

QUOTATION - BIODIVERSITY PLAN

Introduction: Bergrivier Municipality is a member of LAB. The municipality developed as part of the membership agreement a Biodiversity Assessment Report during 2010.

There are various outstanding actions in terms of the agreement.

Quotations are therefore invited from individuals and organizations to do the following:

Considering the Bergrivier Biodiversity Report 2010, to complete a Local Biodiversity Strategy and Action Plan (LBSAP) by 30 April 2011, taking due cognisance of the guidelines provided by the LAB Programme Team and including only Bergrivier municipal functions and responsibilities in the action plans. The LAB team has to approve the final LBSAP. As The Council must also formally approve the LBSAP, the draft plan must be workshopped at least twice with the Council and the Bergrivier administrative management team. Roleplayers in the region, including the following should be consulted: Berg River Estuary Management Forum; Cape Nature; West Coast District Municipality; Greater Cederberg biodiversity Corridor; Velddrif Bergrivier Conservation Association; Working for Wetlands; Working on Fire; The Bergrivier Municipality Director Technical Services, Director Administrative Services, the Strategic Manager; Provincial Department Environmental Affairs and Development Planning; the Department of Water Affairs and Forestry; the Department of Agriculture.

The LBSAP must include five biodiversity initiatives which could be completed by 2011/12 and can be used within the LAB framework as case studies on global good practice in local government biodiversity conservation. The LBSAP should include a three year action plan with target dates, a description of each action, the property description with erf number and GPS coordinates, a map of the property where applicable, who will be responsible with the estimated cost of each action, a potential funding sources or external donor, as well as a long term plan and initiatives for each year from year 4 to 20. The successful service provider must hand to Bergrivier Municipality five hard copies of the plan, and a printable copy on a disk in MS Word format.

Time and penalties will be agreed on before the final appointment of the consultant.

Council's Preferential Procurement Policy (80/20) is applicable. It is compulsory to complete the standard forms which is obtainable from Marina van Zyl at Tel. (022) 9131126.

Any enquiries can be directed to Christa Liebenberg at Tel. (022) 9131126. E-mail: christaliebenberg@bergmun.org.za.

No late submissions will be accepted. Quotations can be mailed to P.O.Box 60, Piketberg, 7320 to reach the undersigned before 12:00 on **Friday, 03 December 2010**.

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