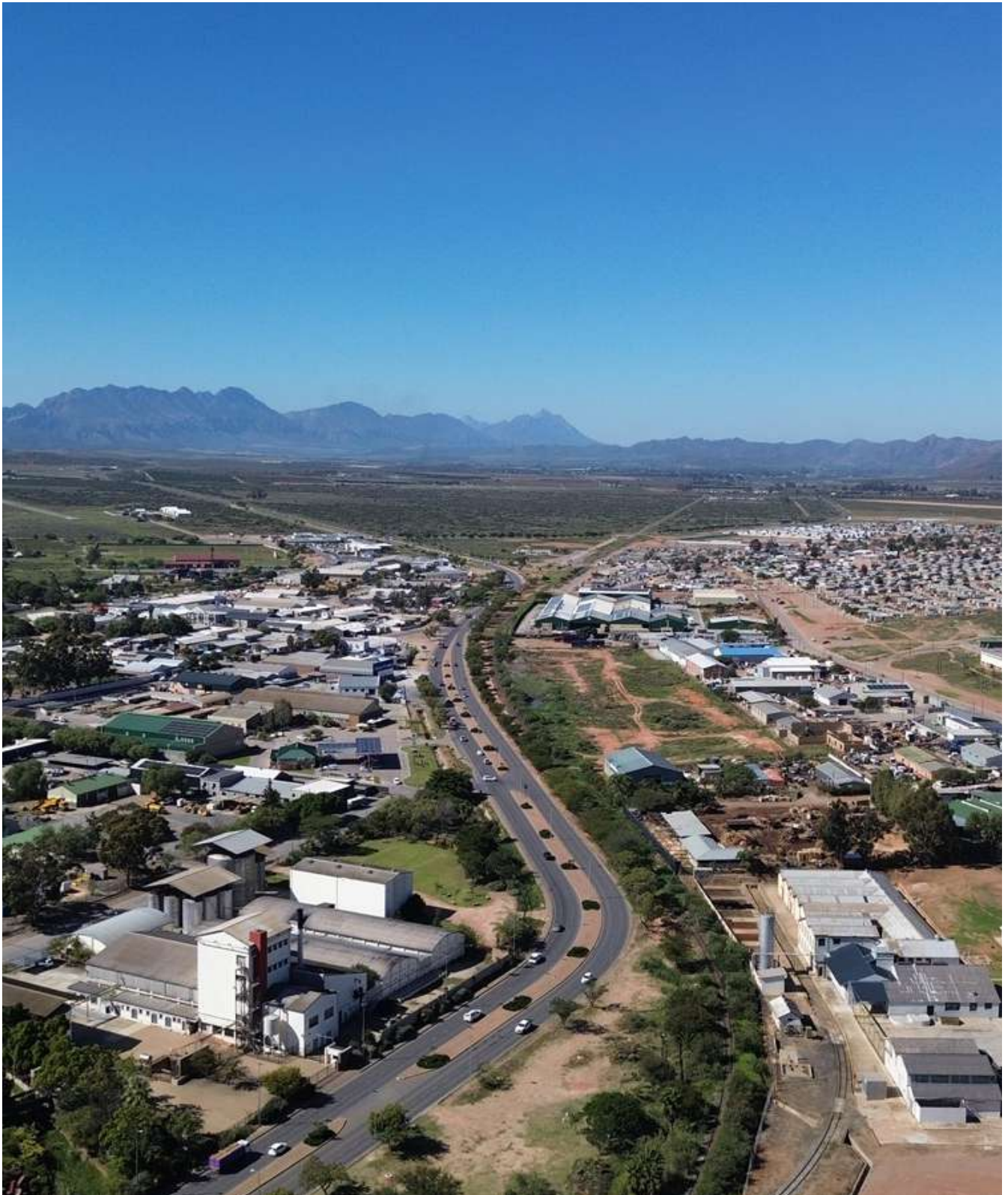


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MESSAGE FROM THE MUNICIPAL MANAGER

MUNICIPAL MANAGER OF LANGEBERG MUNICIPALITY: MR DP LUBBE

It is with a grateful heart that I write this message for our May 2026 Newsletter, as we are all most thankful for the rain that continues to fall, and the positive result that has enabled us to lift the Level 1 Water Restrictions from 1 May 2026.

During the most recent Premier's Task Team Meeting held on 28 April 2026 which included Provincial Ministers, Executive Mayors and Municipal Managers of all 30 municipalities in the Western Cape, Water Security, Foot and Mouth Disease and Fuel Price increases and Fuel Shortages, are discussed on a bi-weekly basis.

In respect of "Water Security", the Langeberg Municipality is presently classified as low risk in respect of the categories "Water Resources" and "Water Infrastructure", which correlates with our increasing dam levels due to continuous rainfall, and our continuous investment in potable water supply infrastructure.

In terms of the risk of "Foot and Mouth Disease" (FMD), the overall messages that came forward from the Premier's meeting, were that a period of 37 days had passed on date of the meeting during which no new cases of FMD were reported.

All vaccination deliveries to the Western Cape Province, were immediately utilized and a request was submitted, with a follow-up meeting scheduled with the National Minister of Agriculture, to increase the allocation of vaccinations to the Western Cape Province.

The Premier also requested that the Western Cape put in a bid to borrow forward, the unutilized allocations of vaccinations that presently lie dormant in storage in other provinces, for immediate utilization by the Western Cape, and when we in future again receive vaccinations, such will be given back to provinces, from which we borrowed.

A big risk which is threatening Public and Private Sectors, our economy and our daily activities, is the increasing fuel prices, as well as the occurrence of fuel shortages, and future challenges in respect of service delivery for provincial departments and municipalities. Already we are providing for adjustments in respect of our existing 2025/26 financial year budget, and the draft 2026/27 financial year budget.

As recent as last week we had to cancel a tender that was adjudicated, when the successful contractor to whom the bid was awarded to, had to withdraw its bid, due to an unexpected rise in material costs. We will be carefully managing and monitoring the situation on a continuous basis.

The month of May in the Municipal Finance Management Act (MFMA), Act No.56 of 2003, Calendar, is also the important month where the Integrated Development Plan (IDP) Review and Sector Plans and related Budget and Budget Policies for the forthcoming financial year, commencing 1 July of every year should be finalized and submitted to Council for approval.

MESSAGE FROM THE MUNICIPAL MANAGER

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As a result, we are finalizing all documentation relating to our 2026/27 financial year IDP and Budget, for submission to Council on 27 May 2026.

In closing, I wish to touch on the recent announcement of 4 November 2026 as the date of the National Local Government Elections.

As municipal administrators we now know, some six months in advance, the declared date, and all preparatory actions can now be implemented to ensure that the run-up towards the election, the election itself, and the establishment of a new council, as a direct result of the election, will be executed successfully.

Please remember, that the big difference between the Local Government Election and the previous National and Provincial Election, is that with the Local Government Election of 4 November 2026, voters need to vote where they are registered, and it is most important to verify and update your voter registration in respect of your residential address.

As we move into a wet and cold winter period, I wish every resident of Langeberg, every visitor to our area, and each of my colleagues and their families a blessed, safe and healthy month of May 2026.

Best wishes

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Municipal Manager

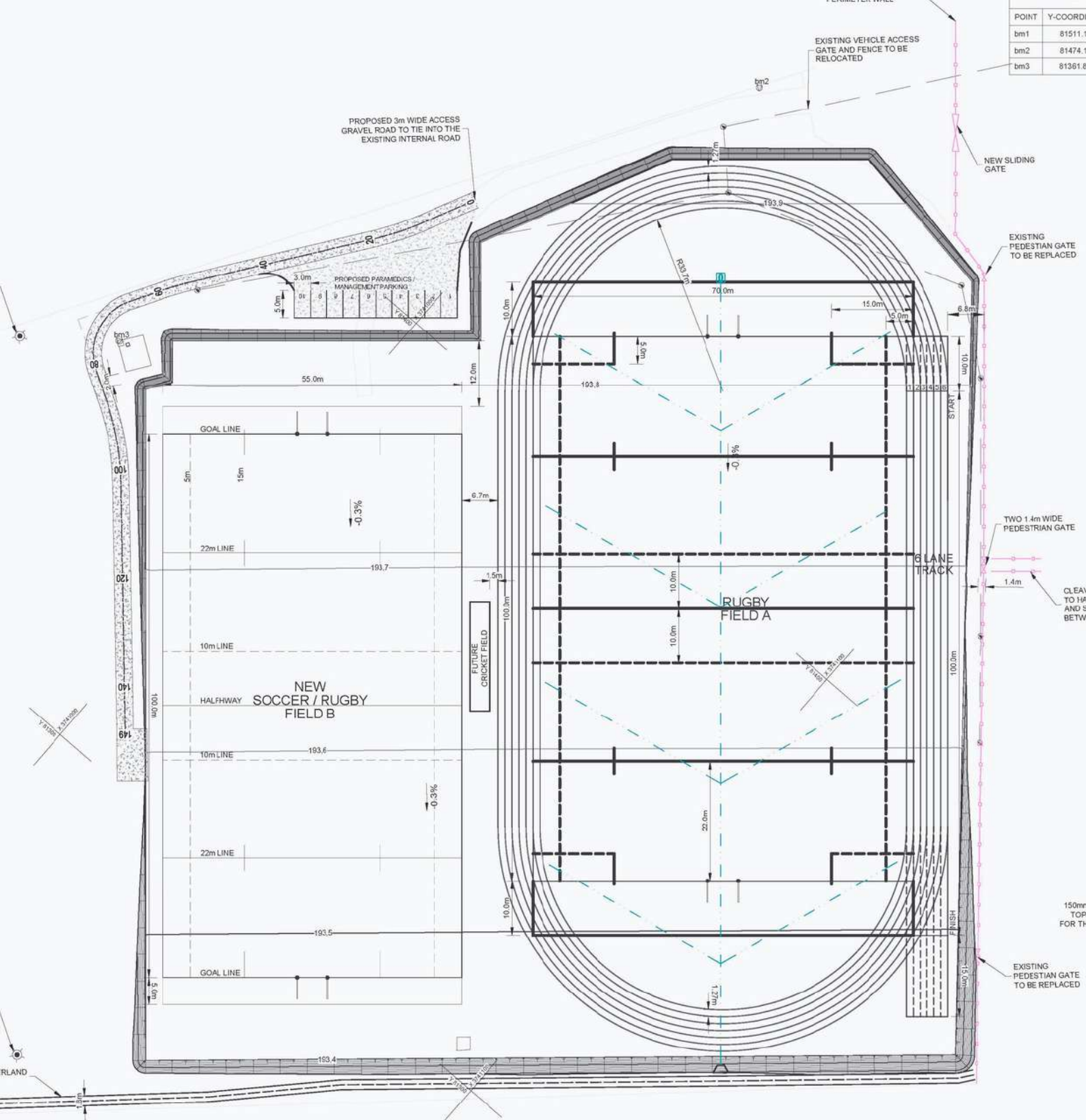
LANGERBERG MUNICIPALITY REFLECTS ON FIVE YEARS OF PROGRESS AND DELIVERY

The Council's Performance 2021–2026 booklet highlights the progress made by Langeberg Municipality over the past five years, with a continued focus on improving the quality of life for all residents.

Guided by the Integrated Development Plan (IDP), Council implemented a range of projects across the municipal area, with investment in key infrastructure such as water, sanitation, roads, stormwater, electricity, and waste management. These efforts have strengthened service delivery and supported communities in Robertson, Ashton, Montagu, Bonnievale, and McGregor.

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HIGHLIGHTING OUR KEY PROJECTS AND
ACHIEVEMENTS**





MULTIMILLION-RAND UPGRADE UNDERWAY AT VAN ZYL STREET SPORTS GROUNDS

Langeberg Municipality has commenced an R8 million project to upgrade the Van Zyl Street sports grounds in Robertson, aimed at strengthening local sporting infrastructure and expanding opportunities for sport development, community use, and regional events.

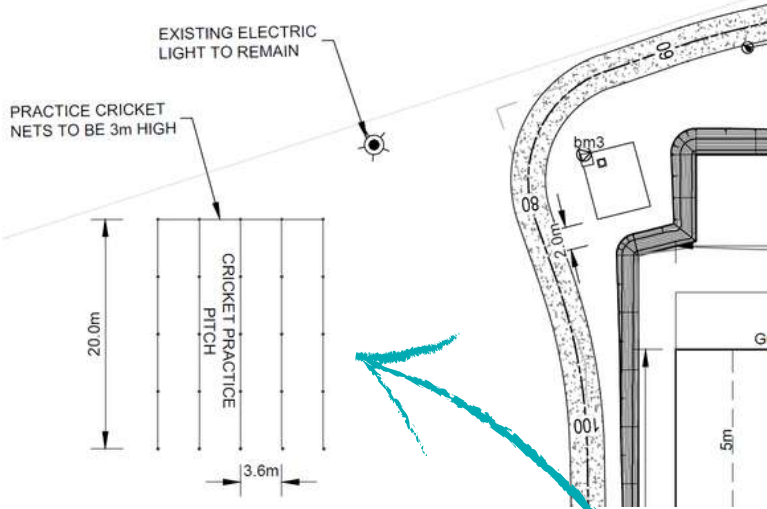
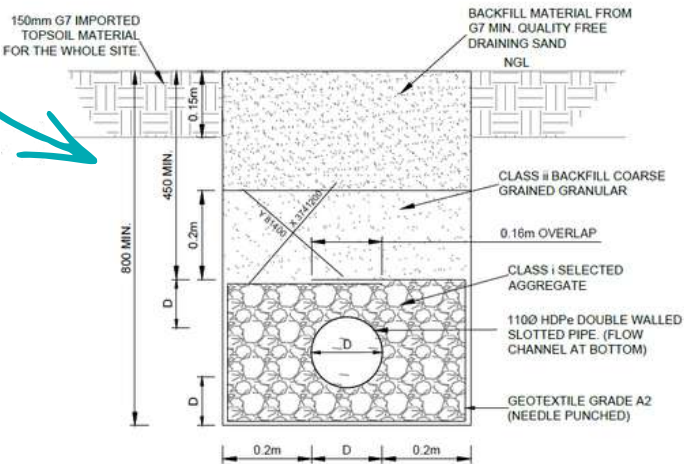
The project is primarily funded through R7.4 million from the Municipal Infrastructure Grant (MIG), which includes the municipal contribution as per the 2026/27 budget, with an additional R619,000 allocated by the Provincial Department of Cultural Affairs and Sport (DCAS).

“Langeberg Municipality is investing in the upgrade of the Van Zyl Street sports grounds to strengthen the local sporting community and expand development opportunities for youth across the municipal area. The project will enhance facilities to better support training, participation (both recreational and competitive), and long-term athlete development in Robertson. In addition, the upgraded facility will create opportunities for economic growth by enabling the hosting of regional and provincial tournaments. This will also promote sport tourism within the Langeberg municipal area,” said Mrs Lenchen April, Manager: Community Facilities.

Upgrading of rugby and soccer fields

The main rugby field (Field A), located within the athletics track, is undergoing full reconstruction. This includes removal of existing topsoil and compaction of the sub-base to engineering standards to ensure a stable and even playing surface. A second field (Field B), located to the west of the track, is being developed to accommodate both rugby and soccer, increasing capacity for training and match-day use.

A subsurface drainage system is also being installed to improve water runoff and ensure year-round usability, particularly during the winter rainfall season.



Both fields will be grassed and treated in accordance with soil analysis to support healthy surface growth.

Six-lane athletics track

A key feature of the project is the construction of a six-lane grass athletics track surrounding the main field.

Cricket practice nets

The project also includes the construction of new enclosed cricket practice nets to support safe and structured training.

Cloakroom facilities

Existing cloakrooms will be fully refurbished to improve amenities for players and facility users.

High-mast lighting

High-mast lighting will also be installed to support evening match hosting and enhance safety in the area.

Public access and safety during construction

No unauthorised access to the facility is permitted during the construction period.

Residents are urged to respect site boundaries to ensure public safety and to protect infrastructure as work progresses.

All works are being carried out in accordance with applicable standards to ensure a safe, durable, and high-quality facility for the community.

Langeberg Municipality will continue to provide regular updates on the progress of the project.



WINTER READINESS IN LANGEBERG

As winter approaches across the Langeberg region, residents can expect colder temperatures, increased rainfall, and strong winds. These seasonal conditions affect people differently depending on where and how they live, from informal settlements and RDP houses to farms, riverbanks, and well-resourced homes. With thoughtful preparation, every household can reduce risks, stay warm, and manage costs during the winter months.

Heavy rainfall can lead to leaks, damp living conditions, and flooding, especially in low-lying areas, informal settlements, and homes near riverbanks.

For residents in informal settlements or flood-prone areas:

- Raise furniture and belongings off the ground using bricks or wooden pallets
- Dig small trenches or guide water away from your structure (where safe to do so)
- Strengthen roofs with plastic sheeting or waterproof coverings
- Keep sandbags or heavy materials ready to block incoming water
- Avoid building or sleeping in areas close to river edges during heavy rains

For residents in formal structures:

- Check roofs, ceilings, and windows for leaks and cracks
- Clean gutters and ensure water flows away from the house
- Report drainage blockages to the municipality
- Clear yards of rubble and waste that may block water flow

For other households:

- Maintain stormwater systems, gutters, and downpipes
- Ensure proper landscaping to direct water away from buildings
- Service sump pumps or drainage systems where installed
- Check insurance coverage for storm-related damages

Winter storms can disrupt daily life for everyone, but preparedness helps reduce risk.

All residents are encouraged to:

- Keep important documents, medication, and emergency supplies in a dry, safe place
- Charge mobile phones and have backup lighting (torches, candles, safely used)
- Follow weather alerts and municipal updates
- Identify safe areas in case evacuation is needed
- Communities near rivers or slopes should be extra alert for flooding or land movement
- Households with elderly persons, children, or people with disabilities should plan additional support

Keeping warm is essential, but many households face financial and electricity constraints.

Start with Body Warmth (for everyone):

- Wear layers, including warm socks, scarves, and beanies
- Use blankets and share warmth where possible
- Drink warm beverages and eat warm meals

WINTER READINESS IN LANGEBERG (CONTINUED)

For informal settlements and low-income households:

- Use hot water bottles or heated bricks wrapped in cloth (handled safely)
- Avoid unsafe indoor fires or open flames that can cause fires or carbon monoxide poisoning
- Ensure candles and paraffin stoves are placed on stable surfaces and never left unattended
- Ventilate spaces when using fuel-based heating

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For formal or Wendy homes:

- Use heaters carefully and only in occupied rooms
- Switch off heaters before sleeping
- Avoid overloading plugs and electrical connections

For other households:

- Use energy-efficient heaters or air conditioning systems responsibly
- Insulate homes (ceilings, walls, windows) to retain heat
- Consider long-term energy solutions such as solar systems to reduce winter demand

To Keep Warmth Inside Your Home

- Close windows and doors early in the evening
- Use rolled towels or draft stoppers under doors
- Close curtains to trap heat
- Seal gaps around windows and doors where possible
- Close off unused rooms

Use Electricity Wisely

Electricity demand increases during winter, especially in the mornings and evenings.

All households can help reduce pressure on the electricity grid by:

- Switching off unused appliances
- Using energy-efficient light bulbs
- Avoiding standby power
- Heating only the spaces you use

For households with access to more resources:

- Shift heavy electricity use (e.g., geysers, washing machines) to off-peak times
- Install timers or smart systems to manage energy use

Winter safety is not just individual—it's communal.

- Check in on vulnerable neighbours
- Share information about weather alerts
- Report flooding, fallen trees, or electrical hazards to authorities
- Work together to keep drainage systems clear

Winter affects everyone differently, but preparedness can make a significant difference. Whether living in an informal settlement, an RDP house, on a farm, near a river, or in a fully serviced home, simple actions can protect lives, improve comfort, and reduce costs.

By working together and planning, the Langeberg community can stay safe, warm, and resilient this winter.



ROBERTSON HEIGHTS: CONSTRUCTION OF BULK CIVIL ENGINEERING SERVICES

The Langeberg Municipality is currently implementing underground bulk water and stormwater infrastructure upgrades in Robertson Bo-dorp. These upgrades form part of the enabling works associated with the Robertson Heights housing development, which will introduce 205 residential units and a community facility.

To ensure this development is well-supported, significant upgrades to bulk water and stormwater systems are currently underway.

Strengthening Water Infrastructure

A key component of the project is the upgrade of the bulk water system, designed to ensure a reliable and sufficient supply of potable water.

This includes:

- Installation of new bulk water pipelines connecting existing reservoirs to the broader network.
- Construction of a new pump station at Reservoir No. 2, replacing ageing infrastructure.
- Improved water transfer capacity between reservoirs to meet increasing demand.

These upgrades will not only support the Robertson Heights development but will also strengthen water supply reliability for the wider Robertson area.

This phase commenced in January 2026 and is expected to be completed by June 2026.



ROBERTSON HEIGHTS: CONSTRUCTION OF BULK CIVIL ENGINEERING SERVICES (CONTINUED)

Improving Stormwater Management

Effective stormwater management is essential to protect homes, roads, and public spaces. The project includes two phases of stormwater upgrades aimed at reducing flood risks and improving drainage capacity.

Phase 1: Jasmyn and Nuton Streets

- Construction of a stormwater attenuation pond to manage high rainfall events.
- Installation of new pipelines, catchpits, and manholes.
- Upgrades designed to handle storms of up to a 1-in-50-year event.
- Reduction of existing flooding challenges in Nuton Street.
- Road repairs following infrastructure installation.

This phase also improves water quality by allowing stormwater to settle before entering natural watercourses, which started in March 2026 and is expected to be completed by June 2026.

Phase 2: Sonneblom to Watsonia Streets

- Extension of stormwater infrastructure through key residential streets.
- Installation of larger capacity pipelines and drainage systems.
- Integration with Phase 1 infrastructure for a comprehensive network.

These improvements will not only serve the new development but will also enhance stormwater management across surrounding areas, reducing the risk of flooding and property damage.

Phase 2 is scheduled to begin in June 2026, with completion anticipated by September 2026.

Long-Term Community Benefits

The Robertson Heights infrastructure project is designed with long-term impact in mind. Key benefits include:

- Improved water supply reliability.
- Reduced flooding risks.
- Enhanced road conditions following construction.
- Increased resilience of municipal infrastructure.
- Support for future growth and development.

While construction may result in temporary disruptions, these upgrades are a necessary investment in the future of Robertson.

Residents are encouraged to remain patient as work progresses, with the understanding that these improvements will deliver lasting value to the entire community.

The Municipality remains committed to keeping residents informed as the project advances.



LIQUOR TRADING HOURS IN LANGEBERG MUNICIPALITY

The Langeberg Municipality is committed to promoting a safe, healthy, and well-regulated environment for all residents. Trading in liquor is regulated in terms of the Western Cape Liquor Act and related legislation including the Municipal By-law "Control of Undertakings that sell Liquor to the Public, 2017" which regulates when liquor may be sold within the Langeberg municipal area.

Understanding these trading hours helps businesses remain compliant and supports community wellbeing. No person or institution may sell liquor outside the permitted trading hours.

ON-SITE CONSUMPTION STANDARD TRADING HOURS

Example: Restaurants, Bars, Hotels, Nightclubs, Special Events and Temporary Liquor Licences. Trading hours are set out in the Schedule in the By-law and depend on the location of the premises:

1. Adjacent to or across the street from residential properties:

- **Sunday to Thursday: 07:00 – 22:00**
- **Friday & Saturday: 07:00 – 24:00**

2. In non-residential areas (including hotels and nightclubs):

- **Sunday to Saturday: 07:00 – 02:00 (next day)**

Liquor may not be consumed outside of these permitted hours.

OFF-SITE CONSUMPTION STANDARD TRADING HOURS

Example: Liquor Stores, Special Events and Temporary Liquor Licences.

- **Monday to Sunday: 08:00 – 20:00**
- **Good Friday & Christmas Day: 08:00 – 13:00**

Tourist facilities (wine cellars selling their own products):

- **Daily: 07:00 – 24:00**
- **Good Friday & Christmas Day: 08:00 – 13:00**

EXTENDED TRADING HOURS

Businesses may apply to the Municipality for extended trading hours. Approval is not automatic and is only granted in exceptional circumstances given that the purpose of the standard trading hours is to limit the hours of availability of liquor and to facilitate consistency and clarity for enforcement purposes.

Extended hours are only valid once written approval has been granted.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF LICENCE HOLDERS

All licence holders must:

- Display their liquor licence number, approved trading hours and zoning and fire safety certificates clearly on the front door or window of the licensed premises.
- Provide adequate lighting at entrances and exits to ensure the safety and security of patrons.
- Prevent noise and public nuisance.
- Keep premises and surrounding areas clean and litter-free.
- Ensure liquor is only sold within permitted hours and licence conditions.
- No consumption of liquor on off-site licensed premises i.e. Liquor Stores.
- No removal of liquor from on-site consumption premises (except where permitted, such as tourist facilities).

ENFORCEMENT AND COMPLIANCE

Authorised municipal officials, together with the Western Cape Liquor Authority and law enforcement, monitor compliance by inspecting premises. Failure to comply with the by-law may result in fines, closure of the business, seizure of liquor or imprisonment.

The regulation of liquor trading hours is not only about compliance - it is about balancing economic activity with the safety, peace, and wellbeing of our communities. Residents are encouraged to report concerns, while businesses are urged to operate responsibly and within the law.

The Langeberg Municipal By-Law 2017 for Control of Undertakings that sell liquor to the public, is available at: <https://www.langeberg.gov.za/documents/by-laws/2473-selling-liquor-to-the-public/file.html>

For more information contact info@langeberg.gov.za

Rinse recyclables before throwing them in your clear bag

Rinse and dry containers to prevent contamination — dirty items can spoil an entire batch of recyclables. Put your recyclables out in the clear bag, provided by the municipality, for collection or drop them at the Ashton Material Recovery Facility.



THE IMPACT OF ILLEGAL DUMPING AND LITTERING DURING WINTER



Winter rainfall is essential for replenishing our water sources, especially during ongoing water shortages. However, when combined with illegal dumping and littering, it becomes a significant risk that impacts all residents. Illegal dumping and littering damage municipal infrastructure, increase flood risks, contaminate water sources, and divert vital funds to cleaning and repair operations. Responsible waste disposal is therefore everyone's responsibility to protect our communities, infrastructure, and environment.

Illegal dumping and littering

Illegal dumping and littering remain persistent challenges in many areas. During winter, increased rainfall turns these issues from a visual concern into a serious environmental and infrastructure risk. Waste left in open spaces, along with litter discarded in streets and public areas, is easily washed into drainage systems, rivers, and low-lying areas, where it spreads pollution and becomes more difficult and costly to remove.

The clean-up of illegally dumped waste and widespread littering places a significant financial burden on the Municipality. These funds are required for ongoing collection, removal, and

disposal operations. This expenditure could otherwise be directed towards essential service delivery, infrastructure maintenance, and other community priorities.

Rivers, drains and stormwater blockages

Dumping waste into rivers, drains, and stormwater systems, as well as littering in public spaces, is especially damaging during winter rainfall. Heavy rainfall washes waste and litter into drainage systems, causing blockages that disrupt natural water flow and redirect water into alternative routes. This results in localised flooding in residential and low-lying areas, road damage, and erosion. These risks affect lives, property, water quality, and the surrounding environment.

Public health and environmental impact

When waste and litter become wet, they produce unpleasant odours and attract pests. Mixed and hazardous waste can also contaminate stormwater runoff, which then flows into rivers and surrounding environments. This poses risks to both human health and the environment, while increasing the complexity, risk, and cost of clean-up operations.

THE IMPACT OF ILLEGAL DUMPING AND LITTERING DURING WINTER

Pressure on municipal clean-up teams

During and after heavy rainfall, municipal teams and resources are often diverted to address infrastructure blockages and waste accumulation caused by illegal dumping and littering. This reduces capacity for routine maintenance and essential service delivery, and places additional pressure on already strained winter operations.

Responsible waste disposal

Maintaining a clean environment is a shared responsibility between the Municipality and all residents. The Municipality provides weekly refuse collection services, drop-off sites, and transfer stations to support safe and efficient waste management. Residents are urged to make use of these services and to dispose of waste responsibly.

Waste must never be thrown from vehicles, into drains, toilets, open spaces, rivers, or stormwater systems. Stormwater drains are not waste bins and must never be used for the disposal of waste or litter. Littering in public areas and illegal dumping both contribute to environmental damage and infrastructure strain. Instead, residents are encouraged to use their nearest waste disposal facility:

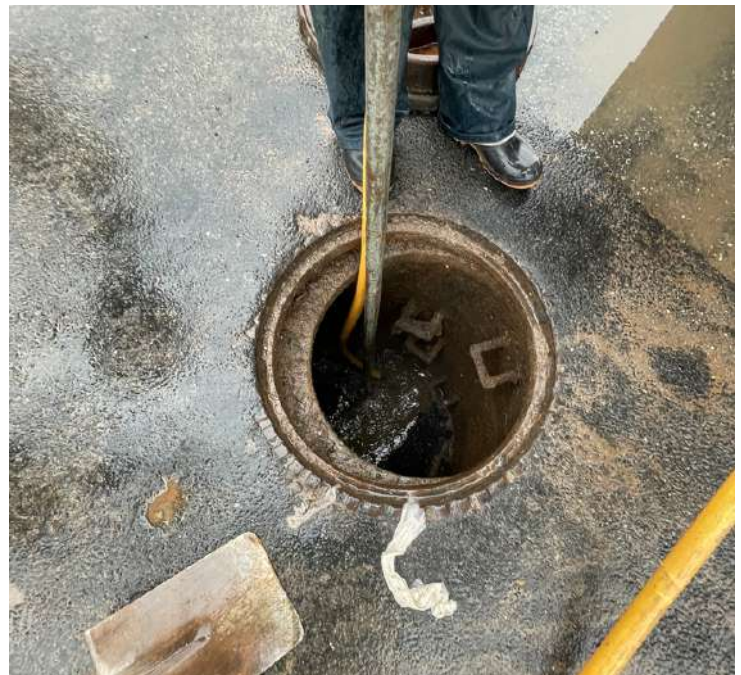
<https://www.langeberg.gov.za/services/solid-waste-management.html>

Report illegal dumping

Community cooperation is essential to protect infrastructure and the environment. Illegal dumping can be reported to the 24/7 Call Centre:

- Call: 0860 88 11 11
- WhatsApp: 065 211 7822
- App: <https://onelink.to/jjzt2k>
- Email: info@langeberg.gov.za

A clean environment protects infrastructure, strengthens service delivery, and reduces risk during winter rainfall events.





WINTER FIRE SAFETY IN LANGEBERG MUNICIPALITY

As winter sets in across the Langeberg Municipal area, the risk of household fires increases due to the greater use of heating devices, open flames, and alternative cooking methods. The Municipality urges all residents to exercise caution and take proactive steps to prevent fire-related incidents during the colder months.

Increased Fire Risk During Winter

Winter conditions often result in the use of paraffin stoves, heaters, fireplaces, and candles, particularly during periods of power outages. These practices, while necessary for warmth and lighting, significantly increase the risk of accidental fires. Fires can spread rapidly, especially in dry indoor conditions or where flammable materials are present.

High-Risk Practices to Avoid

Residents are advised to avoid the following unsafe practices:

- Leaving candles or open flames unattended
- Overloading electrical sockets or using faulty wiring
- Placing heaters near curtains, bedding, or furniture
- Using unsafe or unstable heating devices
- Allowing children to play near heat sources

Most winter fires are preventable and are linked to unsafe household practices.

Informal Settlement Fire Safety

Informal settlements remain particularly vulnerable due to closely built structures and the use of highly flammable building materials. Fires

in these areas can spread quickly and affect multiple households within a short period. Early prevention and community awareness remain critical, reducing fire incidents.

Fire Safety Tips for Residents

The Municipality encourages all households to:

- Keep heating devices on stable surfaces
- Ensure proper ventilation when using paraffin or gas heating appliances
- Extinguish candles before sleeping or leaving a room
- Store flammable materials safely away from heat sources
- Always keep emergency numbers accessible

Community Awareness and Responsibility

Fire safety requires collective responsibility. Residents are encouraged to check on vulnerable neighbours, particularly the elderly residents and those living alone, and to share information on safe heating practices during winter.

Reporting Fire Emergencies

In the event of a fire, residents must contact Fire Services immediately. Quick reporting can help reduce damage and save lives.

- Call: 023 615 8911

The Municipality reminds all residents that winter fires are largely preventable. Through safe household practices and increased awareness, communities can reduce fire incidents and protect lives and property during the winter season.

PROJECT UPDATE

Capital projects are identified through the Integrated Development Planning (IDP) public participation process and prioritised based on community needs and available resources.

TENDER 46/2025 - UPGRADING & REFURBISHMENT OF WATER TREATMENT WORKS



Project Status: Construction
Contractor: INENZO WATER (PTY) LTD
Tender Value: R 49 088 971.92
Location: McGregor
Commencement Date: 2 April 2026
Estimated Completion Date: 4 April 2028

TENDER 18/2025 – UPGRADE OF PARKS



Project Status: Excavation has commenced.
Contractor: Teamwork RL
Tender Value: R 289 329.86
Location: Langeberg Area
Commencement Date: 05 February 2026
Estimated Completion Date: 30 June 2026

TENDER 44/2025 - UPGRADING OF HARD SURFACES, ROBERTSON AND MONTAGU TRANSFER STATIONS



Project Status: Tender awarded and site handed over.
Contractor: NEYCON GROUP (PTY) LTD
Tender Value: R 1 441 069.03
Location: Robertson/Montagu
Commencement date: 10 March 2026
Expected completion date: 12 June 2026

TENDER 20/2024 - REPLACE 33KV TRANSFORMER



Project Status: Installation progressing ahead of programme
Contractor: ADENCO CONSTRUCTION
Tender Value: R 8 625 000.00
Location: Robertson
Commencement date: April 2026
Expected completion date: 30 June 2026



SECTION OF AGEING SEWER INFRASTRUCTURE REPAIRED AT VOORTREKKER ROAD, ROBERTSON

Langeberg Municipality is pleased to inform the community that the emergency sewer pipeline repair project on Voortrekker Road in Robertson has been successfully completed one week ahead of schedule, amidst having to carefully negotiate and manage the continuous flow of abnormal load vehicles enroute from Saldanha Bay to Swellendam windfarm utilizing Voortrekker Road, with the road fully reopened to traffic on 10 April 2026.

This achievement follows a series of infrastructure failures along this main access route and reflects the Municipality's continued commitment to restoring essential services efficiently and safely.

The need for this project dates back to 17 July 2025, when a sinkhole formed at the intersection of Voortrekker Road and Reitz Street in Robertson due to the collapse of an aging underground sewer pipeline.

Investigations confirmed that long-term exposure to corrosive sewer gases had weakened the concrete pipe, eventually causing it to fail. This allowed surrounding material to be drawn into the system, forming an underground void that led to the sudden collapse of the road surface.

Emergency repairs were undertaken and completed within 20 days, restoring the road and replacing the damaged section of pipeline.



SECTION OF AGEING SEWER INFRASTRUCTURE REPAIRED AT VOORTREKKER ROAD, ROBERTSON

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Despite these efforts, further challenges emerged when another pipeline failure occurred in December 2025, highlighting the vulnerability of the remaining infrastructure. Temporary measures were introduced in February 2026 to stabilise operations while a contractor was appointed. These included the installation of a flow-over pipe to maintain sewer functionality and reduce the need for continuous pumping.

Full emergency repair work commenced in March 2026 and has now been completed ahead of schedule. The project involved replacing the failed pipeline section with more durable materials and reconstructing the road to the required standards, ensuring improved reliability and safety for road users.

The Municipality has invested significantly in addressing these failures. The first emergency repair project in July 2025 amounted to R 2,911,229, while the second emergency project undertaken in March 2026 totalled R 3,744,705.

Although the road has been reopened, additional work is still required further upstream to prevent excess material from entering the system, which could cause blockages and lead to future failures. The additional work is estimated at R 723,038.21 and work will commence in May 2026.

The Municipality recognises that during the project the traffic adjustments with lane closures, together with the movement of abnormal load wind turbine components along the same route, created challenges for residents, businesses and road users.

We sincerely thank the community for your patience, understanding and cooperation during this time, which contributed greatly to the successful completion of the project ahead of schedule. Langeberg Municipality remains committed to maintaining and upgrading critical infrastructure to ensure reliable service delivery and to reduce the risk of future disruptions.





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Launched in 2024, the event has quickly established itself as a highlight on the rural events calendar. During its inaugural year, the Expo welcomed 3 500 visitors and 68 stalls, including outdoor exhibitors. In 2025, the event grew significantly, attracting just over **5 000 guests** and **130 stalls** and outdoor exhibits.

For 2026, the organisers are refining the concept to further enhance the visitor experience. Plans include **free onsite parking**, **additional seating areas**, a **refreshed entertainment programme** and **improved, safer child-minding** and children's entertainment facilities, ensuring that families can comfortably enjoy the event while exploring everything the Expo has to offer.

The Winelands Autumn Expo is supported through a collaboration between the Cape Winelands District and Breede Valley Municipalities and continues to build on its vision of creating a welcoming platform where local crafters, businesses, producers and entertainers can showcase their talents while celebrating the region's flavours, culture and craftsmanship. The Cape Winelands District Municipality invests almost R3 million in subsidising the event, helping to keep participation costs low for vendors while also supporting the infrastructure, marketing and overall visitor experience.

"The Winelands Autumn Expo is an important platform for local economic development and rural tourism. By investing in this event, the municipality can create an opportunity for small businesses, local producers and entrepreneurs to showcase their products while attracting visitors to the region. In addition, local businesses are appointed as service providers to the expo, not only growing local income, but encouraging pride of involvement and sharing the achievement! We are proud to once again present this experience of flavour, craft and entertainment, we welcome visitors from across the province and beyond to the Cape Winelands," says the Executive Mayor of the Cape Winelands, Ald (Dr) Elna von Schlicht.

Ticket prices are affordable, with **free entry** for children **under 12** and only **R100 for adults**, making it one of the most affordable large-scale events in the country. Alongside top-class entertainment, visitors can enjoy quirky highlights such as a pancake-eating competition, exciting prize giveaways and, while stocks last, a commemorative stemless wine glass.

The Expo offers a true 360° showcase of the Winelands and its produce. From award-winning wines and craft spirits to artisan bakes, bold sauces and broody olives, visitors can also explore a diverse selection of handcrafted goods — including clothing, jewellery, art, camping and braai accessories and much more.

Visitors are encouraged to **follow Winelands Autumn Expo** on social media and visit the website at **AutumnExpo.co.za** for the latest programme updates, announcements and event information. Tickets are already available through Webtickets.

Reflecting on last year's event, Willemien and Ian Craill of Stellenbosch shared their experience: *"What really tied it all together was the incredible vibe — relaxed, friendly and full of warmth. People came together to enjoy the day, connect with each other, and celebrate the season in style. The Autumn Expo truly captured the essence of what a great local event should be. We can't wait for the next one!"*

Media Queries:
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MONTANA HIGH SCHOOL SPORTS GROUNDS • WORCESTER



TICKETS AVAILABLE AT
web tickets





LANGEBERG MUNICIPALITY RECORDS OVER 33 000 POTHOLE REPAIRS SINCE JULY 2025

The Langeberg Municipality has reported a significant achievement in its ongoing road maintenance programme, with a total of 33 011 potholes repaired across the municipal area between 1 July 2025 and the end of March 2026.

This sustained effort forms part of the municipality's ongoing response to road surface deterioration, which has been worsened by seasonal rainfall and ageing infrastructure.

REPAIRS 1 JULY 2025 - 30 MARCH 2026

- Robertson: 20 752 potholes repaired
- Bonnievale: 5 353 potholes repaired
- Montagu: 3 372 potholes repaired
- Ashton: 3 135 potholes repaired
- McGregor: 399 potholes repaired

Pothole formation typically increases during the rainy season, when water infiltration weakens road surfaces and accelerates deterioration.

Some roads require total resurfacing, but funding constraints continue to delay full road resurfacing and rehabilitation projects.

The municipality has therefore prioritised short-term interventions to keep roads safe and accessible.

These include the use of stabilised temporary repair materials and coordinated cleaning of stormwater channels to reduce further damage caused by surface water runoff.

Pothole repairs are carried out as part of a structured Pothole Repair Programme which prioritises high-traffic routes, reported and logged complaints and safety-related road defects.

The municipality emphasises that while teams work continuously to stay on a schedule, operations remain weather-dependent and are often impacted when resources are diverted to emergency maintenance requirements such as pipe bursts or stormwater failures.

REPORT ROAD DEFECTS

Residents are encouraged to report potholes, uneven road surfaces, damaged pavements, and road signage issues.

Reports can be submitted via:

- 24/7 Call Centre: 0860 88 1111
- WhatsApp: 065 211 7822
- Email: info@langeberg.gov.za

All reported issues are logged into the repair programme and addressed according to priority and available resources.

POTHOLE REPAIR PROGRAMME

OCTOBER PROGRESS REPORT

3,136

TOTAL POTHoles REPAIRED

Langeberg Municipality urges the community to log complaints about potholes, uneven road surfaces, damaged pavements, and road signage to the 24/7 customer call centre.

- Call 0860 88 1111
- WhatsApp 065 211 7822
- E-mail info@langeberg.gov.za

Roads with high volume of traffic are prioritised.

All potholes reported will receive attention according to the programme that is updated monthly.

The Civil works team does their best to stay on schedule, but it is subject to weather and other urgent matters requiring the team's attention such as pipe bursts, stormwater issues and equipment breakdowns.



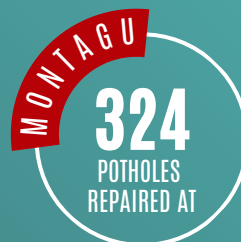
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60 - Mafoya
48 - Bougard



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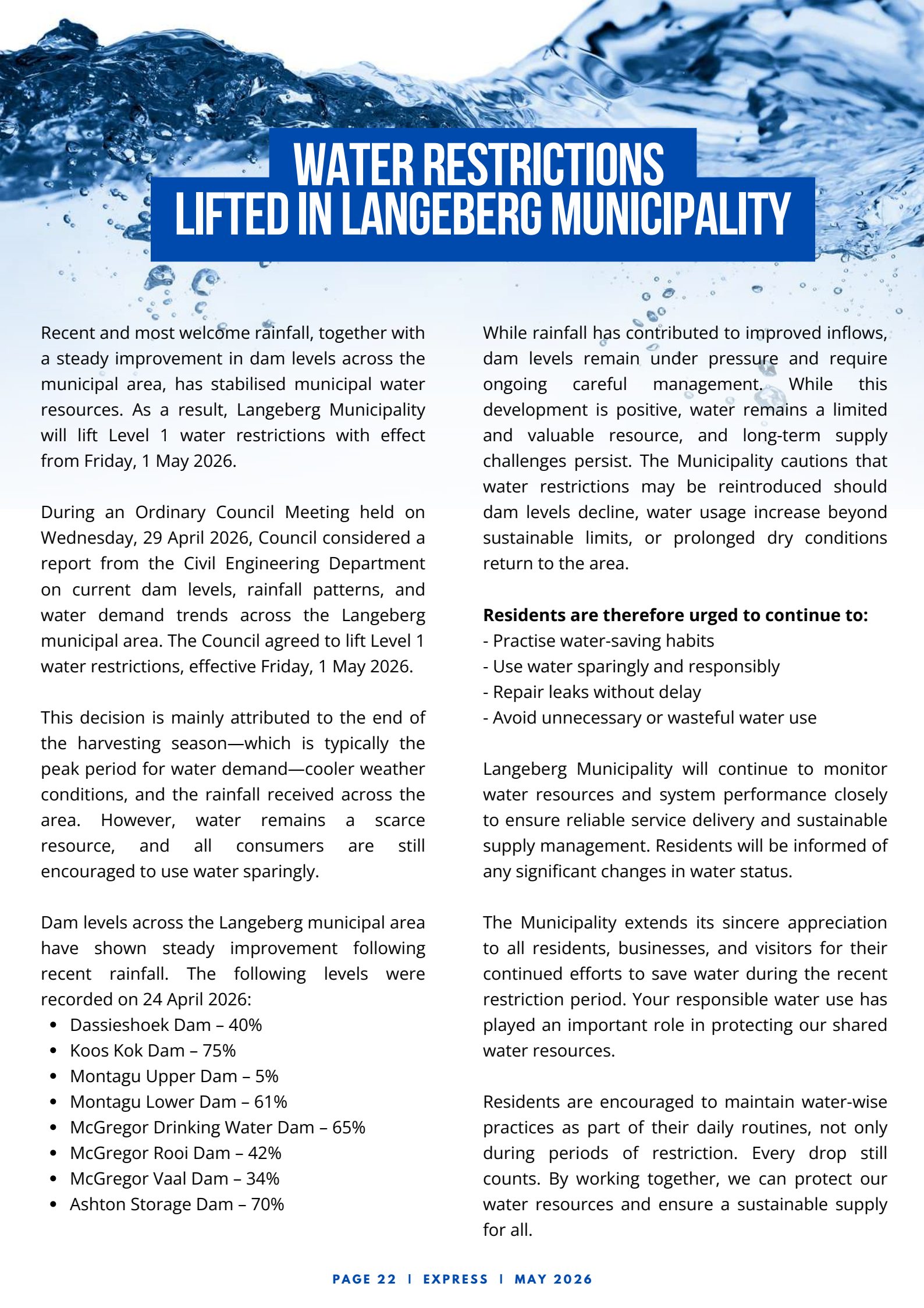
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17 - Castle
11 - Uitvlugt
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16 - Park
22 - Piet Retief
8 - Hospitaal
10 - Doringboom
13 - Palm
18 - Mimosa
7 - Willem Thys
3 - Pekeur
6 - Stevens



240 - Paul Kruger
92 - Erica
75 - Callie de Wet
137 - Barry
96 - Kerk
39 - Denne
285 - Konstitusie
72 - Piet Retief
48 - Van Reenen
84 - Reitz



WATER RESTRICTIONS LIFTED IN LANGEBERG MUNICIPALITY

Recent and most welcome rainfall, together with a steady improvement in dam levels across the municipal area, has stabilised municipal water resources. As a result, Langeberg Municipality will lift Level 1 water restrictions with effect from Friday, 1 May 2026.

During an Ordinary Council Meeting held on Wednesday, 29 April 2026, Council considered a report from the Civil Engineering Department on current dam levels, rainfall patterns, and water demand trends across the Langeberg municipal area. The Council agreed to lift Level 1 water restrictions, effective Friday, 1 May 2026.

This decision is mainly attributed to the end of the harvesting season—which is typically the peak period for water demand—cooler weather conditions, and the rainfall received across the area. However, water remains a scarce resource, and all consumers are still encouraged to use water sparingly.

Dam levels across the Langeberg municipal area have shown steady improvement following recent rainfall. The following levels were recorded on 24 April 2026:

- Dassieshoek Dam – 40%
- Koos Kok Dam – 75%
- Montagu Upper Dam – 5%
- Montagu Lower Dam – 61%
- McGregor Drinking Water Dam – 65%
- McGregor Rooi Dam – 42%
- McGregor Vaal Dam – 34%
- Ashton Storage Dam – 70%

While rainfall has contributed to improved inflows, dam levels remain under pressure and require ongoing careful management. While this development is positive, water remains a limited and valuable resource, and long-term supply challenges persist. The Municipality cautions that water restrictions may be reintroduced should dam levels decline, water usage increase beyond sustainable limits, or prolonged dry conditions return to the area.

Residents are therefore urged to continue to:

- Practise water-saving habits
- Use water sparingly and responsibly
- Repair leaks without delay
- Avoid unnecessary or wasteful water use

Langeberg Municipality will continue to monitor water resources and system performance closely to ensure reliable service delivery and sustainable supply management. Residents will be informed of any significant changes in water status.

The Municipality extends its sincere appreciation to all residents, businesses, and visitors for their continued efforts to save water during the recent restriction period. Your responsible water use has played an important role in protecting our shared water resources.

Residents are encouraged to maintain water-wise practices as part of their daily routines, not only during periods of restriction. Every drop still counts. By working together, we can protect our water resources and ensure a sustainable supply for all.

SERVICE REQUEST REPORT

APRIL 2026

NUMBER OF SERVICE
REQUESTS RECEIVED
BY THE CALL CENTRE

1922



613 (PHONE CALL)



1148 (WHATSAPP)



119 (IN PERSON)



32 (E-MAIL)



(2-WAY RADIO)



9 (APP)



(COLLAB)



1 (SMS)

SERVICE REQUESTS/ COMPLAINTS PER TOWN

ASHTON **424**

BONNIEVALE **335**

McGREGOR **119**

MONTAGU **348**

ROBERTSON **694**

TOP REQUESTS/ COMPLAINTS

92

Civil (Sewerage Blockages)
Ward 2, Robertson

54

Civil (Septic Tanks)
Ward 8, Bonnievale

48

Electrical (Power Failures)
Ward 10, Ashton

42

Civil (Sewerage Blockages)
Ward 4, Bonnievale

38

Civil (Sewerage Blockages)
Ward 9, Ashton

34

Civil (Septic Tanks)
Ward 5, McGregor

33

Civil (Waterpipe Leaks)
Ward 9, Ashton

33

Electrical (Power Failures)
Ward 12, Montagu

33

Civil (Sewerage Blockages)
Ward 3, Robertson

31

Electrical (Power Failures)
Ward 4, Bonnievale

HOW TO REPORT A COMPLAINT?

- Call: 0860 88 1111 / 023 615 2219
- WhatsApp: 065 211 7822
- E-mail: complaints@langeberg.gov.za

HOE MOET EK 'N KLAGTE AANMELD?

- Skakel: 0860 88 1111 / 023 615 2219
- WhatsApp: 065 211 7822
- E-pos: complaints@langeberg.gov.za

INDLELA YOKUXELA ISIKHALAZO?

- Tsalela: 0860 88 1111 / 023 615 2219
- WhatsApp: 065 211 7822
- I-imeyile: complaints@langeberg.gov.za

LANEBERG'S HOLIDAY PROGRAMME EMPOWERS YOUTH

Langeberg Municipality, in collaboration with the Department of Social Development, hosted a holiday programme from 31 March to 1 April 2026 in the Le Chasseur farming area. The programme targeted children and youth aged 10 years and older.

The initiative focused on equipping young participants with essential life skills, while also raising awareness around emergency preparedness, basic first aid, and key health and social challenges, including substance abuse.

Structured sessions covered practical life skills such as effective communication, problem-solving, self-awareness, conflict resolution and goal setting. A strong emphasis was placed on substance abuse awareness, highlighting the risks associated with alcohol and drug use and encouraging informed, responsible decision-making.

Participants were also introduced to basic emergency procedures, including identifying emergency situations, knowing key contact numbers, and responding to common injuries.

"This programme plays an important role in equipping young people with the knowledge and skills they need to make informed decisions and navigate everyday challenges. By investing in our youth, we are contributing to stronger, safer communities," said Ms Inge Cook, Manager: Local Economic Development and Rural Development.

The programme provided a safe and supportive environment for youth engagement, contributing to increased awareness and personal development among participants.

For future programmes or support, contact:

Ms Arzalia Wantza at 023 626 8234 or awantza@langeberg.gov.za

LANEBERG NPO ROADSHOW SUPPORTS LOCAL ORGANISATIONS

Langeberg Municipality, in collaboration with the Department of Social Development (DSD), hosted an NPO Roadshow from 2 to 6 March 2026 in Ashton, McGregor, Montagu, Bonnievale and Robertson to assist organisations with compliance and registration.

The roadshow provided hands-on support to 50 NPOs, guiding them through the Department's online system, which now requires organisations to register and upload their own reports and financial statements.

Officials assisted organisations with registrations, profile updates and compliance-related queries, while also addressing common challenges such as limited access to digital resources and understanding documentation requirements.

"Supporting our local NPOs is essential to strengthening community development. This roadshow ensured that organisations are better equipped to meet compliance requirements and continue their important work within our communities," said Ms Inge Cook, Manager: Local Economic Development and Rural Development.

NPO compliance is important as it ensures organisations remain legally compliant, credible and eligible for funding. It supports good governance, aligns organisations with the Non-profit Organisations Act, and enables access to benefits through the South African Revenue Service (SARS). Compliance ultimately strengthens an organisation's ability to serve its beneficiaries effectively.

Langeberg Municipality remains committed to supporting local organisations to ensure compliance and strengthen service delivery within communities.

Missed the roadshow?

Organisations that could not attend can contact the following officials for assistance or information:

- Ms Arzalia Wantza (Langeberg Municipality) – 023 626 8234 or awantza@langeberg.gov.za
- Ms Kaylene Booth (DSD) – 023 348 5300 or Kaylene.Booth@westerncape.gov.za



MORE THAN BOOKS: A STORY OF GROWTH

It is a privilege to put into words my appreciation for Ashton Library. And yet, I know this page will never be enough to fully hold the experience I have lived since my very first visit. My name is Shaun Kees. I was born and raised in Ashton. From a young age, I was drawn to books and art, though at the time they felt distant. My family would speak about the library, about the books they borrowed, and moments spent inside. To me, it was a mystery. One I deeply longed to uncover.

Then one day, my mother took me to the library. Walking in for the first time, I was fascinated. Shelves upon shelves of books, worlds waiting to be opened.

That day, an 8-year-old child found a place he had longed for. Ashton Library, a space nestled at the heart of Ashton. Like many others, my story is not perfect. I struggled academically in primary school, often unsure of myself and my abilities.

At that time, I visited the library, but it was not until high school that something truly shifted. That was when I began borrowing books and attending the library often. I became immersed in reading, curious, hungry to explore different stories, different worlds, different ideas. I still remember my first book, *Pleisters vir die dooies*.

From there, I kept reading. More books, more questions, more growth. I would travel the distance just to sit in that space, to do my homework, to be surrounded by something that made me feel like I belonged. I found myself spending more time at the library, getting to know the staff along the way.

Slowly but surely, things began to change. My academic performance improved. My confidence grew. Reading did more than just give me knowledge; it gave me a voice. It helped me understand, express, question, and think. What once felt impossible became achievable.

I learned that books are more than pages; they are tools for transformation. And spaces like this, spaces that nurture growth and curiosity, are essential for shaping who we become. Ashton Library has become a place of comfort for me. A place where you can come as you are, whether to read, to study, or simply to breathe.



When you step inside, you are met by people who go beyond their roles. People who care deeply. People who serve with passion and heart. People like Aunt Joan, Elisma, and Aunt Aletta, names that carry warmth, kindness, and dedication. They give more than what is expected. They give themselves.

Today, I stand in a position I once only dreamed of. I now have the privilege of working at the library as a Yeboneer intern. It is more than just a role. I have become part of the very space that shaped me. Part of the kind of people I once looked up to. And for that, I am deeply grateful.

This library has taught me something I will carry with me always: a community is only as strong as the resources it shares, and here, everyone, regardless of their story, has a seat at the table.

Everyone is welcome!

MORE INSPIRATIONAL LIBRARY IMPACT STORIES



A young library member has been an active member of the library since 2024. She regularly partakes in library activities and says her favourite part about coming to the library regularly is the cleanliness, quietness, helpful library assistant, and never-ending supply of her favourite genre of books. She is an avid reader of the "Diary of a Wimpy Kid" series by Renee Russell. She has read every single one available and has now switched to a new author whose writing she also enjoys.

She hopes to one day become a teacher so that she can apply her same love for reading to her learners. She has already inspired her friends to also join the library, and now they visit the library as a group to take out books or just sit and read quietly in the reading corner.



This young library member joined the library in the beginning of 2023 and regularly makes use of the space during school breaks, as it is the quietest place in the school, she says.

She expresses that she favours Barbie and Disney animation books but also takes out other books from time to time. She has never had a fine, and her books are always returned neatly and in good condition.

She aspires to become a doctor and recognises reading as an important part of studying. This motivates her to visit the library regularly.

YOUR STORY STARTS HERE

Langeberg Municipality manages 11 libraries and 5 dual-purpose libraries within the five towns.

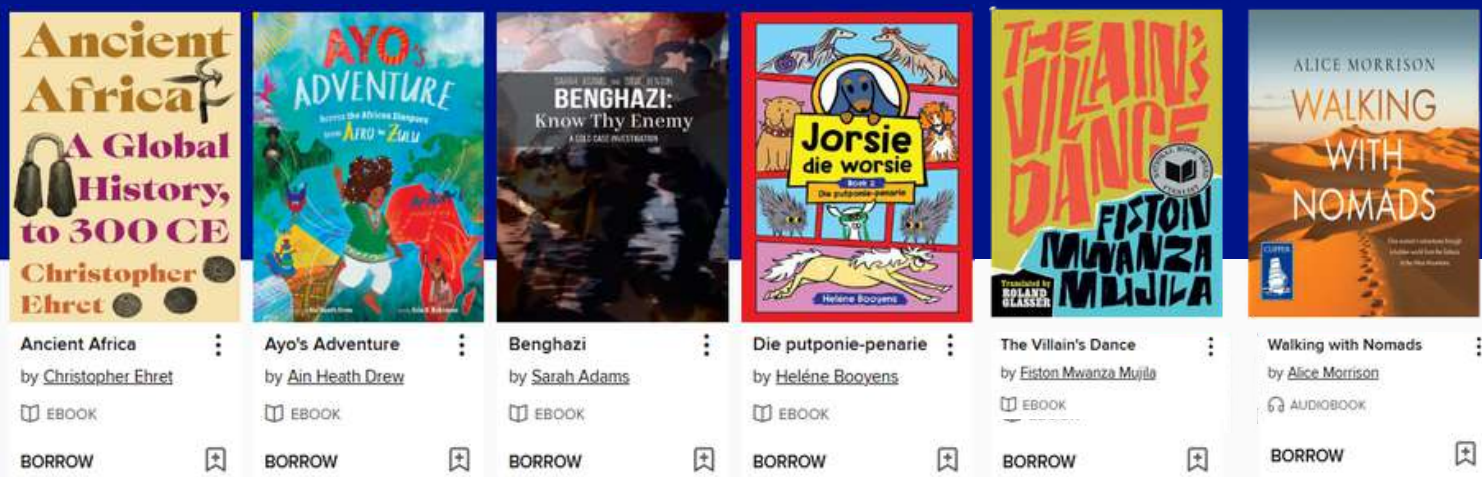
If you are a resident within the municipal area, library membership is free and gives you access to borrow books, DVDs, magazines, and CDs, as well as use computers and Wi-Fi. You are also welcome to make use of study spaces and educational support such as school project assistance and

holiday programmes for children, along with services like photocopying, inter-library loans, and specialised support for visually impaired users.

We invite you to complete an application form with a copy of your ID (or birth certificate for children), proof of address (not older than 3 months), and two local references.

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WATER RESULTS - APRIL 2026

TREATED WATER	REQUIREMENT MEASUREMENT BLUE DROP STANDARDS	ASHTON	BONNIEVALE	MCGREGOR	MONTAGU	ROBERTSON
Inflow ML		120		14	60	130
pH (at 25°C)	≥5.00 - ≤9.70	6.97	7.75	6.39	7.11	6.89
Conductivity (at 25°C)	≤170	55	163	10.7	65.3	20.7
Turbidity (NTU)	≤1.0 Operational ≤5.0 -Aeshetic	0.72	1.52	0.98	1.09	0.55
Colour (mg/L as Pt)	≤15	<10	<10	<10	<10	<10
Aluminium (µg/L as Al)	≤300	<10	13.2	36.6	13.2	33.3
Iron (µg/L as Fe)	≤300 Aesthetic ≤2000 Chronic Health	<20	<20	<20	<20	<20
Free Chlorine (mg/L)	>0.0 - ≤5	1.81	0.58	1.62	1.31	0.57
E.Coli (cnt/100ml)	Not Detected	0	0	0	0	0
Total Coliform Bacteria	≤10	0	0	0	0	0

CLICK HERE FOR MORE
WATER RESULTS



LANGEBERG MUNICIPAL DAM LEVELS: 07 MAY 2026

Recent rainfall and improved dam levels across the Langeberg municipal area have stabilised water resources, allowing Level 1 water restrictions to be lifted from 1 May 2026. Although conditions have improved, residents are encouraged to continue using water responsibly, as water remains a limited and valuable resource.

ROBERTSON

54%

DASSIESHOEKDAM

80%

KOOSKOKDAM

MONTAGU

6%

BO-DAM

62%

ONDER-DAM

MCGREGOR

34%

VAALDAM

40%

ROOIDAM

70%

DRINKWATERDAM

ASHTON

80%

STOORDAM

ALL TOWNS

33.58%

45.1% Last year

BRANDVLEI DAM

**PLEASE REPORT
WATER MISUSE
AND LEAKS AT
0860 88 11 11**

HOW TO SAVE WATER AT HOME

TURN OFF TAPS

While washing, brushing, shaving...

TAKE SHORTER SHOWERS

instead of a bath. Close the tap, soap up, then turn water back on to rinse.

FIX

Leaking taps, pipes and toilets.

SAVE A FLUSH

and install a water-saving toilet flush system.

**WASH ONLY FULL
LOADS OF CLOTHES
AND DISHES.**

USE GREY WATER

Re-use water from baths, showers and laundry to: flush toilet, wash car, clean floor and water the garden.



MUNICIPAL NOTICES

UPDATE ON MONTAGU SEWER PUMP STATION FAILURES AND INFRASTRUCTURE CHALLENGES

The Municipality wishes to clarify the recent issues concerning sewer pump station failures and pipeline breakages in Montagu. The main reason for these incidents has been identified as ageing infrastructure, particularly at Sewer Pump Station 1 and the rising main pipeline that carries wastewater to the Wastewater Treatment Works.

Read more...

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IRRIGATION WATER 2026/2027: ROBERTSON AND MCGREGOR

The supply of irrigation water in Robertson and McGregor will be revised with effect from 1 July 2026. Should you wish to make any changes to your current irrigation water supply, please complete the attached form and return it to us on or before 31 May 2026.

If no application is received by this date, it will be assumed that the existing irrigation water supply to your erf will remain unchanged.

Please note that the supply of irrigation water will be terminated from 1 July 2026 for consumers who are in arrears on their municipal accounts as at 31 May 2026.

A fee of R4,353.00 (VAT inclusive) is payable for new applications. (Two frames and one sluice will be provided by the municipality.)

An amount of R893.00 (VAT inclusive) will be charged to users upon notice of cancellation. This fee will be used to close off irrigation inlets to the property.

A flow rate of approximately 11.5 litres per second is anticipated for irrigation water supply.

CLICK HERE 

MK NOTICES

- MK 15 2026: PROPOSED CONSENT USE AND SUBDIVISION : PTN 186 OF FARM ZANDVLIEET NO.117, ROBERTSON RD
- MK NOTICE 12/2026: PROPOSED REZONING, SUBDIVISION AND SERVITUDES: ERF 7562 (PTN OF ERF 3), ROBERTSON

CLICK HERE 

CLICK HERE FOR MORE NOTICES AND MUNICIPAL INFORMATION

WARD COMMITTEE COMMUNITY MEETINGS: YOUR VOICE IN LOCAL GOVERNANCE

All residents are encouraged to attend the scheduled ward committee meetings and make use of the available communication channels to ensure their voices are heard and their communities continue to grow and improve.

Ward committees play an important role in strengthening communication between the community and the municipality.

A ward committee is made up of local residents who work with the Ward Councillor to identify community needs, raise concerns, and contribute to solutions that improve service delivery and development in the ward.

Ward committee community meetings provide residents with an opportunity to receive feedback, raise issues affecting their area, and share ideas and suggestions directly with their elected representatives.

Your attendance and participation are important, as community input helps guide municipal planning, prioritisation of projects, and decision-making processes.

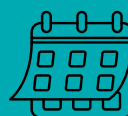
UNABLE TO ATTEND THE NEXT COMMUNITY MEETING?

Submit your enquiries, concerns, or inputs through the following official municipal platforms:

- WhatsApp: 065 211 7822
- Email: info@langeberg.gov.za
- Website: Submit a "Contact Us" form at www.langeberg.gov.za/contact-us
- SMS: Reply to any "LANGEBERG MN/MK" SMS at R1.50 per SMS
- **Social Media:** Message Langeberg Municipality on Facebook, X, or Instagram
- **Written Letter:** Addressed to the Municipal Manager and handed in at the reception desk of your nearest Langeberg Municipal office
- **Postal Address:** Municipal Manager, Private Bag X2, Ashton, 6715
- **In Person:** Visit your nearest municipal office for assistance, where staff can help transcribe your verbal inputs into writing



Who is my elected
Ward Committee Member
or Ward Councillor?



View the meeting calendar
and save the dates.



KEEP YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION UP TO DATE

Langeberg Municipality kindly requests all account holders to ensure that their contact details are accurate and up to date. Current information enables us to provide you with timely delivery of municipal accounts, notices, and other important communications.



Due to ongoing postal delays with the South African Post Office (SAPO), we recommend that you receive your monthly municipal account via Email or WhatsApp. To register, please provide:

- ✓ **THE ACCOUNT HOLDER'S NAME AND SURNAME**
- ✓ **ACCOUNT NUMBER**
- ✓ **ADDRESS**
- ✓ **A VALID EMAIL ADDRESS (ONE EMAIL ADDRESS PER MUNICIPAL ACCOUNT NUMBER)**
- ✓ **A CELLPHONE NUMBER THAT HAS ACCESS TO WHATSAPP**



CONTACT

Should your telephone number, email address, or postal address change, please notify us as soon as possible at info@langeberg.gov.za

By keeping your records current, you help us serve you more efficiently and ensure that you never miss important updates.

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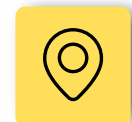
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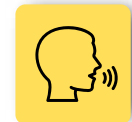
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Attend Public Participation Sessions

Attend quarterly Ward Committee meetings and annual IDP and Budget meetings. Contact us to confirm the next community meeting in your Ward.



Speak to your representatives

Speak to your Community Liaison Worker, Ward Committee Representative, or Ward Councillor.

**FORMALLY
SUBMIT YOUR
INPUTS VIA:**

- WhatsApp: 065 211 7822
- Email: info@langeberg.gov.za
- Submit a website contact us form: langeberg.gov.za/contact-us
- Reply to any 'LANGEBERG MN/MK' SMS at R1.50 per SMS.
- Message us on social media: Facebook, X or Instagram
- Hand in a letter addressed to the Municipal Manager at the reception desk of your nearest Langeberg Municipal office.
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LANGEBERG MUNICIPALITY 24/7 CALL CENTRE
0860 88 111

 **WHATSAPP: 065 211 7822**

LANGEBERG'S DEDICATED FIRE LINE:
023 615 8911

LANGEBERG POLICE STATIONS

- ASHTON - 023 615 8120/8121
- BONNIEVALE - 023 616 8060/8062
- MCGREGOR - 023 625 8000/8002
- MONTAGU - 023 614 8300/ 8304
- ROBERTSON - 023 626 8340/ 8346

NATIONAL EMERGENCY NUMBERS

- POLICE - 112
- AMBULANCE - 10177
- EMERGENCY NUMBER (CELLULAR) - 112



**VELD, CHEMICAL AND
MOUNTAIN FIRES
CAPE WINELANDS DISTRICT
MUNICIPALITY CALL CENTRE:**
021 887 4446



BUREAU OF MISSING PERSONS
021 918 3512 / 3449 / 3452



MOUNTAIN RESCUE
021 948 9900



**POISONS INFORMATION
HELPLINE OF THE W-CAPE**
0861 555 777



**HEALTH FACILITIES IN THE
LANGEBERG MUNICIPAL AREA**

HOSPITALS

- ROBERTSON HOSPITAL - 023 626 8500
- MONTAGU HOSPITAL - 023 614 8100

CLINICS

- BERGSIG, ROBERTSON - 023 626 1035
- NKQUBELA, ROBERTSON - 023 626 6613
- MCGREGOR - 023 625 1932
- MONTAGU CLINIC - 023 614 8200
- COGMANSKLOOF, ASHTON - 023 615 2252
- ZOLANI, ASHTON - 023 814 2704/ 2709
- HAPPY VALLEY, BONNIEVALE - 023 616 3239

DENTAL CLINIC

ROBERTSON - 023 626 1602

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