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Clr Kganaga

D.A Councillor

Mangaung Metropolitan Municipality

Dear Councillor Kganaga

RESPONSE TO RULE 38 QUESTION. MANGAUNG LAW ENFORCEMENT

Your letter dated 05 July 2022, received by E-mail regarding the above-mentioned matter refers

Question 1:

Who is responsible for Law Enforcement?

Response: Law Enforcement, in all the three regions of Mangaung, namely:

Bloemfontein Region & Soutpan: Chief Foko

Botshabelo Region: Chief Jantjie

Thaba’Nchu Region and Naledi: Ass Chief Kotelo

Question 2:

How Many vehicles do they have?

Bloemfontein = 57

Botshabelo = 35

Thaba’Nchu = 11

Question 3:

How many of those vehicles are roadworthy?

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Response: They are Roadworthy.

Question 4:

How many personnel does Law Enforcement have?

Response: 59

Question 5.

What is the scope of work for Law Enforcement?

Response: By Laws and Crime Prevention

Question 6:

How many people are employed at the call Centre?

Response :10 Members of which 5 are on a year 12 months periods training course.

Question 7

What are all the telephone numbers for Law Enforcement call centre?

Response :051 406 6452 and 051 405 8771.

Question 8:

Who is responsible for personnel at the call Centre?

Response: Senior Law Enforcement officer.

Question 9:

What is the municipality's role regarding illegal churches?

Response: There is unfortunately no National or Provincial legislation, categorizing churches in terms of being legal or illegal. This presumably is because of the Constitutional provision of Bill of Human of Rights, which guarantees, freedom of Religion. The Municipality cannot deviate from this fact and start categorizing churches as legal or illegal.

Question 10 :

What is the municipality's role regarding noise control?

Response: Complaints received at Municipal Health Services are dealt with by the Pollution control officer, by means of an inspection. provisions of the applicable By-Law.

Question 11:

Response: Community Policing Forum and the law enforcement unit will engage the church to address the matter.

Question 12:

If Law Enforcement cannot fails to enforce the municipality bylaws what recourse is there for the community?

Response: question not clear

Question 13:

Is the Metro Police operating?

Response: No

Question 14:

How many vehicles were bought for the metro police?

Response: N/A

Question 15

Where are the vehicles that were bought for the metro police?

Response: N/A

Question 16:

What is happening to the vehicle's that were bought for the metro Police?

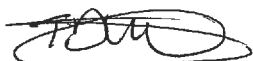
Response: N/A

Question 17:

If Law Enforcement is at shortage of vehicles, why aren't some of those vehicle's being transferred to that department to assist community and the municipality to enforce the by-laws?

N/A

Yours faithfully



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Acting City Manager

Date.....26/08/2022