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BITOU SMME INCUBATOR PROGRAMME - CALL FOR BUSINESS PROPOSALS

Bitou Municipality hereby invites local entrepreneurs to apply for the Bitou SMME Incubator programme.

Applicants with a workable business concept may apply for the programme, which aims to provide support to small businesses by means of equipment and non-financial support.

<u>Interested entrepreneurs must submit business proposals with the following compulsory criteria and information attached:</u>

- Company profile
- Business registration details
- Certified copy of ID
- Applicant must be directly involved in the daily operations.
- Must be operating in the Bitou area Certified copy of proof of residence and where business is situated.
- 100% South African owned.
- Must be available to do a presentation to a selected panel.
- Must be able to attend the compulsory business development interventions and trainings identified by panel.

Applications must be submitted to the Economic Development offices in Melville's Corner; office Nr 57 before or on Friday 10 May 2024, 10h00 am.

Submissions must be clearly marked: Bitou SMME Incubator Programme

- Shortlisted applicants will be required to present their business proposal to a selection panel.
- Bitou Municipality reserves the right to evaluate and select only the highest-ranking business concepts according to the above criteria.

For further information, please contact Mr. Jofre Lottering at the Bitou Economic Development office Nr 57 or on 044 501 3150, <u>ilottering@plett.gov.za</u> or Mr. Lenhard Jonas on 044 501 3459 or ljonas@plett.gov.za

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