



2009 DBSA KNOWLEDGE WEEK DRAFT PROGRAMME

“MAKING LOCAL GOVERNMENT WORK BETTER-TURNING LOCAL GOVERNMENT AROUND”

DAY 1 : 3 November 2009

Theme: IGR and Planning to Fastrack Service Delivery

Chair: Mr Ravi Naidoo DPI Group Executive

08h30-09h00	Opening	Knowledge Week Chairperson Mr Ravindra Naidoo
09h00-09h30	Welcome address	Chief Executive Mr Paul Baloyi
09h30-10h00	Address by the DBSA Chairperson	Mr Jay Naidoo
10h00-10h30	Context of the Local Government Turn Around	Mr Ongama Mahlawe, Ministerial Advisor, CGTA
10h30-11h00	Tea	

Chair : Mr Bethuel Netshiswinzhe

11h00-11h30	Historical Context of Local Government	Mr Mohammed Bhabha
11h30- 12h00	Improving Local Government Performance	Khetso Gordon Presidency
12h00-12h30	Fastracking Local Government Service Delivery	Jan Hatting National Treasury
12h30-13h30	Panel Discussion I (all previous speakers)	Facilitated by Mr Mosley Lefatola
13h30–14h30	Lunch	

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Chair : Mr Johann Mettler, SALGA / Mr Dumisani Magadlela: Siyenza Manje

14h30 –15h00	Data managed for improved service delivery: the local government experience	Karen Heese and Kevin Allan Municipal IQ
15:00- 15:30	Challenges of Asset Maintenance in Municipalities	Mr Louis Boschoff
15h30-16h00	Lessons from Siyenza Manje: Key Impediments to Service Delivery,	Mr Charles Mvungi, Siyenza Manje
16h00- 17h00	Panel Discussion II (all previous speakers)	Facilitated by Mr Johann Mettler
17h00-17h10	Closure by Rapporteur	
17:10- 19:00	Cocktail	

DAY 2: 4 NOVEMBER 2009

Theme: Policy, Structures and Systems

Chair: Ms Shiva Makotoko, ABSA

08h30 – 09h00	Recap of the Previous Day and Introduction of Chairperson Opening and introduction of today's theme	Ms Sinazo Sibisi
09h00- 09h30	Key impediments in the systems of Local Government	Mr Pascal Moloi
09h30 – 10h00	Municipal Financial Framework	David Savage
10h00-10h30	Economics of Local Government	Ms Neva Makgetla
10:30 – 11:00	TEA	
11h00-11h30	Ditsobotla Case study on Financial Turn Around	Mr Dumisane Magadlela, Siyenza Manje
11h30-12h00	Koukamma Case Study on Institutional Turnaround	DBSA Siyenza Manje
12h00-13h00	Panel Discussion III (all previous speakers)	Facilitated by Ms Shiva Makotoko, ABSA
13h00-14h00	LUNCH	

DAY 2: 4 NOVEMBER 2009

Theme: Policy, Structures and Systems

Chair: Mr Ravindra Naidoo

14h00-14h30	Local Government Turn Around	Deputy Minister of CGTA
14h30-15h30	MIG Policy Reform	Mr Yusuf Patel, CGTA
15h30-16h00	City Structures and Governance	Graeme Gotz
16h00-17h00	Panel Discussion IV	Facilitated by Chairperson
17h00-17h10	Closure by Rapporteur	:

DAY 3: 5 NOVEMBER 2009

Theme: Improving Governance

Chair: Ms Sinazo Sibisi: Planning Divisional Executive

08:30 – 09:00	Recap of the Previous Day	
09: 00- 09:30	Opening and introduction of today's theme	
09h30-10h00	Improving governance and accountability in Local Government,	Parliament's Portfolio Committee Chair, Mr Lechesa Tsenoli
10:00 – 10:30	Improving local government finances and accountability for improved governance	Office of the Auditor-General
10:30 – 11:00	The State of Impropriety in Local Governance: Civil Society Perspective	Nontando Quwa Afesis –Corplan
11:00- 11:30	Breakfast	
11:30 – 13:30	Panel Discussion V	(SALGA, CGTA, MDB, National Treasury & Previous Speakers)
13h30- 14h00	Closing Remarks-	Ms Lulu Gwagwa
14:00 - 15:00	Late lunch	