

## 1 x TOWN MANAGER - NSIKAZI SOUTH

Silulumanzi is a private-sector Water & Sewer Service Provider within the City of Mbombela. The company has a vacant position for a suitably skilled and experienced Town Manager.

Reporting to: Operations Manager.

Location: KaNyamazane Depot.

### Job Requirements and Qualifications:

- B-Tech Civil Engineering (Civil Engineering or Water related) or equivalent tertiary qualification.
- Valid Driver's license – Code B.
- Competent in general project management principles and able to plan, and interpret engineering designs, blueprints, specifications, and contracts.
- Possess good financial acumen.
- Good Quality, Risk, and Incident management abilities.
- Possess excellent public relations skills to engage with communities and political representatives.
- Possess strong management and supervisory skills.
- Ability to communicate effectively both verbally and in writing in English and Siswati Afrikaans will be an added advantage.
- Solid administration, report writing and presentation skills.
- Competent with the Microsoft suite of products.
- Knowledge of tools, equipment and technologies needed for all the tasks to be managed.
- Extensive knowledge of operating principles and practices of water and wastewater utility management.
- Comprehensive knowledge of local government and Silulumanzi By-laws, Consumer rules, DWA Water Act, water production, water distribution and wastewater collection operation, maintenance, and construction.
- Comprehensive knowledge of engineering principles and practices, including hydraulics, water treatment, pumping, storage systems and water/wastewater treatment processes.
- Must be results driven and innovative in implementing technologies that will drive efficiency and cost savings.
- Must be able to effectively multitask.
- Must possess the skills to analyse historical trends and data to make informed decisions to optimize the performance of Staff, Plant & Equipment.
- Must be confident in the ability to evaluate the options, decide and take action.
- Decision-making and recommendations will require an environmentally friendly approach.

### Key Responsibilities:

- Building and maintaining effective working relationships with employees, council members and customers.
- Manage the operation and maintenance of the water and sewer treatment infrastructure in your area of responsibility.
- Manage the efficient delivery of drinking water production as per the processes and procedures of Silulumanzi and as per the Water Act of South Africa.
- Manage the intake, treatment and recycling of wastewater processes and procedures.
- Liaise with the Operations Manager to ensure the information on the division's progress and activities.
- Provide oversight of operations and maintenance contracts within own area of responsibility. This includes, but is not limited to, the operation of the water treatment, distribution and storage system, waste treatment and collection system.
- Direct the activities of subordinate supervisors and foreman to ensure the most efficient and equitable provision of water and sewer services.
- Responsible for the collection and analysis of statistical data related to the operation of the water treatment and distribution system, wastewater treatment and collection system.
- Coordinate the implementation of the Non-Revenue Water strategy in liaison with the relevant department.
- Work with the Customer Service Department to provide technical support as and when required.
- Participate in the annual budget (OpEx and CapEx) preparation.
- Manage own budget to ensure that the department complies with the Company's annual financial plan and budget.
- Recommend projects for the 5-year Capital Improvement to the Departmental Head.
- Communicate and coordinate regularly with others to maximize the effectiveness and efficiency of inter-departmental operations and activities.
- Comply with and always promote the Health and Safety Act to ensure implementation within own area of responsibility.

Applicants that meet the above requirements can submit their CVs to the HR Department at 18 Nel Street, Mbombela City, 1200 or email [recruitment@silulumanzi.com](mailto:recruitment@silulumanzi.com).

Closing date: **27 January 2023**

If you have not been contacted within 21 days of the closing date of this advertisement, please accept that your application was unsuccessful.

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