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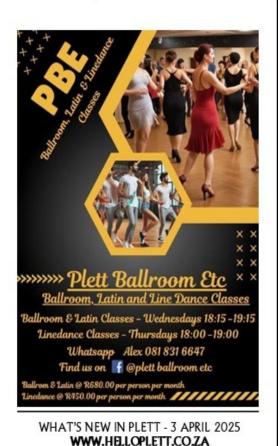
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4) Take a location pin to share with the

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# BITOU LOCAL MUNICIPALITY LAND USE MANAGEMENT NOTICE



The Municipality in accordance with Section 45(3) has instructed the applicant to attend to the publication of the land development application received in terms of Section 15(2) of the Bitou Municipality Land Use Planning Bylaw

Notice is hereby given in terms of section 45 of The Bitou Municipality Land Use Planning By-Law 2015,

PROPERTY DESCRIPTION	TYPE OF APPLICATION	APPLICANT DETAILS	
Erf 3366 Plett	Rezoning from industrial zone II to Business 1 to allow a place of entertainment.	Mr. Cheslin	

A copy of the application is available viewing at the Municipal office at unit 50 (Town Planning), Second Floor, Melville's Corner, 3 Kloof Street Plettenberg Bay, during normal office hours. Enquiries may be directed to Olwethu Yonke at 044 501 3317/ oyonke@plett.gov.za

Any comments or objections to the application, with reasons therefor, must be lodged in writing to the abovementioned official by means of email or hand-delivery within 30 days from the date of publication of this notice, and must include the name & contact details of the person concerned. Comments/ objections received after 30 days may be disregarded. A person who cannot write may visit the Town Planning Office, where a staff member will assist to transcribe their comments.

The personal information of anyone who submits comment / objection might be made available as part of processing the application.

Mr Mbulelo Memani Municipal Manager Bitou Local Municipality, Private Bag X1002, Plettenberg Bay, 6600 Notice No 117/2025

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Municipal Notice No: 112/2025

BITOU MUNICIPALITY (WC047) NOTICE NUMBER: NO: 112/2025.

# APPROVED DRAFT BUDGET AND TARIFFS 2025/2026 AND APPROVED DRAFT INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT PLAN (IDP): 2025/2026

Notice is hereby given in terms of section 21 of the Local Government: Municipal System Act, 2000, Section 22 of the Local Government: Municipal Finance Management Act, 2003, and Section 127(5) of the Local Government: Municipal Finance Management Act, 2003 (Act 56 of 2003) read with Section 21A of the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act, 2000 (Act 32 of 2000) that the Draft IDP 2025/2026, Draft Budget and Tariffs 2025/2026 for the Bitou Local Municipality are available to the general public and organizations for representations and comments.

The documents mentioned above are available for inspection at the Municipal offices and libraries indicated below: Main Offices: 4 Sewell Street, PLETTENBERG BAY, Tel: 044 501 3000 (Mr. Felix Martin Lotter, Acting Chief Financial Officer); IDP Offices: 58 Mellviles Corner, PLETTENBERG BAY, Tel: 044 501 3198 (Mr. Thembinkosi Henge, IDP Manager), Qolweni office, Green Valley office. Libraries: Town (Mellville's Corner), Kwanokuthula, Green Valley, Kranshoek, Kurland, Central (New Horizons) The 2025/2026 Draft IDP, Draft 2025/2026 Budget, and Tariffs are also available on the Bitou Municipal website: <a href="https://www.bitou.gov.za">www.bitou.gov.za</a>

Comments or representations on the documents mentioned above should reach the office of the Municipal Manager on or before 25 April 2025.

To enhance public participation and to obtain meaningful input, Bitou Municipal Council decided to host IDP/Budget consultative public meetings as scheduled below. The aim of these meetings is to provide communities an opportunity to give inputs into the draft IDP/Budget.

Purpose: Presentation Draft Budget for the 2025/2026 financial year.

WARD	VENUE	DATE	TIME
WARD 1	KURLAND COMMUNITY CHURCH HALL	09/04/2025	18:00 PM
WARD 2	PIESANG HALL	14/04/2025	17:30 PM
WARD 3	BICYCLE SHED	10/04/2025	18:00 PM
WARD 4	NEW HORIZONS COMMUNITY HALL	29/04/2025	18:00 PM
WARD 5	KWANOKUTHULA COMM HALL	15/04/2025	18:00 PM
WARD 6	KWANOKUTHULA COMM HALL	24/04/2025	18:00 PM
WARD /	KRANSHOEK & HARKERVILLE (KRANSHOEK COMMUNITY HALL)	22/04/2025	18:00 PM
WARD 1	WITTEDRIFT COMMUNITY HALL	23/04/2025	18:00 PM

For more information or reservations, please contact the **IDP office** at 044 501 3198 or send an e-mail to <a href="mailto:thenge@plett.gov.za">thenge@plett.gov.za</a> cc <a href="mailto:thenge@plett.gov.za">tnguza@plett.gov.za</a>

Mr. Mbulelo Memani MUNICIPAL MANAGER, Bitou Local Municipality

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Municipal Notice No: 76/2025

# AMENDED 2024/2025 TOP LAYER SDBIP BITOU MUNICIPALITY (WC047)

NOTICE NUMBER: 76/2025

Notice is hereby given in terms of Section 44 of the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act, 2000 (Act 32 of 2000) and MFMA Circular 13 (Local Government: Municipal Finance Management Act, 56 of 2003) read with Section 21A of the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act, 2000 (Act 32 of 2000) that an Amended 2024/2025 Top-Layer SDBIP (Service Delivery Budget Implementation Plan) was tabled at a Council meeting on Thursday, 27 February 2025. The Amended 2024/2025 Top-Layer SDBIP is available at the following places:

- Municipal Office, Sewell Street, Plettenberg Bay
- Green Valley Library, Wittedrift
- Kurland Library, The Crags
- Municipal Office, Natures Valley
- Municipal Office, Qolweni
- Public Library, Melville's Corner, Plettenberg Bay
- New Horizons Library, Saringa Street, New Horizons
- Kranshoek Library, Kranshoek
- KwaNokuthula Library, KwaNokuthula

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