

TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES



Garden Route District Municipality, the leading, enabling and inclusive district, characterised by equitable and sustainable development, high quality of life and equal opportunities for all.

Garden Route District Municipality (GRDM), with its Head Office situated in George, serves the people in the Southern Cape and Little Karoo. GRDM seeks to achieve the integrated, sustainable and equitable, social and economic development of its area as a whole by: ensuring integrated development planning; promoting bulk infrastructure development; building the capacity of local municipalities in its area to perform their functions and exercise their powers where such capacity is lacking; promoting the equitable distribution of resources between local municipalities in its area, to ensure appropriate levels of municipal services.

120 PATROL OFFICER LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES ACROSS THE GARDEN ROUTE - A SKILLS MECCA PROJECT INITIATIVE

Garden Route District Municipality invites unemployed youth under the age of 35, male or female, currently residing within the Garden Route District Municipal area to apply for an opportunity to become a qualified Patrol Officer as part of a Garden Route Skills Mecca Project Initiative. Opportunities are currently available within the following municipal areas within Garden Route District.

Municipal Area	Total Opportunities Available
Hessequa	Between 15 and 20
Mossel Bay	Between 15 and 20
George	Between 15 and 20
Knysna	Between 15 and 20
Bitou	Between 15 and 20
Oudtshoorn	Between 15 and 20
Kannaland	Between 15 and 20

Programme and Entry Requirements

This is a three months unit standard-based skills programme that requires 30% classroom (theory) and 70% workplace (practical) learning. Minimum entry requirements is:

- NQF Level 2 Qualifications with communication as a preference.

Scope of Work and Duties

- Conduct Security Patrol in area of responsibility
- Apply legal aspects in the area of responsibility
- Use of Security Equipment
- Handle complaints and problems
- Perform handover and take over responsibilities
- Give evidence in court
- Perform basic firefighting
- Carry out basic first aid treatment in a workplace
- Explain the requirements for becoming a security service provider

Stipends will be paid at R 2500-00 a month for three months by the Training Provider. Stipends must be used for meals and travel costs as no food or refreshments will be available during training. Programme also does not include uniforms, PPE or any equipment, but only learning materials.

The current EPWP application forms are available at the Garden Route District Municipality (GRDM) and satellite offices within the district during normal office hours (Monday – Thursday 07:30 – 16:30; Friday 07:30 – 13:30). EPWP Application forms are also available from the GRDM's website at www.gardenroute.gov.za.

THE GARDEN ROUTE DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY WILL ONLY CONSIDER APPLICATIONS COMPLETED IN FULL AND IF THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS HAVE BEEN INCLUDED: A fully completed EPWP application form, copy of South African ID Document certified within last three months, copy of highest educational qualifications certified within last three months.

Please forward the application form and all documents to: **Records, Garden Route District Municipality, 54 York Street, P.O. Box 12, George 6530, for attention: Training and Development Section.**

For any enquiries, do not hesitate to contact Mr Reginald Salmons at 044-803 1363, Ms Angeline Naidoo at 044 803 1420 or Mrs H. Claassen (044)803 1531, Ms A. Killian (044)803 1501 during office hours.

Only short-listed candidates will be contacted. Should candidates not be contacted within a week of the closing date, they must consider their application as unsuccessful.

Closing date: 31 May 2023

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