



SOL PLAATJE LOCAL MUNICIPALITY

UNEMPLOYED GRADUATE TRAINING PROGRAMME FOR THE FOLLOWING DISCIPLINE:

VACANCY: GIS TECHNICIANS / TECHNOLOGIST (2 VACANCIES)

3-YEAR MENTORSHIP CONTRACT

Applications are hereby invited for the above-mentioned discipline at Sol Plaatje Local Municipality in the Frances Baard District Area.

Sol Plaatje Local Municipality will provide the successful graduate with experiential training that will result in the development of technical knowledge. The focus is on training to become registered professionals with the required professional body. The intern will be trained by Sol Plaatje Local Municipality for the duration of the contract. Candidates may apply for vacant posts as qualified professionals on completion of the training.

Interns will receive the following fixed stipends with no additional benefits: **R216 000 – R252 000/a**

Minimum Qualifications for Candidate GISc applicants

- Unemployed
- Only GISc academic qualifications accredited by SAGC will be accepted
- Persons registered under GISc candidate category for Geomatics Technician or Technologist
 - Diploma in Geomatics (GISc) – CPUT; or
 - Bachelor of Geomatics (GISc) CPUT; or
 - Diploma in GIS & Technology (Esri College); or
 - BSc Geoinformatics (UP); or
 - BSc Geospatial Science (Wits).

Other requirements: • Code 08/EB Driver's license will be an added advantage • Ability to work under pressure.

Key Skills and Knowledge: We are looking for a results-driven person, a team player who is customer focused • Has knowledge of geomatics principles and has an ability to apply this knowledge • An ability to communicate (in writing and verbally) well at all levels • A positive attitude • An ability to plan and organise workloads effectively to enhance performance • Willingness to work irregular hours • Computer Literate in MS Office.

Key Responsibilities: During the training, GIS Interns will be expected to successfully demonstrate all proficiencies as determined by the respective professional body for the graduate development programme in the respective discipline.

Preference will be given to applicants who permanently reside in the Frances Baard District Area. The programme is restricted to South African citizens only. Appointment will also be made in the context of Employment Equity Act. The programme is strictly for unemployed graduates.

NB! Successful candidates will first have to be cleared for professionalisation by their respective professional body, before being informed of their acceptance on the programme.

TELEPHONE ENQUIRIES: NABEELAH GOOL, (053) 830 6281, between 08:00 – 16:00 (Monday to Friday).

Your application must be completed on an official Sol Plaatje Local Municipality application form and will not be considered if not submitted. Application forms are available on the municipal website (www.solplaatje.org.za). Interested persons are requested to submit a Sol Plaatje application form, together with their CV's and certified copies of qualifications and proof of residence to cmashobao@solplaatje.org.za or drop off in the application box between 08:00 and 16:00 on the 3rd Floor, New Civic Building for Attention: Mrs van Zyl. These requirements must be met and failure to do so will result in the applicant's immediate disqualification.

No CV's and certified copies of qualifications will be returned on the applicant's request. **Late applications will not be accepted.**

If you do not receive a reply within four (4) weeks of the closing date, please consider your application unsuccessful.

Notwithstanding any representations to the contrary, no employment contract will come into effect until a written offer has been made by the municipality to, and accepted by, the applicant.

THE SOL PLAATJE LOCAL MUNICIPALITY RESERVES THE RIGHT NOT TO MAKE AN APPOINTMENT.

CLOSING DATE: 4 September 2026 @ 16:00.