



PUBLIC NOTICE

ETHEKWINI CALLS FOR COMMUNITY ORGANISATIONS TO APPLY FOR GRANT-IN-AID

eThekweni Municipality invites all arts, culture, and heritage NGOs, NPOs and NPC organisations within the Municipal area to apply for Grant-In-Aid funding 2021/2022 financial year.

The GIA is geared to alleviate financial strain from organisations doing remarkable work in achieving the strategic goals of eThekweni Municipality, aligned with the Integrated Development Plan.

The aim is to create economic opportunities for initiated projects that contribute positively towards the development and promotion of art, culture, and heritage especially in rural and township areas of eThekweni.

ADJUDICATION PROCESS

The application cycle consists of three phases detailed as follows:

- **Phase 1 - Written Application:** The first phase is judged by the strength of the written application. Only those with credible and compelling applications will progress to the next phase.
- **Phase 2 - Presentation to Department:** Those with successful applications will be notified and invited to pitch to the department. A mandatory site visit will form a key part of the second phase. Where necessary, the department will visit each site of applicants that make it to this phase.
- **Phase 3 - Compliance:** Upon a successful pitch, the finalists will be required to submit compliance documentation within 14 working days of notification with a detailed budget. Should the successful applicant fail to present the required compliance documents within the stated period, their application will be disqualified.

Applications are accepted with the express assumption that the organisation is compliant with eThekweni Municipality Supply Chain Management requirements.

CONDITIONS FOR APPLICATIONS

- Application forms and guiding documents are accessible on the Municipal website in the link: <https://bit.ly/2Y6a420> or can be obtained on request via email from Themba.Mchunu@durban.gov.za
- Interested organisations should complete their applications electronically. No handwritten applications will be accepted.
- Applicants are advised not to change the format and font.

Completed application forms should be emailed to Themba.Mchunu@durban.gov.za before the closing date of 29 October 2021. No late submissions will be accepted after the closing date. For more information call 031 322 7789/90/91.

