



**NOTICE**

**14 July 2020**

**SECOND POSITIVE COVID-19 CASE AT LEPHALALE LOCAL MUNICIPALITY**

A second staff member at Lephalale Local Municipality has tested positive for Covid-19 on 14 July 2020. This follows another case which was reported last week on the 09 July 2020. The Municipality has since taken precautionary measures to ensure safety of all employees and the public by temporarily closing the offices from the 10<sup>th</sup> July 2020 and reopened on Monday, 13<sup>th</sup> July 2020.

The infected staff member has not been to the Municipal premises since last week 08 July 2020 and he is currently in self-isolation and the Municipality is following all the necessary precautionary measures as outlined by the National Department of Health.

There will be no need to disinfect the Municipal premises as the process was done over the weekend however all other necessary protocols will be followed.

Employees and members of the public are urged to observe the health and hygiene protocols and adhere to all the regulations of Covid-19 in order to curb the spread of the virus.

The Municipality wishes the affected staff member a speedy recovery and discourages the stigmatisation of people who are infected as this virus is a global challenge.

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