



## **DIPALESANG LOCAL MUNICIPALITY**

# **URGENT PUBLIC NOTICE**

**DIPALESANG LOCAL MUNICIPALITY IS CURRENTLY EXPERIENCING DEVASTATING LOAD SHEDDING WHICH IS AFFECTING OUR PEOPLE AND BUSINESSES IN A VERY BAD WAY.**

**EXACERBATING THIS SITUATION IS THE OBVIOUS DELIBERATE ACTS OF SABOTAGE CARRIED OUT BY FACELESS SABOTEURS HELL BENT ON DESTABILIZING OUR MUNICIPALITY.**

**WE HAVE ALSO NOTED WITH SERIOUS CONCERN THE CRIMINAL ELEMENT WHICH IS RESPONSIBLE FOR VANDALISM AND CABLE THEFT THEREBY COMPROMISING THE ENTIRE ELECTRICITY SYSTEM OF DIPALESANG LOCAL MUNICIPALITY.**

**DESPITE ALL THESE SHENANIGANS, WE APPEAL FOR CALM AND RESTRAINT FROM THE PUBLIC.**

**WE ARE WORKING AROUND THE CLOCK IN ORDER TO ADDRESS THIS UNFORTUNATE SITUATION.**

**WE HAVE MANAGED TO CONNECT THE FORTUNA WATER TREATMENT PLANT WITH A GENERATOR IN ORDER TO PUMP WATER ONTO OUR RESERVOIRS WHILST ESKOM COMPLETES ITS REPAIRS TO THE MV LINE THAT FEED THIS PLANT. COUPLED WITH THE ABOVE, WATER IS BEING CARTED TO VARIOUS AREAS OF OUR COMMUNITIES AS PER COUNCILOR'S IDENTIFICATIONS AND ADVICE. WE HAVE FURTHER DEPLOYED PATROLLING SERVICES WITH THE ASSISTANCE OF RESIDENTS TO CRITICAL ELECTRICAL INFRASTRUCTURE HARDWARE TO TRY AND PREVENT FURTHER OCCURRENCE OF VANDALISM TO OUR INFRASTRUCTURE.**

**IT IS AGAINST THIS BACKGROUND THAT WE APPEAL FOR COOPERATION FROM ALL OUR PEOPLE AND THE BUSINESS COMMUNITY.**

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