

MAKHADO LOCAL MUNICIPALITY
OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR CORPORATE SERVICES

MINUTES OF THE ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY SECOND (192nd) SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING OF MAKHADO MUNICIPALITY WHICH WAS HELD ON THURSDAY, 26 FEBRUARY 2026 AT 13:00 IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, GROUND FLOOR, CIVIC CENTRE, MAKHADO.

PRESENT

Councillors

BALOYI, R
 BALOYI, R S
 BALOYI, S E
 DAVHANA, N D
 DZHIVHUWO, A S
 ESTERHUIZEN, W L
 FURUMELE, M G
 HLANGWANI, B
 KUTAMA, N
 KUTAMA, T
 MABUNDA, M
 MADAVHA, A
 MADZHINI, K
 MAGADA, M R
 MAHOSI, N S
 MAINGO, R T
 MAKAMU, T T
 MALANGE, M C
 MALANGE T M
 MALIVHA, N V
 MALULEKE, H G
 MAMAFHA, T C
 MAMAFHA, T J
 MANGANYE, K N
 MARAGA, M
 MASHAMBA, L
 MASHAU, P
 MASHAU, T C
 MASIPA, P N

MASUKA, S
 MATHALISE, L M
 MATIDZA, T R
 MATUMBA, A
 MATUMBA, N J
 MPASHE, M J
 MUDZWIRI, T L
 MUKHUBA, R
 MUKHUDWANA, R
 MUKOSI, M
 MUKOSI, M R
 MUKWEVHO-MTILENI, G T
 MULAUDZI, M E
 MULEFU, M E
 MUNYAI, N
 MUSHANDANA, T T
 NEMUDZIVHADI, N S
 PHANGAMI, L
 PHULUWA, M I
 RALIPHADA, R
 RAMALATA, T T
 RAMALIVHANA, M
 RAMALWA, M W
 SEBOLA, D J
 SIMANGWE, N J
 SMALLE, P A
 TSHIDAVHU, I A
 TSHILAMBYANA, M S

Officials

M K NEMANAME
 N G RALIPHADA
 S G MAGUGA
 H J LUKHELI
 M D MUNYAI
 M MANYUMA

(MUNICIPAL MANAGER)
 (CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER)
 (DIRECTOR: CORPORATE SERVICES)
 (DIRECTOR: COMMUNITY SERVICES)
 (MANAGER: COUNCIL SUPPORT)
 (ASSISTANT ADMINISTRATIVE CLERK)

Traditional Leaders

None

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1. OPENING

The Speaker, Cllr G T Mukwevho-Mitileni, ruled that a moment of silence be observed for meditation and prayer, whereafter she welcomed everyone present and declared the meeting officially opened.

2. NOTICE OF THE MEETING

The Speaker, Cllr G T Mukwevho-Mitileni expressed that everyone be reminded of the Municipality's Vision and Mission as follows:

Vision: *"A dynamic hub for socio-economic development by 2050"*

Mission: *"To ensure effective utilization of economic resources to address socio-economic imperatives through mining, agriculture and tourism"*

She further confirmed that all Councillors had received notice of the meeting by sms, e-mail and hard copy.

3. OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 3.1 The Speaker, Cllr G T Mukwevho-Mitileni announced that all Councillors were requested to submit application for leave of absence to the Office of the Speaker as per clause 21.1 of the Standing Rules of Order, 2016 read with the Addendum, 2020 applications for leave of absence from any council or committee meeting must be submitted to the Speaker or the chairperson in writing and signed by the member applying for leave to avoid audit findings.
- 3.2 The Speaker, Cllr G T Mukwevho-Mitileni requested all Councillors to submit S & T claims on or before the 15th of every month.
- 3.3 The Speaker, Cllr G T Mukwevho-Mitileni reminded all Ward Councillors to submit monthly ward committee management meetings reports to Regional Public Participation Officer on or before 25th of every month.
- 3.4 The Speaker, Cllr G T Mukwevho-Mitileni reminded all Councillors to submit laptops for asset verification to the Secretary of the Speaker.
- 3.5 The Speaker, Cllr G T Mukwevho-Mitileni invited all Councillors to attend MPAC Public Participation scheduled for Wednesday, 4 March 2026 at Waterval community hall at 10:00 and MPAC Public Hearing scheduled for Tuesday, 10 March 2026 at Makhado Showground at 10:00.

4. APPLICATION FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE

RESOLVED –

THAT leave of absence be granted in terms of the provisions of Rule 21 of the Council's Rules of Order, 2016 published under Provincial Gazette Notice no. 2736 dated 29 July 2016 in respect of the Special Council meeting held on 26 February 2026 to Cllrs H G Mabudu, M Swalivha, M D Mboyi, N B Jones, M Makwala, T R Ravele, W Mabasa, M D Ndou, B F Hlongwani, K Mukheli, E T Sithi, R Makwala, F N Madzhiga and N S Munyai.

REMARK:

The following Councillors were absent from the Special Council meeting held on 26 February 2026: Cllrs M J Gabara, N A Mudunungu, F P Makhubele and M R Selepe.

5. MATTERS CONSIDERED**5.1 Recommendations of the Executive Committee in terms of section 59 (1) of the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act, 2000 (Act 32 of 2000): February 2026**

634th Executive Committee meeting: 24 February 2026

635th Executive Committee meeting: 26 February 2026 (only approval of previous minutes)

5.2 Recommendations of the respective Section 79 Oversight Committees in terms of section 59 (1) of the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act, 2000 (Act 32 of 2000): February 2026

129th Section 79 Oversight Committee: Corporate Services meeting: 25 February 2026

95th Section 79 Oversight Committee: Finance meeting: 25 February 2026

ITEM A.14.26.02.26

**FINANCES: DETERMINATION OF UPPER LIMITS OF SALARIES, ALLOWANCES AND BENEFITS OF DIFFERENT MEMBERS OF MUNICIPAL COUNCILS: 2025/26 FINANCIAL YEAR
(5/5/21)**

REMARK:

When this matter was considered Cllr T M Malange proposed, duly seconded by Cllr R Mukhuba that we are taking the recommendation of the Portfolio Committee Finance. The proposal was accepted in general and recorded as Council resolution below:

RESOLVED A.14.26.02.26 (COUNCIL)

1. THAT the provisions of Government Notice (Department Co-operative Governance and Traditional Affairs) No 7159, Determination of Upper Limits of Salaries, Allowances and Benefits of Different Members of Municipal Councils, in Government Gazette No 54179 dated 20 February 2026 be implemented by Council, as more fully recorded in Annexure A attached to the report in this regard: Provided implementation of the said upper limits of salaries, allowances and benefits of different members of municipal councils are subject to concurrence by the MEC for Coghsta, Limpopo. (CFO)
2. THAT it be noted that the annual total remuneration of upper limits for cellphone allowance for Councilors, provided for in items 5 and 8 of Government Gazette No 54179 dated 20 February 2026 respectively, be paid R 3600 and R 317 per month for cell phone allowance and allowance on the use data bundles respectively, in accordance with the Gazette No.54179. (CFO)
3. THAT it be noted that the effective date of the Determination of Upper Limits of Salaries, Allowances and Benefits of Different Members of Municipal Council is from 1 July 2025 until to date. (CFO)

4. THAT the payments of Determination of Upper Limits of Salaries, Allowances and Benefits of Different Members of Municipal Council be made immediately after the MEC of Coghsta sign the concurrence. (CFO)

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ITEM A.15.26.02.26

**FINANCES: REPORT OF ADJUSTMENT BUDGET (2025/26 FINANCIAL YEAR)
(6/1/1(2025/26))**

RESOLVED A.15.26.02.26 (COUNCIL)

1. THAT the 2025/26 Annual Budget be adjusted in February 2026 in terms of Section 28 of the Municipal Finance Management Act, Act no. 56 of 2003. (CFO)
2. THAT the 2025/2026 Adjustment Budget be submitted to the National, Provincial Treasury and Coghsta. (CFO)
3. THAT the Council approves the adjustment budget for the income and expenditure projections for the financial year ending 30 June 2026, as more fully explained in Annexure A and Annexure B (Capital Expenditure breakdown) attached to the report in this regard. (CFO)
4. THAT Council take note that depreciation, debt impairment and loss on disposal of assets provision was taken into consideration which are non-cash items amounting R 226 998 million. (CFO)

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The meeting was closed and adjourned at 13:45.

Approved and confirmed in terms of the provisions of Clause 22.1 of the Rules of Orders, 2016 promulgated in Provincial Gazette Notice No. 2736 of 29 July 2016 under Local Authority Notice 125, by a resolution of the Council passed at the meeting held on 28 April 2026.

CHAIRPERSON

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