

PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENT

The MEC for Culture, Sport & Recreation, Ms. L Mabuza, hereby invite members of the public, NGO's, CBO's, government departments, business organizations, parastatals and any other interested party, in terms of the South African Geographical Names Council Act 118 of 1998, to submit nominations of individuals or representatives for consideration when appointing the Mpumalanga Provincial Geographical Names Committee (MPGNC).

The MPGNC is established as an advisory body to the MEC on matters relating to the standardization of geographic names in the province of Mpumalanga.

The following are some of its key functions:-

- To facilitate the transformation process of geographic names
- To ensure the standardization of geographic names in line with the guidelines set by the SAGNC and in consideration of the United Nations resolutions on the practice
- To promote the use of standardized geographic names
- Educate the beneficiary public about the economic benefits of using the standardized names
- To ensure the implementation of standardized geographic names in the province
- To promote awareness of the economic and social benefits of the standardization of geographic names

Nomination Criteria

- The nominated individual should be a resident of Mpumalanga
- The individual should take interest in matters relating to the standardization of geographic names
- The MEC will, when considering appointments to the Committee, take into account special competence, representivity, experience and interest in the relevant fields, linguistic, cultural and demographic characteristics of the population of the Republic in general and the province in particular.

Term of Office

A member of the Committee will be appointed to serve for a period of three years.

Where to send your nomination?

Nominations should be sent to the following address:-

1. Postal Address

The Manager
Geographic Names Section
Department of Culture, Sport & Recreation
P.O. Box 1243
Mbombela
1200

2. Physical Address

Riverside Government Complex
2nd Floor, Ikhamanga Building
7 Government Boulevard
Riverside Park Extension 2
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