

Address by Councillor Cerfontein, Chairperson of Sub council 22 at the February meeting held on Monday 18/2/2019

Good morning, Molweni, Assalamoalaikom, Shalom,

Manager, Fellow Councillors, Staff, Officials, members of the public

Welcome.

Firstly, I would like to acknowledge the role and support of the officials, staff & councillors throughout past 2 years. It is important that we renew our efforts from time to time as they certainly keep us on our toes.

But in particular let me say to each and every one of you, I am grateful that we have been able to rely on you, not cursing our daily challenges but lighting the candle that can guide us through that darkness to a safe and sane future.

Having said this,

I want to take this opportunity by thanking the SC manager Mr. Okkie Manuels for the role he has played. Mr Manuels will be retiring on the 28th February 2019.

Mr. Manuels as your career comes to an end, please know that your influences carry on. Countless lives have been impacted through the knowledge you have imparted. As a SC we wish you well in your future endeavors.

You will certainly be missed here.

Turning our focus to the business at hand

Upgrade of the Langverwacht road in Kuilsriver

Due to a number of set-backs the long awaited Langverwacht road upgrade will only be completed in March 2020 as

To date only 40% of the work was completed largely as a result of flooding that delayed the installation of electrical cables.

The actual expenditure for the project thus far amounts to R15.6m while the total expenditure figure is estimated at R49.4m.

On completion of the project motorists can look forward to a new slip lane that will alleviate queues & improve the mobility of traffic on Langverwacht

In - Ward 17

On the 4th February 2019 a Youth Skills Development Workshop which was a resounding success and ended with a certificate hand-over ceremony. Cllr. Oersen thank you for your participation.

CITY Adjustment Service Delivery Budget

The following listed projects were earmarked for upgrading purposes

1. Grass Cutting and Overgrown Areas - R20m
2. Area Cleaning / Dumping - R20m
3. Road Markings and Signage - R8m

I want to thank Cllr's Mare & Fitz for their timeous submissions of their ward requirements to the SC office however, wards 17 & 114 did not submit any lists for their respective Wards and have now thus missed the boat.

In closing

I want to bid farewell to you all as SC 22 chairperson and inform you that I too will be leaving the end of February.

I have enjoyed working at this sub council and I appreciate having had this wonderful opportunity to work with you all.

During these last two years you all have provided me support and through your encouragement and guidance I have been able to excel. We have built good working relationships which I hope will continue in the years to come. I now look forward to this new position at SC 8 that brings forth new challenges and adds more diverse experience to my career.

I do wish you and the sub council every success in all its future endeavors.

I Thank you

Cllr Chantal Cerfontein