

# Malkok het spieëlskok

Ten dag honderd-en-hoeveel van die inperking, toe die malkok hoor die president gaan weer

die land toespreek, oorval 'n gevoel van ramafobie haar' waar sy vir die soveelste dag 'n ete betel.

In hierdie huis is almal pandemie-poe-gaai, en sy maak nou juis 'n kiemkolsie. Die malkok dink

daan om ook wynappel op die proef te stel of 'n rookspook te leer ken, want soveel spieëlskok het sy lanklaas gehad toe die oggendson 'n comblik

te link op haar voor die spieël geval het. Sy sug. Sy moet gaan inkoopies doen; in die kwanantrein voor die winkel staan en wag. Sy wens sy was 'n covidkroek of

'n kwanantynflistyn sodat alles vinniger kon verloop. Sy ly juis aan dagdimensie. Net soms, wanneer sy op Facebook vingerdrentel, kom sy agter watter dag dit is.

Tog is dit goed om covid-lysie te kry en te besef almal is in dieselfde bootjie. – **Saamgestel uit afrikaans.com se Covid-19-woordeboek.**

# Babies put first

The annual World Breastfeeding Week was celebrated at the beginning of August with the national theme being "Support Breastfeeding for a Healthier South Africa".

Guidelines have been compiled by the National Department of Health regarding the Covid-19 virus and breastfeeding.

It has been found that the virus does not spread through breast milk. Therefore, it appears unlikely that it would be transmitted when breastfeeding or by giving breast milk that has been expressed from a mother who tested positive.

Even though a mother has tested positive, she is encouraged to breastfeed.

Mothers should adhere to all the regulations to prevent the spread of Covid-19, such as washing their hands, sanitising and ensuring that all surfaces in the house are disinfected. They must wear a cloth mask or scarf that covers the mouth and nose while feeding. After each use, cloth masks should be washed with soap and water and ironed when dry.

With newborns, there are many benefits of skin-to-skin contact and breastfeeding and these largely outweigh the possible risks of transmission and illness. Mothers who have tested positive should, however, only stay with the baby if full infection control and isolation can be guaranteed.

A mother who is critically ill with the virus and unable to breastfeed directly should be supported to maintain lactation through the expressing of milk with the help of healthcare staff.

There are always risks associated with giving infant formula milk to newborns, therefore the best alternatives to breastfeeding for a newborn or young infant are expressed breast milk and donor human milk.

Mothers who are worried about not having enough breast milk must ensure that their baby is positioned and attached effectively on the breast and seek additional practical help from a health worker.



## TENDER INVITATION

Moghaka Local Municipality hereby invites interested prospective bidders to submit offers for the following proposals:

BID NO.	DESCRIPTION	BID AMOUNT	EVALUATION CRITERIA	CIDB GRADING	CONTACT PERSON	BRIEFING SESSION	CLOSING DATE FOR TENDERS
7/2/1/2020-21	Appointment Of A Service Provider To Conduct A Feasibility Study Into The Commercial Viability Of The Kroonstad Airport	Non-Refundable Fee: R 2 760	80/20	N/A	Mr. K Madiba Tel: 056 216 9186	There Will Be No Briefing Session.	Monday, 21 September 2020 @ 12:00 pm
3/2/4/2020-21	Request For Proposal: Moghaka Energy Generation Through Power Purchase Agreement Of At Least 20 Years	Non-Refundable Fee: R 3 240	90/10	N/A	Mr. L Greeff Tel: 056 216 9287	There Will Be No Briefing Session	Monday, 21 September 2020 @ 12:00 pm
3/2/3/2020-21	Supply And Delivery of Municipal Fleet On Finance Lease	Non-Refundable Fee: R 3 240	90/10	N/A	Ms. T Skosana Tel: 056 216 9245	There Will Be No Briefing Session	Monday, 21 September 2020 @ 12:00 pm
3/2/5/2020-21	Construction Of Indoor/Outdoor Sports Facilities In Koekoe Village Kroonstad – Phase 1	Non-Refundable Fee: R 3 240	80/20	5CE & Above	Mr. O Garegae Tel: 056 216 9139	There Will Be No Briefing Session	Monday, 21 September 2020 @ 12:00 pm

Bid documents will be available on the 25 August 2020 from 09:00am to 15:00pm until the 21 September 2020 (Closing date), upon payment of a cash non-refundable fee as per document, at the cashier office, Municipal Building, Hill Street, Kroonstad.

**A Zoom meeting will be held on 08 September with all the bidders who bought the tenders where questions will be addressed.**

### Submission of Tenders:

By hand: Bid documents and supporting documents must be sealed and externally endorsed with the **Bid Name, Bid Number and Bid Description** and placed in a bid box, on the Ground Floor, Municipal Building, Hill Street, Kroonstad.

By Post: To reach the Manager Supply Chain Management, P.O. BOX 302, Kroonstad, in sufficient time for it to be placed in the Tender Box before closing time.

### Opening of Tenders

Tenders will be opened in public.

Bidders must take note of the following:

- **NB: Bid no: 3/2/3/2020-21 & 3/2/4/2020-21** – If the bidder is required by law to prepare annual financial statements for auditing, their audited annual financial statements for the past three years or since their establishment if established during the past three years;
- The Bid Document contains the MBD 1, MBD 2, MBD 3.1, MBD 3.2, MBD 3.3 (if applicable), MBD 4, MBD 5 (if applicable), MBD 6.1, MBD 7.1, MBD 8, MBD 9 and the General Conditions of Contract;
- **All MBD's must be signed and witnessed by two witnesses, where requested. Unsigned bids will be disqualified;**
- Bidders should be registered on CSD Website at [www.csd.gov.za](http://www.csd.gov.za) and the proof of CSD Registration Documents must be attached;
- **The Company's registration documents, Tax Clearance Certificate / TCC Pin and ID (preferably certified) copies not older than three (3) months (90 days) of the company's directors must also be attached;**
- The bidding company must submit their Municipal rates and taxes statement, which is not older than three (3) months (90 days) in arrears or valid lease agreement which is in the name of the business and, which must stipulate the responsibility of payment of municipal services;
- -If the responsibility of payment of municipal services is that of the lessee, please provide proof of payment of those services;
- -If the business operates from the different address as per the CIPC document, an affidavit certified by the commissioner of oaths must be attached;
- -If the statement is in the Landlord's or Director's name an affidavit certified by the commissioner of oaths must be attached;
- Bidders must submit an original or certified copy of the B-BBEE Status Level Verification Certificate to substantiate their B-BBEE rating claims and B-BBEE status should also be captured upon CSD Registration;
- **Only SANAS Accredited B-BBEE Certificate and the Sworn B-BBEE Affidavit- B-BBEE Exempted Micro Enterprise which is signed by the commissioner of oaths will be accepted. No other B-BBEE Certificates will be acceptable according to the new Preferential Procurement Regulations (PPR);**
- Bidders who do not have B-BBEE Certificates will not be disqualified but will not qualify for B-BBEE points;
- In terms of Joint Venture: bidders must attach a joint venture agreement and ID (preferably certified) copies of the Company's Directors;
- Late, unsigned or incomplete bids will be disqualified;
- Bids must only be submitted on the bid documentation provided by the Moghaka Local Municipality;
- Bids will be evaluated according to the 80/20 or 90/10 for preferential points system;
- Tenders submitted are to hold good for the period up until 90 days;
- No bids will be considered from persons in the service of the state as defined in the municipal supply chain management regulations (government gazette no 27636 dated 30 May 2005);
- Preference will be given to service providers within Moghaka Local Municipality;
- Moghaka Local Municipality reserves the right to appoint, contract with and monitor the performance of any service provider it deems will offer the best service in line with the specifications / requirements.
- The lowest bid/proposal will not necessarily be accepted and the Municipality reserves the right to accept, where applicable, a part or portion of any bid or (where possible) accepts bids/proposals from multiple bidders.
- The Municipality also reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to re advertise or not to award the tender;
- Young people, women and people with disabilities are also encouraged to bid;
- Failure to attach the above mentioned copies will result to a tender being non-responsive;
- The municipality will only communicate the outcome of the bid with the successful bidder and more information can be obtained from the municipal website.

### Enquiries

All enquiries pertaining to Supply Chain Management Matters can be directed to at 056 216 9303 / 056 216 9183