the IWMP will be finalised.

The Draft IWMP is available for public review as follows:

- <https://zitholele.co.za/environmental/> under the heading City of Tshwane IWMP;
- City of Tshwane public website (<https://www.tshwane.gov.za>); and
- City of Tshwane customer care centres and libraries.

## 3. Public Meetings

Public Meetings are to be held as follows to present the Draft IWMP (refer to Table 1):

**Table 1: Schedule of Public Meetings**

REGION	DATE	TIME	VENUE
1	22 February 2024	18h00	Akasia Council Chamber
	2 March 2024	10h00	Mabopane Indoor Sports Centre
2	28 February 2024	18h00	Sinoville Municipal Offices
	3 March 2024	10h00	Temba Urban Council
3.	3 March 2024	10h00	Mbolekwa Community Hall
4	21 February 2024	18h00	Eldoraigne Library Hall
	3 March 2024	10h00	Olievenhoutbosch Community Centre

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5	22 February 2024	18h00	Rayton Community Hall
6	22 February 2024	18h00	Pretoriuspark Clinic
	2 March 2024	10h00	Rethabile Community Hall
	3 March 2024	10h00	Mamelodi West Community Hall
7	2 March 2024	10h00	Zithobeni Community Hall
Stakeholder Industry Session	21 February 2024	10h00	Microsoft Teams Meeting ID: 318 328 630 124 Passcode: GZDavt
1-7	27 February 2024	18h00	Microsoft Teams Meeting ID: 380 981 180 825 Passcode: Pr2Jh7

#### 4. Submit your comments

All Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) are urged to review the IWMP and provide written feedback before 14 March 2024 by submitting your comments via email to [cotiwmp@zitholele.co.za](mailto:cotiwmp@zitholele.co.za)

All comments received will be considered and responded to, in a Comments and Responses Report which will be included in the Final IWMP.

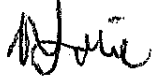
#### 5. Details of the Public Participation Process (PPP) Desk

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Should you require further information, please contact the undersigned.

Yours faithfully



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