

Memorandum



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SUBJECT: INFORMATION REQUESTED IN TERMS OF THE PROMOTION OF ACCESS TO INFORMATION ACT, 2000

Your memorandum, dated 28 August 2012, bearing the abovementioned subject heading has reference.

A summary of the requested information is attached here below :-

1. Plans on Heritage Day

The National Heritage day celebrations were held in Merafong outside of the Ekurhuleni area and Ekurhuleni communities and officials were encouraged to support the national celebrations.

2. Budget allocation for the Heritage Month Spending for September 2012

PROGRAMME	BUDGET	DATE
Thami Mnyele Fine Arts Competition	R350 000.00	22 September 2012
Heritage Month Cultural Celebrations (a Three Day Multidiscipline Creative Arts and Heritage Project) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ekurhuleni Carnival• Dance (5 Categories)• Poetry• Drama• Comedy• Music (4 Categories)• Mainstream Theatre Production• Language Awareness Workshop• Exhibition	R2 31 000.00	28 – 29 September 2012
Vukani Craft Fashion Awards and Exhibitions	R300 000.00	21 September 2012
Heritage Month Art Exhibition	R60 000.00	28 – 30 September 2012

3. **Budget allocation for the Heritage Day spending on 24 September 2012**

No budget allocated since the event took place outside Ekurhuleni

4. **Criteria Used by the Municipality on the budget spend for the Heritage Month**

The Municipality implements annual programmes since 2005 which include:

- Gauteng and Ekurhuleni Carnival
- Heritage Month Art Exhibition
- Thami Mnyele National Fine Arts Awards Competition
- Heritage Month Celebrations

Participation in the event:

Artists are selected from programmes that are run throughout the previous financial year where the best productions, artists, Heritage projects and Crafters are given an opportunity to showcase their products as part of the Ekurhuleni Heritage Celebration

5. **Criteria Used by the municipality on the budget for the Heritage Day**

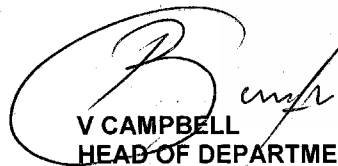
No criteria as there was no event for this particular day due to the National event outside Ekurhuleni

6. **Planned events for the Month
(Refer to Annexure attached)**

- Gauteng Carnival
- Vukani Craft Fashion Awards and Exhibitions
- Thami Mnyele Fine Arts Competition
- Heritage Cultural Celebrations, a three Day Multidiscipline Arts Festival encompassing:
 - Ekurhuleni Carnival
 - Dance (Pantsula, Traditional, Contemporary, Kwasa Kwasa and Kofifi)
 - Music (Indigenous Gospel, Cothoza, Traditional and Jazz)
 - Drama
 - Poetry
 - Comedy
 - Short Film Festival
 - Mainstream Theatre Production
 - Language Awareness Workshop
 - Visual Art, Heritage and Craft exhibitions

7. **Planned events for Heritage Day**

No events planned



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