

GREATER TZANEEN LOCAL MUNICIPALITY

PUBLIC NOTICE ON DRAFT PROPERTY RATES POLICY AND PROPERTY RATES BY-LAWS IN TERMS OF THE MUNICIPAL PROPERTY RATES ACT, 2004 (ACT 6 OF 2004)

Notice is hereby given in terms of Sections 3, 4 and 6 of the Local Government: Municipal Property Rates Act, 2004, (Act 6 of 2004), hereinafter referred to as the "Act" read together with section 12(3) of the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act, 2000 (Act 32 of 2000), that the Draft Property Rates Policy and the Property Rates By-Laws and in terms of Section 16 read with Section 17 of the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act, 2000 (Act 32 of 2000) are available for comments and submission from the public.

Copies of the Draft Rates Policy & Rates By-Laws are available at the Offices of the municipality as stipulated hereunder:

Office hours i.e.: (07:30 – 16:00) on weekdays, from 9 August 2010 to 10 September 2010.

The draft policy and rates by-laws are also available on the official website of the municipality www.tzaneen.gov.za.

Local community and interested parties is consequently invited to submit written comments and representations to the Municipality on or before the 10 September 2010. Such comments and representations together with written submissions, if any, will be taken into account when the final Rates Policy is considered by the Council. The adopted policy will take effect from **1 July 2010**.

All written comments, submissions and representations on the draft policy and bylaws, if any, may be submitted to:

The Head: Income Department
Tzaneen Municipality
Municipal Offices
Private Bag 24
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