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ProgrammePerformance

VOTE: 8:PLANNING,LOCALGOVERNMENTANDHOUSING

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AimoftheVote:

The aim of the Vote is to promote int egrated development planning, effective local government, affordable and acceptable housing and transformed administration

Overviewandkeypoliciesdevelopment:

Administration

The Provincial Department of Finance initially rendered a Departmental AccountantServiceonacentralisedbasisforthisDepartment.Tokeepin linewiththespiritofthePublicFinanceManagementAct,1999(ActNo.1 of1999)(asamended)theDepartmentofFinanceembarkedonaprocess of decentralising the Departmental Ac countant Services to the respective departments.Asfrom1 April2001theDepartmentrenderedthisserviceby itself with the Department of Finance playing a role in the transitional phase.

The same process was followed with the Personnel Function that w decentralised by the Department of Provincial Administration as from 1 April 2001 with the said department playing a supportive role in the transitional period.

Housing

Duringthe 2001/02 financial year, the Department succeeded in spending its full conditional grant of R325.8 million for housing, thereby creating 19 706 housing opportunities. This expenditure of the full housing allocation was the continuation of the good performance of the 2000/2001 financial year. The Integrated Serviced Land Project, which was initiated by this Department in 1992, has delivered more than 25000 additional housing

opportunities to date. What makes this project exceptional is the fact that these housing opportunities could be provided in an integrated way by a providing schools, community and sport facilities and at the same time introducing much needed capacity building programmes to the benefit of the communities in the project area.

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Astrategic5yearhousingdeliveryplanandanassociated3yearbusin plan was drawn up and finalised during the 2001/02 financial year. The availability of this strategic delivery document will see the advent of housingdeliveryonamoreorderedbasis.

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The debtor system was improved to such an extent that the Departm today provides all its debtors with quarterly statements reflecting their financial obligations. As a result of the upgrading of the debtor system the Department has been able to embark on a more productive debt collection process. Continuous improveme ntof the debtor system will see improved revenue.

The Department established a task team to investigate the feasibility and modusoperandiof transferring assets to municipalities.

DevelopmentPlanning

One of the foremost functions of the Department is to guide, monitor and where applicable resolve upon development matters within the Province in such a way as to optimally achieves ustain able development, i.e. abalance between development and conservation priorities. The interests of the Province's population are uppermost, which is that maximal socio economic development should be achieved whilst maintaining and enhancing the unique environment for sustainable use by current and future inhabitants and tourists. To this end the Department is involved in forward planning, development management (especially appeals against approvalor refusal of applications), the gathering, analysis and distribution of information, the drafting of legislation and regulations and, over arching to all tasks, policy formula tion.

The Directorate Regional Planning has always played an important planning role due to the need to be proactive in strategic and land use planning. Plan ningpolicyneeds to be, and are being, drafted to address specific develop ment needs in a dyn amic planning environment. The proactive or forward planning activities include regional planning, the drafting of a Provincial Spatial Development Framework, supporting and assessing municipal Spatial Development Frameworks (SDF's), supporting urban and rural development planning, promoting and implementing the methodology of bioregional town planning comment and input regarding Western Cape Provincial Housing Development Board matters.

Thefollowingactionswereundertakenoverthepastmediumtermp

eriod:

Chapter1ofthePlanningandDevelopmentAct,1999(Act7of1999) reformulatedandadjustedinaccordancewithnationallegislationand directives.

- A Farmworker Settlement Policy was completed and adopted by the Provincial Government: We stern Cape.
- An Urban Settlement Policy was completed and a draft Green Paper inthis regarddrafted. Concept of bioregional planning now included in the document.
- The concept of bioregional planning was workshopped with munici palities and other cl ients of the Department, accepted by munici palities and applied in drafting of municipal spatial development frameworks.
- A Western Cape Coastal Zone policy completed and workshopped with all role -players and interested parties. Adjustments to be made according to relevant input.
- Evaluation and comments given from a spatial town planning perspective on matters referred to the Department for comment and assessing (land use changes, title deed restrictions, Western Cape HousingDevelopmentBoardappl ications).
- Integrated Development Plans: Technical and financial support was provided to municipalities. Financial spending and progress of processes were monitored. Since 1 April 2001 the responsibility for Integrated Development Plans was taken over by the Chief Directorate: Local Government. The Chief Directorate: Development Planning, however, provided the necessary professional town planning/spatialplanninginput.

The Land Development Management function of the Department revolves largely around dealing with appeals, and removal of title restrictions. Approximately 1000 applications were finalised in the year under review.

The Directorate Land Development Management ensured orderly planning and development in the Western Cape by means of adequa te legislation and the promotion of good governance through capacity building at municipal sphere.

Planninglegislationaffectsallcitizensandisthereforeafieldoflegislation where utmost caution is to be exercised. In the rapid changing South African circumstances planning concepts and perceptions change from day to day and it is for these reasons that it was particularly difficult to replace existing planning legislation. The Department has already com pletedasetofdraftzoningschemeregula tions, which may be adopted by Local Government as by -laws.

This Directorate is in the process of implementing the new Planning and DevelopmentAct, 1999 (Act7of1999) which was promulgated during April 1999. Regulations regarding the public participat ion process, Plan ning Review Board and application procedures have been finalised and provisionally approved by the Standing Committee on Finance, Deve lopment Planning and Gambling.

Certain municipalities questioned the constitutionality of the Act. As a resultthereofalegalopinionwasobtainedwhichindicatedthattheActwas in fact constitutional. It was however, necessary to make certain amendments to the Act to comply with national legislation, which was promulgated in the meantime. The Dire ctorate therefore drafted an Amendment Act, which was advertised for comments. The Amendment Act is to be finally advertised for comments by the relevant Standing Committeeinduecourse.

The Directorate Land Development Management is in the process of drafting Provincial Zoning Scheme Regulations with the assistance of a consultant, which may be adopted by municipalities as municipal -by-laws. The purpose of these Scheme Regulations is to regulate uses such as residential, business and industrial, as wel I as development parameters such as heights of buildings, building line restrictions and floor surfaces. This project has been undertaken to build capacity at municipalities.

The further functions as performed by the Directorate include the transfer of erven. Irrespective of the fact that the Upgrading of Land Tenure Rights Act, 1991 (Act 112 of 1991) and the Less Formal Township Establish ments Act, 1991 (Act 113 of 1991) have been devolved to the munici palities the Directorate is responsible for ensuring that the uncompleted cases reachfinality.

The Information Management function of the Chief Directorate continued to play a crucial role in the supplying of demographic data tables, statistical reports and spatial data sets in electronic and map formats to various clientele, including other provincial departments, local authorities, outsidestateinstitutions and departments and consultants.

As a crucial support base underpinning the above, the Department is increasingly prioritising the gatherin g of information, analysing it meaningfully, and making the results available to serve as capacity building for municipalities, other organs of state and the development and conservation sectors of society. Data tables, statistical reports, statistical data sets and in general the content and capabilities of the GIS (GeographicalInformationSystem)playacrucialroleinfacilitatingoptimal development of the Province. The management and maintenance of the GIS is receiving special attention under the su b-directorate Information Management. During this period this sub -directorate continued to gather, maintainanddisseminatealpha -numericandspatialdataandinformation. The number of national and provincial departments, municipalities and institutions using development planning data and information increased substantially. The GIS (Geographical Information System) data capacity has increased to 114 spatial data sets covering various geographical features over the entire province. The development planni consistsof83records,coveringemploymentandunemployment,HIV/Aids, migration, population, housing services and other economic and environmental indicators. The spatial data catalogue was also placed on the National Spatial Information Sys tem website of the Department of LandAffairs.

In the light of the previous controversy regarding the Western Cape Census results and the lower than expected figures in 1996, the Cabinet has decided to provide dedicated attention and support to the 20 01 Population Census in the province. The Chief Directorate took the responsibilityandprovidedpracticalinputandotherlogisticalsupporttothe Western Cape Provincial Office of Statistics SA in conducting the 2001 Population Census. The Census coun t took place during October 2001. As part of this process the Chief Directorate on a two weekly basis informed the Cabinet about the census progress. The Chief Directorate wishestoextentit'sappreciationtotheProvincialofficeofStatisticsSAfor theirfriendlyandsupportiveassistancewiththesupplyingofinformationto the Cabinet. The Statistician -General has on numerous occasions commendedthisprovinceparticularlyonitsactivesupportofCensus2001 toachieveanaccuratecountintheWest ernCape.TheChiefDirectorate also represent the Province on the SA Statistics Council and its Census Sub-committee, who have to advise the responsible National Minister on theCensusresultsbeforereleasingittothemedia.

The movement of people i nto, out of and within the Western Cape is complex. Peoplemove for any number of reasons among stothers, seeking employment, escaping poverty, better education, better health facilities, housing, infrastructure, safety and a better environment for their children. The Chief Directorate Development in 2001 commissioned an inter university representative research team to undertake a comprehensive migration study of all population groups in the Western Cape. The study was completed during March 2002 and the final report is expected in May 2002. The Migration Project looked at important social and economic trends in our society, which affects all our inhabitants in the Western Cape and comprise the following research sub-projects:

- (a) The movement of people from the farms to rural towns and to urban areas,
- (b) Thenatureandscopeofprovincial out -migration,
- (c) The use of educational, health and housing facilities by people who migrate from other provinces,
- (d) The relationship (if any) between the spr ead of HIV/Aids and the movementofpeople,
- (e) The attitudes and perceptions of the local population to African migrantsfromtheSADCcountries,
- (f) The development of a model to monitor the growth of the formal and informal areas of our new municipal it ies on a yearly basis.

This research project supports and addresses many developmental planning and other issues and focus on the new Strategic Policy Framework of December 2001 and Cabinet Focuses of poverty, HIV/Aids, crime, tourism and business p romotion. It is intended to disseminate the report to all provincial departments, local authorities and relevant institutions.

LocalGovernment

The final stage of transformation in local government has now been reached. Communication with municipaliti es was enhanced through the presence and participation of provincial officials from the Department at local government forums, especially transformation forums. The Depart menthas a constitutional obligation to fulfill and this can be st be done with co-operation of all the role -players. In order to do the monitoring and support function, as efficiently as possible the necessary mechanisms need to be put in place to stimulate co -operative governance. The Provincial Minister of Local Government established two forums (District Advisory Forums and Provincial Advisory Forum) to help with the task at handandtostreamline the transformation process.

These forums are there to facilitate communication between municipalities and the Province. They are also id eal for the sharing of best practices amongst the municipalities and for enhancing the Department's capacity building and support role.

Regularmeetings are held at provincial level with stakeholders in the field of disaster management and fire fighting to ensure a pro-active approach towards disasters in the Province. In this respect fire fighting in the Province was again assisted by means of financial support to the City of Cape Town to keep an additional fire fighting helicopter on standby during thes ummer.

Five comprehensive Management Support Programmes were instituted during the 2001/02 financial year at the five district municipalities to build their capacity with regard to their new role towards the local municipalities in their region as envisa ged in the new local government dispensation and three were instituted at identified new lyest ablished local municipalities who amalgamated with old municipalities who experienced serious administrative and financial problems.

Technicalandfinancialsup portwasgiventomunicipalitieswiththedrafting of their Integrated Development Plans (IDP's) and Frameworks. Technical assistance was also rendered to municipalities in respect of the Consolidated Municipal Infrastructure Program (CMIP).

Fifteenproj ectsworthacombinedtotalofR10,4millionwereapprovedand co-ordinated by the Department in terms of the Local Economic DevelopmentFundforthe2000/01and2001/02financialyears.

The Department also accepted a leading and facilitating role in respect of rural development in the nodal point of Beaufort -West.

In an effort to give legislative substance to the constitutional obligation of Province and in particular the Chief Directorate Local Government a process was put in place to lay the founda tion for a Provincial Act to monitorand support municipalities.

3.1 Summaryofprogrammes

PROGRAMME1:ADMINISTRATION

Aim:

To conduct the overall management of the Department and to ensure an effective and efficient transformed administration

Thispr ogrammeconsistsofthefollowingsubprogrammes:

Corporateservices

- humanresourcedevelopment
- personnelmanagementandadministration
- labourrelations
- generaladministrationandlogisticalsupport
- recordmanagement
- procurementadminis tration
- financialadministrationandmanagement
- paymentsowingtoredundancyofexDevelopmentBoardMembers (Pensions)

OfficeoftheProvincialMinisterofHousing

renderingofadvisory,secretarial,administrativeandofficesupport services

OfficeoftheProvincialMinisterofLocalGovernment

renderingofadvisory,secretarial,administrativeandofficesupport services

Policydevelopments:

Policydevelopmentprocesses focussed on the following functional areas during the year:

- > Application of disciplinary processes within the Department
- > Recordmanagementsystem
- Accesstoinformation
- > Employmenteguityandaffirmativeaction
- > Skillsdevelopment
- Implementationofthenewleavesystem
- ImplementationoftheSeniorManagementService(SMS)
- Suitableplacementofsupernumeraries
- Applicationofthesubsidisedmotorvehiclescheme
- Provisioningofofficialcellphones
- ImplementationofthePublicFinanceManagementAct,1999(Act1of1999)
- > Electronic procurement system

Outputsandservicedeliv erytrends:

Output	Servicedelivery indicator	Actualperformance
Reports FinancialPersonnel Otherstatistics	Predeterminedtimeframes andprescribedformats	All reports/statistics were submitted timeously in the prescribed formats
Financialstateme nts	Report of the Auditor - General	An unqualified report was issued by the Auditor - General. The Department stayed within the budget allocation

PROGRAMME2:HOUSING

Aim:

To manage and promote the provision of affordable and acceptable housing and related infrastructure in the Province of the Western Cape.

KEYOBJECTIVES, PROGRAMMES AND ACHIEVEMENTS

The following are keyobjectives of the Programme for the reporting period.

HousingManagement

- □ Facilitate and manage 20000 housing opportunities in terms of National and Provincial legislation (Act 107 of 1997, Act 6 of 1999)
- MaintainandpromoteaProvincialHousingProgrammeinrespectoftherapid landrelease.
- Maintainaninformationdisseminationcampaigninrespectofhousingrelated matters.
- Maintain a regulatory framework in respect of the Western Cape Housing DevelopmentFund.

HousingSettlement

- □ Theupdating(andrestructuring,wherenecessary)ofdebtorsrecordsand thepresentationoffinancialstatements.
- Maintenanceofanassetsregisterfo rWesternCapeHousingDevelop ment Board(WCHDB)properties.

- HandlingoflandinvasionsonWCHBproperties.
- Administrative and technical support to the proper functioning of the WesternCapeRentalHousingTribunal.
- TransferofWCHDBassetsonanon -goingdemanddrivenbasistomuni cipalities.

ProfessionalandTechnicalServices

- Technical support and advice to municipalities in the upgrading of bulk infra structure, internal services and housing delivery.
- ThemaintenanceofWCHDBassets.
- □ The promotion, facilitation and monitoring of the Municipal Services Partner shipswithmunicipalities in the Western Cape.

StrategicOverview

In relation to the above, the Department achieved or completed the following within the reporting period: -

- □ A5yearSt rategicHousingDeliveryPlananda3yearBusinessPlan.
- □ A draft AIDS/HIV policy as it relates to housing was devised and is in the processed of being circulated for comment.
- Atotalof19706subsidieswereprocessed.
- □ Theconditionalgrantforhousi ngwasfullyspent.
- □ Tenworkshopswereheldincorporatingallthemunicipalitiesthroughoutthe provinceattendedby515municipalofficialsandcouncillors.
- □ A help -desk was established to provide assistance to beneficiary community and the general public.
- In terms of fulfilling the Department's responsibility towards capacity building of municipal and provincial officials, formal training courses were held in respectofhousing policy and management, finance and accounting.
- Municipalitieswereallocat edanamountofR77,01millionofCMIPfundingfor theprovisionofmuchneededhousingrelatedinfrastructuretoaccom modate the poor communities of the province. For the first time payments were no longermadedepartmentallybutweretransferreddire ctlytomunici palities and the role of the Department changed somewhat. Nevertheless, the full allocationoffundstotheWesternCapewasspenton180activeinfrastructure projectsintheProvince.

- □ During the Winter of 2001, extensive flooding of certa in areas on the Cape Flats left many families homeless and the area was declared a disaster area by the President. A task team was established consisting of officials of the City of Cape Town and the Department with representatives from various national d epartments as well as a number of provincial sister departments. The City was responsible for the implementation of the works that are required. The current status is that certain short -termfloodpreventionworks havebeencompletedtopreventfurtherf loodingintheeventofarecurrenceof the previous rainy season's weather pattern. Approval was also granted and fundsallocatedforoneproject, which will accommodate some 4000 families at Mfuleni. Planning is also well underway for two other projects , namely WallacedeneandFedsureinPhilippi -East.
- □ The Department hosted a Housing Conference from 25 to 27 March 2002. The theme was Housing in a Newly Structured Local Authority Environment and drew considerable support from various sectors within the housing fraternity. The conference was attended by 195 delegates made up as follows:

Provincialofficials 27 LocalGovernmentofficials 67 Privateindividuals 98 NationalGovernmentofficials 3

AmongsttheattendeesweredelegatesfromNamibia,Can adaandtheUnited Kingdom.Thefollowingweretopicofdiscussionattheconference:

HousingFinanceandPolicy
HousinginaUnicityEnvironment
UrbanRenewalExperiences
FormalizationoftheHousingIndustry
TheBuiltEnvironment
HousingDynamics.

- Pro-active disposal and marketing of Western Cape Housing Development Boardpropertiestofast -trackhousingdeliveryinordertoaddressthehousing needintheWesternCapeProvince.Someoftheassets(residentialervenand houses) of the Western Cape Hous ing Development Board was also transferredtothemunicipalitiestoempowerbeneficiariesbypromotinghome ownership.
- Constructive auditing of debtor accounts were conducted in consultation with individual debtors. Structured efforts are now being applie d to trace debtors and to make them aware of their obligations towards the Department (more effect to the recovery of debt).
- During the reporting period, the Western Cape Rental Housing Tribunal was established and members appointed, with some supports a ff. Unfair Practices Regulations, as well as Procedural and Staff Duty Regulations were published

- during the reporting period. Currently, this Tribunalistheonly one in the RSA that have held actual hearings, with findings.
- Through proactive monitoring of land invasions and co -ordination and co -operation with municipalities the Department saw a stabilization of land invasions and the growth of informal settlements under its control. In a number of cases our ultimate aim with settlement management, I e to incorporateinformalsettlersinthehousingprocesses, hadbeenmet.

KeyPolicyDevelopments

- A provincial housing policy dealing with the upgrading of Historical Rural Settlementswasintroduced.
- □ The Department drafted guidelines for the sale of res idential ervenowned by the Western Cape Housing Development Board.
- The Credit Control policy was formally approved within the Department and structured efforts are now being applied to address the recovery of arrears from defaulters. In certain cases out standing debt could be redeemed by particular debtors, which in turn promoted the transfer of properties in their name.
- □ The Department started with the development of a practical, user -friendly handbookforthe upgrading of informal settlements, which wil lassist munici palities to upgrade existing informal settlements to acceptable standards. The steering committee appointed to facilitate this process, started work in February 2002.

OutputsAndServiceDeliveryTrends

Output	Service-deliveryindicator	Actualperformance
Formulationofprovincial housingpolicy.	Theprovisionofprovincial policytoaddressspecific needswithintheprovince	AdraftAIDS/HIVhousingpolicy wasdevisedandisinthe processofbeingcirculatedfor comment. A5yearStra tegicHousingDeli - veryPlananda3yearBusiness Planwascompleted.

Output	Service-deliveryindicator	Actualperformance
ProvisionofHousingoppor - tunities.	Expenditureofthefullcondi - tionalgrantforhousing	Atotalof22307subsidieswere processed.
	Benchmark:Processingof 20 000subsidies.	Theconditionalgrantforhousing wasfullyspent.
		AtotalofsixteenPeople's
		HousingProcessprojects
		consistingof4467housestothe totalvalueofR43042675were
		screenedandapproved .
Informationdissemination	Improvedservicedeliveryby	Tenworkshopswereheldatthe
andimprovedcommuni - cationinrespectofhousing	officialsofmunicipalities, councillorsandthe	followingtowns: -
policyandlegislation	Department.	Citrusdal[X2]
		AshtonRiversdal
		> Oudtshoorn
		> CapeTown[x2]
		> Velddrif
		> Hermanus
		> Swellendam
		PlettenbergBayWorcester
		> Beaufort-West
		Knysna
		Theworkshopsincorporatedall themunicipalitiesthroughoutthe province. Atotalof515municipal officials and councillors attended theworkshops where housing policy was disseminated and instruction given on the various legislation and policy amendments.
		Ahelp -deskwasestablishedto provideassistancetobeneficiary communityandthegeneral public.

Output	Service-deliveryindi cator	Actualperformance
Capacitybuildingatlocal governmentandprovincial spheresinrespectof housingrelatedmatters.	Tobuildthecapacityof municipalandprovincial officialsandcouncillorsby attendanceofcourseson andundergoingtrainingin housing-relatedmatters,the prescriptsofthevarious piecesofhousinglegislation, andhousingmanagement.	Formaltrainingcourseswere heldformunicipalandprovincial officialsinrespectofthe following: > Housingpolicyandmana - gement -106a ttendees > Housingdevelopmentand management -47attendees > Housingstandingcommittee -33attendees > Housingfinanceandaccoun - tingpractice -32attendees
AdministertheHuman SettlementRedevelopment Programme.	The eradication of disfunc - tionalities in affordable housingdelivery.	Twelve (12) business plans were approved. A total of R1,860 292 was spent. R11,622000 was rolled over as a result of business plans being approved by the Natio - nal department as late as October 2001.
Evaluationo fWesternCape HousingDevelopmentBoard projectsintermsofengi - neeringservicesaswellas top-structures.	Feasible and sustainable projects approved by the Western Cape Housing DevelopmentBoard.	Fifty-nine (59) project appli - cations evaluated in term s of engineering services as well as architectural issues. Consolida - tion subsidy applications were also assessed in terms of top - structuredesigns.
Monitoringofprogressof housingprojects.	Quality of product is accep - tableandsustainable.	Project in spections were under - taken on ninety -one (91) pro - jects.
ManagetheIntegrated ServicedLandProjects. (iSLP).	Provision of affordable housing products in inte - gratedprojects.	RDPFundsR74,412,000spent. Housing Funds: R8,570,000 spent. TotalFundsspe nt:R82,982,000
Disposalandmarketingof immovableWesternCape HousingDevelopmentBoard assets	Improvement in the number of immovable properties beingsold	 The disposal and marketing process has been stream - lined. Guidelines are now in place to expedite and monitor the transferstobeneficiaries.

Output	Service-deliveryindicator	Actualperformance
Implementation the direc - tives of Section 15(2)(a) of HousingAct,(107/1997)	Transferring of undeveloped land earmarked for residen - tial purposes to munici - palities.	 Net proceeds of the sale of non-residential erven deposited into a Special Operating Account of municipalities. Municipalities are to report this regularly to Department. Advised municipalities on recovery of expenditure on municipalinfrastructure. Identification of all properties that could be subject to restitution claims. Enteredintonegotiations with 7 municipalities to transfer properties to them.
Collection of current and arreardebts.	Improvement in receipt of paymentsfromdebtors.	 Debt Collection Policy was formallyapproved. Structured efforts are now beingappliedtotracedebtors and to recover outstanding funds. 100 ex tenants been traced, present debtors on - goingprocess.
Provision of statements to debtors	General scrutinizing and updatingoffinancialrecords	 Departmentwasprovidedthe opportunity to audit debtor accounts in consultation with individual debtors, daily on goingbasis. Resulted in certain outstan ding debt being redeemed and which resulted in subsequent transfer of 95 respective properties sold on in stallment basis.
Monitor and manage unlaw - ful occupation of land belonging to the Western Cape Housing Development Board.	Number of incidents of unlawfuloccu pation.	Agreement with Unicity through which the unlawful occupation of land is monitored in the metro - pole. Further agreements entered into with Worcester and Theewaterskloof.
Implementation of the Constitutional Court's directives on access to housin g with special reference to sections 26 and 28 of the Constitution.	 Upgradingandprovision ofbasicservicesininfor - malsettlements. Development of an infor - malsettlement upgrading policy. 	Temporary facilities (household water and sanitation facilities) in the amount of ±R1 million have beenprovided.

Output	Service-deliveryindicator	Actualperformance	
Implementation of the pre-scriptions of the Rental HousingAct,50of1999.	 EstablishmentofaRental HousingTribunal. Establishment of a support staff complement to theTribunal. The proclamation of a Code of Good Practice and Procedure Regulations. 	 Members have been appointed and the Western Cape Rental Housing Tribunal is functioning. Some support staff have been appointed, but an additional implementation investigation has been requested, due to Staff Duty Regulations being published. Unfair Practices Regulations, as well as Procedural and Staff Duty Regulations were published during the reporting period. 	
ManagementoftheWCHDF	Efficientandeffective financialmanagement.	Anacceptablereportwas receivedfromtheOfficeofthe AuditorGeneral.	
Managementofthefinancial andaccountingaspectsof theWCHDF	Managementofthedebtor systemandthefinancial managementsystem	Anacceptablereportwas receivedfromtheOfficeofthe AuditorGeneral.	
Renderingofasecretarial servicefortheWCHDB	Theeffectiveadministration of correspondence, agendas and minutes of the WCHDB meetings as well as submissions to the Board concerning housing development and ancillary matters	Atotalof377submissionswere tabledbeforetheBoard,ofwhich 248wereapproved.	

TransferPayments

	AMOUNT
NAME OF INSTITUTION	TRANSFERRED
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Prince Albert Municipality (Human Settlement Redevelopment Programme – HSRP)	457 140
City of Cape Town: Tygerberg Administration (HSRP)	291 100
City of Cape Town: Cape Town Administration (HSRP)	840 096
City of Cape Town: South Peninsula Administration (HSRP)	112 770
City of Cape Town: Oostenberg Administration (HSRP)	159 705
Western Cape Housing Development Fund	325 861 000
Institute for Housing: Western Cape (Housing Conference)	600 000
City of Cape Town: Helderberg Administration (Settlement Assistance)	825 800
City of Cape Town: Cape Town Administration (Settlement Assistance)	4 293 000
City of Cape Town: South Peninsula Administration (Settlement Assistance)	203 543
Overstrand Municipality (Settlement Assistance)	74 652
Witzenberg Municipality (Settlement Assistance)	143 640

SummaryofConditionalGrantsfor2001/2

ConditionalGrant	TotalAllocation	Totaltransfers
HousingAllocation	R325,861000	R325,861000
CapacityBuilding	R1,100000	R1,100000
HumanSettlementRedevelopment Grant	R12,500000	R11130000

H**O**SINGFUND:R325,861000

The aforementioned amount was fully utilized for the creation of housing oppor tunities and maintenance of the assets of the Western Cape Housing Development Board. With the exception of amounts in respect of maintenance and rates , the funds were all paid overto developers on the basis of certified performance on the ground and in line with the predetermined milestones as stipulated in the respective contracts. The amounts disbursed for various housing programmes are as follows:

SUBSIDYPROGRAMME	FUNDS ALLOCATED ANDSPENT(R)
Over-expenditure2000/2001	21772610
ProjectLinkedSubsidies	157581500
ProjectlinkedConsolidationSubsidies	11353806
InstitutionalHousingProjects	69574224
IndividualSubsidies:Non -credit linked	487892
IndividualSubsidies:Creditlinked	3322620
People'sHousingProcess	20687556
HostelUpgradingProgramme	5618773
RelocationAssistance	1807007
Disasterrelieffunds	2841731
DiscountBenefitScheme	1010890
MaintenanceofA ssets(includingrates)	23987174
Total	328616299

CAPACITYBUILDINGGRANT:R1,100000.

During the reporting period ten Capacity Building Courses were held with 218 provincial and municipal officials and councillors participating. Courses were also arranged for areas outside of the metropolitan areas to accommodate municipal officials who were constrained from attending courses due to the municipality's inabilitytopaycostsinrespectofsubsistenceandtravel.

HUMANSETTLEMENTREDEVELOPMENTGRA NT:R12,500,000

Atotaloftwelve(12)businessplanswereapprovedandR1,860,292wasspent. The balance was rolled over as a result of business plans only being approved by the national Department of Housing on 3 October 2001.

PROGRAMME 3: DEVELOPMENTPLANNING

Aim:

Tocreateanintegratedsustainableenvironment.

KEYOBJECTIVES, PROGRAMMES AND ACHIEVEMENTS

The Chief Directorate Development Planning identified the following as its key objectives:

Administration

Rendering of management and advisor y services to the Chief Directorate and Ministry

RegionalPlanning

- ◆ Initiate and promote bio -regional planning methodology, principles and concepts (manuals, workshops, training, etc.)
- Initiateandfinancetheimplementationofspatialdevelopmentframewo rksbased on the methodology of bio -regional planning and linked to municipal Integrated DevelopmentPlans(IDP's)
- Involvementinevaluationofruralandurbandevelopmentactions
- Involvementinevaluationofregionalplanningprojects
- Provide town plannin g support and input, including the evaluation of housing subsidyapplicationsoftheWesternCapeProvincialHousingDevelopmentBoard
- Participate in regulating, monitoring and supporting Spatial Development Frame work processes undertaken by municipalitie s (Chapter 1 of the Western Cape Planning and Development Act, 1999 (Act 7 of 1999) and Municipal Systems Act, 2002 (Act 32 of 2002)
- Financialsupporttomunicipalitiesregardingspatialplanningprojects
- Providingprofessional(townplanning)inputonapp licationsforlanddevelopment includinglandusechangesandappeals
- ◆ Supportactionstopromotegreaterenvironmentalsensitivityandtheconser vation ofthenaturalandmanmadeenvironment.

InformationManagement

- ♦ Co-ordinationofaProvincialInformat ionService
- MaintenanceofaDepartmentalGeographicInformationService

LandDevelopmentManagement

- Implementing and managing appropriate legislation in respect of planning and development
- ◆ The implementation and management of an appeal mechanism and the processing of appeals
- ◆ Theimplementationandexecutionofpolicieswithregardtolandreform
- Capacity building at local government sphere in respect of planning and development

Outputs and service delivery trends: Regional Planning:

Sub-programme	Outputs	Output performance measures/service deliveryindicators	Actualperformanceagainst target	
				ty
			Target	Actual
Initiate and promote bio-regionalplanning.	In-house training of planningstaff.	Town planners (in - house) and munici - palities and consul - tants capacitated and equipped regarding implementing metho - dology of bio -regional planning and identifying possible future biosphere re - serves.	28officialsat Directorate RegionalPlanning	28trained
	Promotemethodologyat allmunicipalities. All SpatialDevelopment Frameworkstobebased onthismethodology		29municipalities	29 adopted methodology
	Promotetheestablish - mentofnewbiosphere reserves.		2 possible areas to beidentified	2identified
Initiateandfinancethe implementationof spatialplanning projects(Appointment ofconsultantswhere lackofskillsor	Expertadviceand reportsonpolicyand relatedmattersinorder togivedirectionand supporttomunicipalities andothercli ents.	Professionaland well-researchedand workshoppeddocu - ments/policies.	3projectstobe completed(total valueinfinancial year:approxi - matelyR200000)	3projects completed (totalvalue R200000)
capacityexists)	andotheren ents.		substantial progress with others (3 pro - jects)	good progress made with 3 other projects
Involvement in evalua - tion of regional, rural and urban development actions and planning projects.	Gooddecision -takingby competentauthorities.	Town planning input regarding viability and sustainability of development proposals.	Ad hoc involve - ment as and when necessary.	Approximately 20 cases intotal attended to in all regions of Province.
Participate regarding regulating function/res - ponsibility.	Updated legislation and new legislation in sup - port of dyna mic chan - ging planning and deve - lopmentenviron ment.	Start with drafting of a Biosphere Reserve Act	Completed Bill for advertising	Second draft completed. Needsfurther amendments before adver - tising.

Sub-programme	Outputs	Output performance measures/service deliveryindicators	Actualperformanceagainst target	
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		Amend chapter 1 of new Western Cape Planning and Deve - lopment Act, 1999 (Act7of1999).	Amendment Bill advertised	Advertised (Oct. 2001) and amend - ments made accordingly
Financial support to municipalities regar - ding spatial planning projects.	Financial support to individual municipalities by way of transfer payments.	Business plans, com - pleted, agreements entered into and pay - ments made accor - ding to agreements forspati alplanning	AllocateR5,1m	R5,1m allocated
			Enter into agree - ments with all 30 municipalities (projects)	Agreements enteredinto with30mu - nicipalities (proj ects; balancein advanced stage)
			Pay R3 m to muni - cipalities (balance roll-over to next financialyear)	R3,234 m paid by end March (Balanceroll - over 2002/ 2003 financial year)
Professionaltownplan - ning input on land development applica - tions, including land use changes and appeals, Western Cape Housing Development Board subsidy applica - tions and relevant and appropriate environ - mental authorization applications if re - questedforcomment.	Gooddecision -takingby competentauthorities.	Well considered and sustainable decisions, balancing the triple bottom line and not emphasizing one aspect to the detriment of the other.	Approximately 400 formal cases and 100 informal invol-vements.	500 formal cases dealt with (50 Housing Board) and approximatey 100 informal in- involve - ments.

Sub-programme	Outputs	Output performance measures/service deliveryindicators	Actualperformat target	U
			Quanti	ty
Promote greater envi - ronmental sensitivity and conservation of the natural and manmade environment.	Sustainable develop - ment, taking due cogni - sance of the triple bottom line (human well-being, economic development, environ - mentalintegrity).	regional planning accepted and imple - mented by munici - palities in their Spa -	All 30 munici - palities applying themethodology	29 munici - palities adop - ted methodo - logy and applyingit.

Outputs and service delivery trends: Information Management:

Sub-programme	Outputs	Output performance measures/ servicedelivery indicators	Actualperforma	nceagainsttarget
				antity
T.C	T . 11' 1	N 1 C1.	Target	Actual
Information	Establishment	Number of data	Recordedas	83
Management	and maintenance	records in Deve -	obtained	
	of a Develop -	lopment Plan -		
	ment Planning Database	ningDatabase		
	Database	Numberofother	Requested and	68
		statisticaldata	received	
		sets/reports		
		obtained		
		Numberof Statistical tables compiled	Asperrequest	299
	Establishment and maintenance of a Geograp - hical Informa - tion Service	Number of spatial data sets incorporated	10	30
	(GIS)	Number of elec - tronic data sup - plied	Asperrequest	32
		Number of maps supplied	Asperrequest	520

Sub-programme	Outputs	Output performance measures/servi cedelivery indicators	Actualperfor	manceagainsttarget
				Quantity
			Target	Actual
	Migration study in the Western Cape	Six Research Reports by end ofMarch2002	6	7
	Maintenance of the Information Management Webpage	Placing of spa - tial data catalo - gue and proce - dure to market our data/Infor - mationproducts.	2	4

Outputsandservicedeliverytrends:LandDevelopme ntManagement

Sub-programme	Outputs	Output performance measures/servi cedelivery indicators	Actualperi	formanceagainsttarget
				Quantity
	1	T	Target	Actual
Reviewandmanage WesternCapeProvince PlanningLegislation	Amendmentsto Planningand Development Act1999(Act7 of1999)to ensurealign - mentwith nationallegis - lation	Finalisationof theActbefore 31March2002.	31March2002	A Western Cape Planning and Development Amend - ment Act was compiled and advertised for com ments duringOctober2001.
Maintenanceofthe PlanningRe -view Board.	Appointment of members to the panel of plan - ningreview boardmembers	Appointment of 20 members of the Panel of Planning Review Board members.	31March2002	TheBoardwasnotinsti tuted, asAct7of1999 hasnotbeen implemented.

Sub-programme	Outputs	Outputperfor - mance measures/ servicedelivery indicators	Actualperfo	ormanceagainsttarget
				Quantity
	1	1	Target	Actual
Processingof applicationstothe PlanningReviewBoard andAdvisoryBoard	Matters Submittedto Planning ReviewBoard andAdvisory Board	Submissionof casestothe PlanningRe - viewBoardand theAdvisory Boardwithin prescribed period.	ThePlanning ReviewBoard wasnotinsti - tutedatotalof 285caseswere submittedtothe PlanningAdvi - soryBoard.	285cases
Capacity Buildingatlocal governmentspherein respectofplanningand development	Training sessions conducted. Assistance with legislation.	Draftingofdraft provincial schemebylaws tobeadoptedby municipalitiesas schemebylaws.	Onesetofcom - pleteprovincial schemebylaws.	Draftprovincialscheme bylawswasfinalised duringMarch2002.

Transferpayments

NAME OF INSTITUTION	AMOUNT TRANSFERRED R'000
Swellendam	110
OverbergDistrict	295
Bergrivier	250
George	100
Kannaland	98
WestCoast	290
MosselBay	106
WesternCapeNatureConservation	150
CMCAdministration -CityofCapeTown	150
HelderbergAdminsitration -CityofCapeTown	35
Plettenberg	23
CapeAgulhas	41
BolandDistrict	146
Theewaterskloof	149
Swartland	57
Total	2005

Thesetransferpaymentsweremadeforspatialplanningprojects.

PROGRAMME4:LOCALGOVERNMENTSERVICES

Aim:

Topromote, co -ordinate and monitor the establishment, development and regulation of effective, efficient, trans parent and sustainable local government.

SUBPROGRAMME1:ADMINISTRATION

Keyobjective

- To render management, administrative and advice services to the Chief DirectorateandMinistry.
- To create infrastructure in terms of the Consolidated Municipal Infrast ructure Programme (CMIP).

Achievements

- The administration successfully conducted its support service to the ministry and directorates.
- On 22 February 2002 a presentation was given to the relevant Standing Committee regarding the responsibilities and objectives of the Chief Directorate.
- TheactivitiesoftheChiefDirectoratewerepromotedthroughthedevelopment andputting -upofadisplayduringthefiveout -reachmeetingsoftheCabinetto thecitizensoftheProvince.
- Onehundredandseventytwoprojec tsworthacombinedtotalofR72,6million were approved and co -ordinated in terms of the Consolidated Municipal InfrastructureProgramme(CMIP).
- 1123 Municipal officials received training worth a combined total of R2,5 million with the capacity building p rogramme which forms part of CMIP. Training was conducted in driver training (Code 10,11,14,tractor, truck mounted crane, digger loader); Road courses (Active supervision, contracts, installation of guard rails, road repairs, road safety for workers); Wat er and wastewatertraining(Basics,intermediate,Engineers); Electrical (Basics,high voltage).

SUBPROGRAMME 2: LOCAL GOVERNMENT LEGISLATION AND ADMINI STRATION

Keyobjectives

- Therationalisation of provincial legislation effecting local government.
- The establishing of a legal framework for the monitoring and support of local government.

- Continuedassistanceandguidancetolocalgovernmentwithdueregardtothe Constitution of the Republic of South Africa, 1996 (Act 108 of 1996), the ProvincialCons titution,1997(Act1of1998),theLocalGovernment:Municipal Structures Act, 1998 (Act 117 of 1998), the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act, 2000 (Act 32 of 2000) and other relevant local government legislation.
- Thebringingonboardofallthemun icipalitiestothevariousinter governmental forums.

Achievements

- The rationalisation of provincial legislation affecting local government has beeninitiated. Considerable progress has been made in liais on with organized local government within the province with the rationalisation of the Municipal Ordinance, 1974 (Ordinance 20 of 1974) and crucial by -laws. The rationalisation of all other provincial legislation affecting local government was furthermore researched in liais on with the national Department of Provincial and Local Government. This process has some way to go before it will be concluded.
- InanefforttogiveeffecttotheProvince'smonitoringandsupportobligations,
 a project plan was approved by the executing authority which laid the
 foundation for provincial legislation aimed at providing greater constitutional
 certaintytoboththeprovincialandlocalspheresofgovernmentintheWestern
 Cape. Theprojectplan requires the establishment of a clear dispen sation in
 terms of the roles, po wers, duties, functions and responsibilities of local
 governmentaswellasawell -defined intergovernmental dispensation.
- In assisting with the maintaining of effective governance by municipalities, guidancewasrenderedonacontinuedbasisonawidera ngeofsubjectssuch as, the implementation of legislation and procedures during council meetings.
 Special mention must be made of the Code of Conduct for Councillors and assistance in respectof councillor remuneration.
- Thevariousforumsprovidedforby statuteaswellasthemoreinformalforums metasrequiredbylaworbywayofinvitationstoProvincetoattendmeetings ofassociationsofseniormunicipalmanagers.
- Litigation was dealt with on four occasions. The Minister was successful in twoca sesandwasruledagainstintwoothers.
- Onecomprehensivesection106oftheLocalGovernment:SystemsAct,2000 (Act32of2000)investigationtookplace –TheHeathinvestigation.
- The Kleynhans investigation in terms of the code of Conduct for Councill ors resulted in a courtruling clarifying the application of the Code of Conduct.
- Representation in collaboration with Organised Local Government in the Province on the improvement of salaries and allowances of councillors resulteddirectlyinthebetterme ntofMetroCitycouncillorremuneration.
- Support was given to the Minister to enable tone -setting contributions at the LocalGovernmentMINMEC.

SUBPROGRAMME3:LOCALGOVERNMENTDEVELOPMENT

Keyobjectives

- Tosupportmunicipalitieswiththeimplementation oftransformation
- To maintain multi -disciplinary, integrated disaster management and fire fightingstructuresatprovincial and local governments pheres.
- Tosupportmunicipalitieswithpropertyvaluations.
- To support and monitor municipalities with the dr afting of Integrated Develop ment Plans.
- To assess and approve Local Economic Development (LED) project appli cations and tomonitor approved projects.
- To successfully co -ordinate the Integrated Sustainable Rural Development Programme(ISRDP).
- Tosuccessfu llyco -ordinatetheUrbanRenewalProgramme(URP).
- To implement a performance management system in the local government sphere.

Achievements

- Continued guidance through technical and financial support was given to municipalitieswiththedraftingoftheir integrated development plans.
- During the continuing process of local government transformation, municipal officials and councilors were assisted in handling the new challenges through the distribution of guiding documents and new sletters e.g., the transfer of municipal staff, valuations, municipal resorts, powers and functions alternative service delivery mechanisms and standing rules of order. A provincial notice was published to establish the Provincial Advisory Forum, the Technical Provincial Advisory Forum and a District Advisory Forum for each of the district municipal areas, to advise the Provincial minister of Local Government in the process of transforming and restructuring local government in the province.
- Twoquestionnairestoascertaintheprogre sswithtransformationweredistributed and the results of which were received and captured to aid further support initiatives.
- Organised Local Government in the Province (WEGLOGA) was supported financially to determine guidelines for the remuneration of m andtheirheadsofdepartments.
- Regular meetings were held at provincial level with role players in the field of
 disaster management and fire fighting to ensure a pro
 -active approach towards
 disaster in the province. Preparatory steps we re also taken to develop and
 implement a computer based disaster management programme for the province
 and to undertake a risk and vulnerability assessment of the entire province. An
 international agreement was entered into between four municipalities and
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- provincial government, with a municipality in Germany, to aid fire fighting in a reas of informal settlement.
- The implementation of pilot performance management programmes at three municipalitiestoimprovetheirefficiencyandeffectivenessarebein gsupportedby the Province and this instrument will play an important role in giving effect to acceptablemunicipalservicedeliverystandardsandethos.
- The Integrated Sustainable Rural Development Programme and the Urban RenewalProgrammeweresuccessfu Ilyco -ordinatedintheProvince,onbehalfof thenationalDepartmentofProvincialandLocalGovernment.
- A training programme on developmental local government was developed and presented in cooperation with the School of Public and Development ManagementoftheUniversityofStellenbosch.Thirty -fiveMunicipalofficialswere trained.
- Thirteen LED -projects to the value of R5,4 million were identified and funded by the LED fund.
- All relevant role -players were taken on board and an integrated management committeewasestablishedtoaddresstheKarataraissue.
- Five Provincial Advisory Forums and four Technical Provincial Advisory Forums meetings were administered and coordinated and tone -setting inputs were made attwenty -one District Advisory Forum meetings .
- After the disastrous fires in January 2000, national and provincial investigations were conducted and atotal of 117 recommendations were compiled. To manage these recommendations a project management programme i.e. "The major fires 2000" was executed by five project teams. All the major aspects such as safe urban development, disaster and emergency preparedness planning, aerial fire fighting and nature conservation aspects were attended to and completed. The maintenance of this programme is ongoing an dall the relevant role -players concerned accepted their responsibility.
- Regular disaster management exercises were conducted by Koeberg nuclear powerstation at Melkbos Strand and the Airports Company of South Africa (ACSA)atCapeTownInternationalairpo rt. Allthemajoremergencyandsafety andsecuritydepartmentsaswellastheCityofCapeTownwereinvolvedandall theseexerciseswerecloselymonitoredbythedisastermanagementcomponent.
- Aprovincialprotocolwasdraftedforthechangingofmunic ipalnames.
- Atraining course for senior municipal officials was initiated in conjunction with the Cape Administrative Academy.
- The Local Government and Water SETA were supported in their initiatives throughtheactiveparticipationasamemberoftheProv incialChamberofSETA.
- Aserviceprovider(AFRICON)wasappointedtothevalueofR1,3milliontoassist the Directorate to develop disaster management emergency preparedness plans for all municipalities, provincial departments, police service and militar y in the Province.

- TheUniversitiesofFreeStateandCapeTownwereappointedtothevalueofR1 million to develop a risk vulnerability IT programme to determine all the disaster hazardsintheProvince
- Financial support to the value of R1,5 million was given the City of Cape Town to keep an additional fire fighting helicopter on standby during the summer.
- Financial support to the value of R1,3 million was given to the Central Karoo
 Distric Municipality to finance two fire -fighting 4x4 Samil vehicles to b e used for
 emergencies on the N1 between Beaufort West and Laingsburg and to West
 Coast District, Drakenstein, Georgeand Breede Valley Municipalities to finance
 ninefire -fightingtrolleysforinformals ettlements.

SUBPROGRAMME4:LOCALGOVERNMENTFIN ANCE

Keyobjectives

- To conduct diagnostic studies at municipalities where specific needs are iden tified.
- Toimplementmanagementsupportprogrammesatidentifiedmunicipalities.
- To provide assistance to municipal taxpayers in the settlement of disputes wi and complaints about their municipalities.
- Tomonitorthefinancialviabilityofmunicipalities.
- Tomonitorandsupportmunicipalitiesincomplyingwithfinancialprescripts.

Achievements

- Extensive Management Support Programmes were instituted at eight municipalities and a further five municipalities were given support for specific projects.
 The aforementioned was done after a provincial business plan to the value of R17,5 million was submitted to the national Department of Provincial and Local Government and approved. Thirteen individual business plans, also to the value of R17,5 million, of the relevant municipalities were evaluated and approved by this Directorate.
- In addition to the above -mentioned programmes, the Department was also busy finalising a few support programmes with funds to the value of R7,2 million that were rolled over from the previous financial year. The aim of all these support programmes is to financially stabilise and ultimately sustain viability in these municipalities and prior itywas therefore placed on the implementation of projects, which increased the cash flow and service delivery capacity of municipalities.
- The Department conducted three report -back meetings at which feedback was given by municipalities receiving managemen tsupport funds on the progress that was made with the implementation of the projects and work being carried out by the consultants appointed for that purpose. Various other role players including representatives from the national Department of Provincial and Local Govern -ment, Office of the Auditor -General as well as various service providers involved in the implementation of the programme attended the sereport -back meetings.
- The excellent relationship between this Directorate, officials from the national Department of Provincial and Local Government, the Project Viability Consortium

and municipalities with regard to Municipal Support Programmes were main tained and strengthened.

- On 17 October 2001 a presentation was given to the Standing Committee on PublicAccountstoinformthemregardingthedetailsofthemanagementsupport programmesandthefinancialpositionofmunicipalitiesintheProvince.
- The quarterly financial monitoring of municipalities was improved with the introduction of an ewquestion airewith effect from September 2001. All municipalities must complete and submit the required information electronically to the national Department of Provincial and Local Government as well as the Province where the data is captured, analysed and summa rised and a report submitted to the provincial Minister of Local Government. The Department prides itself in that a 100% response has been obtained with regard to the submission of these question naires due to the good co-operation by the municipalities in the Western Cape.
- According to the December 2001 national Project Viability report on the financial status of municipalities in the country, the Western Cape municipalities are leading the way with financial transformation.
- Regular guidance was given to municipalities on the accessing of provincial and national funds, implementation of legislation, financial reporting, accountability, municipal budgets, equitable share, financial policies, credit control, tariffs and indigent policies.
- Aspecialprovincia ICabinetprojectwasinitiatedtoprovidepeopleanopportunity tosaywhattheythinkandaskquestionsaboutimportantmattersthataffectthem. Atotalof226writtencomplaintsandenquiriesregardingmunicipalmatterswere successfullyhandledthroug hthis"OpenDoor"project.

Strategicoverviewandkeypolicydevelopments

The Department (Chief Directorate: Local Government) recognises the constitutional integrity of the local government sphere. Regarding the transformation and restructuring of the local government sphere, a provincial notice was published to establish the following forums to advise the provincial Minister of Local Government: the Provincial Advisory Forum, The Provincial Advisory Forum Technical and five District Advisory Forums. During the process of transformation, municipal officials and councilors were assisted in managing the new challenges of local government transformation and restructuring through the distribution of guiding documents and new sletters.

The Department (Ch ief Directorate Local Government) has also acted in terms of its constitutional objective to monitor and support municipalities. The progress made by municipalities with transformation and restructuring, was monitored through the distribution and assessme nto fregular transformation question naires. Municipalities were supported in the performance of the following functions: drafting of IDP's

(financial and technical), valuations (technical), fire fighting and disaster management(financialandtechni cal),performancemanagement(technical),ISRDP andURP(technical)andLED(technical).

The national Department of Provincial and Local Government prescribed new guidelines for the implementation of Management Support Programmes at municipalities in respect of the 2001/02 financial year. Interms of the seguidelines only 25% of municipalities in the Province could be targeted and individual projects should positively impact on the cash flow and service delivery of the municipality concerned. The support given to municipalities was far more substantive than previously and was now "demand driven" with the main objective of assuring a sustainable municipality.

Significant changes to the CMIP programme were implemented. The selection and prioritisation of projects, previously the responsibility of this Department, became the responsibility of district municipalities. Except for the capacity building part of the CMIP funds, the rest is now transferred directly from national to the district municipality and not via the Province as in the past, but the Department maintains an oversight responsibility in respect of the programme and is still responsible for CMIP capacity building as mentioned earlier.

Outputsandservicedeliverytrends

		Actual perforr	mance against
Outputs	Output performance measures/	target	
	service delivery indicators	Qua	ntity
	,	Target	Actual
	Subprogram: Administration		
To create infrastructure in terms of the Municipal Infrastructure Programme	Number of municipal infrastructure projects	151	172
Subprogram:	Local Government Legislation and	Administration	
To formulate new legislation to monitor and support local government	New legislation formulated	1	Project plan prepared for Cabinet
To enhance communication between the department and municipalities through greater participation in forums	Number of forums attended	Maximum	30
To support municipalities with the implementation of transformation.	Number of successfully restructured municipalities	30	30

		Actual perform	nance against		
Outputs	Output performance measures/	targ	jet		
	service delivery indicators	Quantity			
	,	Target	Actual		
Subprogram:LocalGovernmentDevelopment					
To maintain multi-disciplinary and integrated disaster management and fire fighting structures at provincial and local government spheres.	Number of plans of multi- disciplinary and integrated disaster management and fire fighting structures.	5	5		
To support and monitor munici- palities with the drafting of Inte- grated Development Plans.	Number of municipalities supported and monitored.	30	30		
To implement a performance management system in the local government sphere.	Number of pilot projects implemented and monitored.	3	3		
To create awareness at local government as to their development role and an acceptable service delivery ethos and standard	Number of municipal officials attending and completing a certificate course in developmental local government	34	34		
To monitor and co-ordinate the orderly devolution of Provincial functions to local government in accordance with the National Constitution	Number of orderly devolved functions	Undetermined	None		
Identification of and research on matters social, financial and constitutional in respect of local government	Number of research reports produced	3	3		
-	ogram:LocalG overnmentFi				
To conduct diagnostic studies at municipalities where specific needs are identified.	Number of diagnostic studies conducted.	0	2		
To implement management support programmes at identified municipalities.	Number of management support programmes implemented.	8	13		
To provide assistance to municipal taxpayers in the settlement of disputes with and complaints about their municipalities.	Number of disputes settled.	0	275		
To monitor the financial viability of municipalities.	Number of municipalities monitored.	30	30		

		Actual performance against target Quantity	
Outputs	Output performance measures/		
	service delivery indicators		
	,	Target	Actual
To monitor and support municipalities in complying with financial prescripts.	Number of municipalities monitored and supported.	30	30

Transfer payments

	AMOUNT
NAME OF INSTITUTION	TRANSFERRED
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Subprogram: Local Government Development	
City of Cape Town (IDP/Disaster Management Training)	122 360
Overberg District Municipality (IDP/Disaster Management Training)	26 350
Garden Route / Klein Karoo District Municipality (IDP/Disaster Management Training)	29 950
Central Karoo District Municipality (IDP/Disaster Management Training)	24 650
Boland District Municipality (IDP/Disaster Management Training)	28 685
West Coast District Municipality (IDP/Disaster Management Training)	26 680
Drakenstein Municipality (Fire Fighting Equipment)	35 610
Central Karoo District Municipality (Fire Fighting Equipment)	1 139 658
George Municipality (Fire Fighting Equipment)	53 165
Breede Valley Municipality (Fire Fighting Equipment)	35 100
West Coast District Municipality (Fire Fighting Equipment)	53 165
City of Cape Town (Fire Fighting Helicopter)	1 500 000
SA Life Safing (Life saving at sea)	100 000
City of Cape Town (Drafting of IDP)	292 830
Cederberg Municipality (Drafting of IDP)	63 700
Bergrivier Municipality (Drafting of IDP)	51 300
Saldanha Bay Municipality (Drafting of IDP)	44 460
Swartland Municipality (Drafting of IDP)	101 574
Witzenberg Municipality (Drafting of IDP)	71 981
Drakenstein Municipality (Drafting of IDP)	134 200
Stellenbosch Municipality (Drafting of IDP)	128 000
Breede Valley Municipality (Drafting of IDP)	120 000
Breede River/Winelands Municipality (Drafting of IDP)	57 000
Overberg District Municipality (Drafting of IDP)	160 000
Theewaterskloof Municipality (Drafting of IDP)	26 173
Cape Agulhas Municipality (Drafting of IDP)	60 000
Swellendam Municipality (Drafting of IDP)	80 000
Garden Route / Klein Karoo District Municipality (Drafting of IDP)	75 000
Kannaland Municipality (Drafting of IDP)	116 738

	AMOUNT
NAME OF INSTITUTION	TRANSFERRED
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Langeberg Municipality (Drafting of IDP)	57 000
Mossel Bay Municipality (Drafting of IDP)	120 000
George Municipality (Drafting of IDP)	140 000
Oudtshoorn Municipality (Drafting of IDP)	54 348
Plettenberg Bay Municipality (Drafting of IDP)	32 548
Knysna Municipality (Drafting of IDP)	120 000
Laingsburg Municipality (Drafting of IDP)	52 518
Prince Albert Municipality (Drafting of IDP)	40 917
Beaufort West Municipality (Drafting of IDP)	5 335
Subprogram: Local Government Finance	
Central Karoo District Municipality (management support)	481 000
Garden Route Klein Karoo District Municipality (management support)	988 000
Overberg District Municipality (management support)	101 000
Boland District Municipality (management support)	669 000
West Coast District Municipality (management support)	796 000
Breederiver/Winelands Municipality (management support)	529 000
Beaufort West Municipality (management support)	188 000
Kannaland Municipality (management support)	693 000
Witzenberg Municipality (management support)	1 433 000
Witzenberg Municipality (former Tulbagh Municipality) (financial assistance)	250 000
Cederberg Municipality (management support)	278 000
Mossel Bay Municipality (management support)	241 000
Langeberg Municipality (management support)	169 000
Overstrand Municipality (management support)	353 000
Matzikama Municipality (management support)	470 000
Knysna Municipality (management support)	320 000
Swartland Municipality (management support)	482 000
Oudtshoorn Municipality (management support)	484 000
Drakenstein Municipality (management support)	459 000
Plettenberg Bay Municipality (management support)	144 000
Stellenbosch Municpality (management support)	144 000
Swellendam Municipality (management support)	323 000
Saldanha Bay (management support)	109 000
Breede Valley Municipality (management support)	1 140 000
Prins Albert (management support)	68 000

PROGRAMME5:RESTRUCTURING

Aim:

To provide for the restructuring of the Department.