

BERGRIVIER MUNISIPALITEIT / MUNICIPALITY

VISIE:

Bergrivier: 'n
vooruitstrewende
gemeenskap waar almal wil
leef, werk, leer en speel op
'n menswaardige manier.

VISION:

Bergrivier: a prosperous
community where all want to
live, work, learn and play in
a dignified manner.



KERN WAARDES / CORE VALUES

We are all part of Bergrivier
Municipality.
We render good services to ensure
dignified living to all.
We are unashamedly pro-poor.
We believe in close innovative
partnerships.
We believe in social and economic
development of our area.
We care about our work and our
colleagues.
We are disciplined.
We believe in ethical behaviour.
We believe in good relationships.
We serve with pride.

NOTULE VAN DIE RAADSVERGADERING GEHOU OP MAANDAG 29 JUNIE 2026 OM 14:00 VANAF PIKETBERG

TEENWOORDIG:

RAADSLEDE

Rdh. R Swarts	[DA]	:	Speaker
Rdh. RM van Rooy	[DA]	:	Uitvoerende Burgemeester
Rdh. MA Wessels	[DA]	:	Uitvoerende Onderburgemeester
Rdh. J Daniels	[DA]		
Rdh. A de Vries	[DA]		
Rdh. AJ du Plooy	[DA]		
Rdl. JJ Moolman	[DA]		
Rdl. RL Laubscher	[DA]		
Rdd. SS Lesch (Me.)	[ANC]		
Rdl. IS Adams	[ANC]		
Rdl. BU Maarman (Me.)	[ANC]		
Rdh. EB Manuel	[GOOD]		
Rdl. AC Isaacs	[PA]		

AMPTENARE

Adv. H Linde	:	Munisipale Bestuurder
Mnr. JWA Kotzee	:	Direkteur Korporatiewe Dienste
Mnr. PW Erasmus	:	Direkteur Finansiële Dienste
Mnr. PC van Niekerk	:	Direkteur Tegniese Dienste
Mnr. DA Josephus	:	Direkteur Gemeenskapsdienste
Me. W Prins	:	Bestuurder: Strategiese Dienste
Mnr. M Mseleni	:	Hoof: Interne Oudit
Mev. AC Beukes	:	Komitee Beampte



NOTULE VAN DIE RAADSVERGADERING GEHOU OP
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AKSIE

RVN013/06/2026
OPENING EN VERWELKOMING

The Speaker welcomed everyone present at the meeting, whereafter Alderman Du Plooy opened the meeting with a prayer.

A special word of welcome was extended to the members of the public tuned in to the YouTube platform, as well as the members of the public attending the proceedings.

The Speaker arranged for the meeting to be conducted in both English and Afrikaans to accommodate requests received from members of the public that the meeting be held in both languages.

The Speaker explained that the Council meeting was rescheduled to Monday 29 June 2026 in anticipation of the March-to-March event scheduled to take place on Tuesday 30 June 2026 and thanked everyone for accommodating the change at short notice.

The members of the public present in the Council Chambers were requested to remove their political regalia.

RVN014/06/2026
AANSOEKE OM VERLOF TOT AFWESIGHEID
3/3/1/4

None

(The Municipal Manager and the Director: Corporate Services requested permission to be excused from the meeting early to attend other meetings.)

RVN015/06/2026
VERKLARING VAN BELANGE INGEVOLGE SKEDULES 7 & 2 (GEDRAGSKODE VIR RAADSLEDE EN AMPTENARE)
3/3/1/6

The Councillors and officials declared individually that they have no personal interests in respect of the items on the agenda.

The Municipal Manager declared a personal interest in respect of
RVA038/06/2026.

RVN016/06/2026
BEKRAGTIGING VAN DIE NOTULE VAN DIE VORIGE VERGADERING: DINSDAG 26 MEI 2026
3/3/2/2

The Speaker introduced the item.

RESOLVED

That the Minutes of the previous meeting held on Tuesday 26 May 2026 be approved.

(RC GERBER)
COMMITTEE OFFICER



**NOTULE VAN DIE RAADSVERGADERING GEHOU OP
MAANDAG 29 JUNIE 2026 VANAF PIKETBERG**

RVN017/06/2026

**IMPLEMENTERINGSVERSLAG VIR RAADSBESLUIT: TERUGVOERING VANAF MUNISIPALE
BESTUURDER EN DIREKSIE RAKENDE DIE RAADSBESLUIT GENEEM TYDENS DIE VORIGE
RAADSVERGADERING: DINSDAG 26 MEI 2026**

3/3/2/2

The Speaker introduced the item.

RESOLVED

That the Implementation Report of the previous meeting held on Tuesday 26 May 2026 be noted.

RVN018/06/2026

SAKE VOORTSPRUITEND UIT VORIGE NOTULE: DINSDAG 26 MEI 2026

3/3/2/2

Die Speaker lei die item in.

RVN022/05/2026

Raadslid Isaacs doen navraag oor die vordering met die Trajektekamp-uitbreidingsprojek, waarop Raadsheer Wessels rapporteer dat die Raad se besluit die administrasie gemagtig het om die aangeleentheid by die Provinsiale Departement van Behuising op te neem. Voorts rapporteer hy dat die projek deur die Provinsie goedgekeur is as 'n behuisingsontwikkeling vir vyf-en-sewentig (75) wooneenhede en dat die Behuisingsafdeling reeds begin het met die voorbereiding en beplanning van die uitbreiding.

KENNIS GENEEM

RVN019/06/2026

**VERKLARINGS / MEDEDELINGS DEUR DIE SPEAKER, UITVOERENDE BURGEMEESTER EN
MUNISIPALE BESTUURDER**

3/3/1/6

Verklarings/mededelings deur die Speaker:

- Dat Raadslid Maarman in Julie verjaar en wens die Speaker haar namens die Raad geluk en seënwenne toe;
- Dat Raadsheer De Vries 'n mediese prosedure ondergaan en wens die Speaker hom namens die Raad sterkte toe;
- Dat Raadsheer Daniels se vader oorlede is en wens die Speaker hom en sy familie namens die Raad sterkte toe in die moeilike tyd;
- Dat Raadsheer De Vries se broer oorlede is en wens die Speaker hom en sy familie namens die Raad sterkte toe in die moeilike tyd; en
- Dat verskeie amptenare en gemeenskapslede geliefdes aan die dood afgestaan het en betuig hy die Raad se meegevoel aan die families van die oorledenes.

'n Oomblik van stilte word gehandhaaf vir die afgestorwenes se families in hierdie moeilike tyd.

- Voorts spreek die Speaker sy waardering uit vir die gees waarin die Raadsvergaderings gedurende die afgelope finansiële jaar gehou is, asook vir die harmonie wat binne die Raad geheers het. Hy beklemtoon die belangrikheid daarvan dat die gemeenskap se belange deurgaans vooropgestel is tydens die neem van raadsbesluite. Hy spreek voorts sy waardering uit teenoor die Uitvoerende Burgemeester vir sy leiding, die

**(RC GERBER)
COMMITTEE OFFICER**



**NOTULE VAN DIE RAADSVERGADERING GEHOU OP
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Portefeulje Voorsitters vir hul bydraes, die Munisipale Bestuurder vir haar leiding as hoof van die administrasie, asook die res van die personeel vir hul ondersteuning en toewyding;

- Verder spreek hy die hoop en vertroue uit dat die komende finansiële jaar 'n voorspoedige en suksesvolle jaar sal wees; en
- Met die oog op die komende verkiesing doen hy 'n beroep op alle betrokkenes om te alle tye respek en agting teenoor mekaar te betoon. Hy spreek die vertroue uit dat die verkiesing wat voorlê op 'n vrye, regverdige en deursigtige wyse sal verloop.

Verklarings/mededelings deur die Uitvoerende Burgemeester:

- Hy spreek sy waardering uit teenoor die Speaker vir sy rol en leiding as voorsitter van die Raad;
- Hy verseker die Raad dat die spandering binne al vyf direktorate goed verloop en dat die finansiële prestasie vir die huidige jaar aansienlik beter lyk as in vorige jare. Voorts bedank hy die Direkteure vir hul pogings om te verseker dat munisipale fondse verantwoordelik bestee en op die regte prioriteitsgebiede aangewend word, sodat effektiewe dienslewering aan die gemeenskap gelewer kan word; en
- Verder bedank hy die Raad, asook die Direkoraat Gemeenskapsdienste, vir die beskikbaarstelling van finansiële ondersteuning aan vier en twintig (24) kinders wat gedurende die skoolvakansie aan verskeie sportprogramme deelgeneem het.

Verklarings/mededelings deur die Munisipale Bestuurder:

- On behalf of the administration, she expressed her appreciation to the Executive Mayor and Executive Deputy Mayor for their leadership, as well as to all Councillors for their support and cooperation during the financial year;
- She reported that Ms. Merle Kinnes (the external member of the Performance, Risk and Audit Committee (PRAC) and Risk Management Committee specialist), had resigned due to personal health challenges, and that a report will be submitted to Council at the end of July to facilitate the filling of the vacancy; and
- She provided brief feedback on her recent visit to Germany, where she represented Bergrivier Municipality and presented the Municipality's Voluntary Local Review (VLR) in Frankfurt.

RVN020/06/2026

ONDERHOUDE MET AFVAARDIGINGS

3/3/1/5

Geen

RVN021/06/2026

MOSIES / VRAE

3/3/1/1; 3/3/1/2

Geen



**NOTULE VAN DIE RAADSVERGADERING GEHOU OP
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RVN022/06/2026

**EERSTE DRINGENDE SAAK VANAF DIE MUNISIPALE BESTUURDER: (FINANCIAL SERVICES)
NEW LONG TERM BORROWING APPROVAL MTREF 2025/26 – 2027/28**

5/1/1

(Report was tabled as previously electronically distributed)

The Portfolio Chairperson, Alderman Daniels, introduced the item. Additional information was provided by the Director: Financial Services.

The undermentioned resolutions were taken unanimously by Council:

RESOLVED

1. That the capital projects and subsequent expenditure reflected in table 1 as approved in the 2025/2026 budget and MTREF be noted;
2. That approval be granted to raise long term debt in the amount of R32,777,403.00 to finance the capital projects contained in table 1 in respect of the 2025/2026 financial year;
3. That Council take note of the proposed debt repayment terms and debt repayment schedules attached as Annexure "A";
4. That Council take note of the anticipated total cost associated with long-term debt over the repayment period as per the attached Annexure "A";
5. That Council take note that no security will be pledged for the intended borrowing; and
6. That the Municipal Manager be authorised to sign all relevant documentation necessary for the execution of recommendation (2) above.

(Die Direkteur: Korporatiewe Dienste verlaat die vergadering om 14:39 met toestemming)

RVN023/06/2026

TWEEDE DRINGENDE SAAK VANAF DIE MUNISIPALE BESTUURDER: (OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL MANAGER) TOP LAYER SERVICE DELIVERY BUDGET IMPLEMENTATION PLAN 2026/2027

15/1/5/5

The Municipal Manager introduced the item.

The undermentioned resolutions were taken unanimously by Council:

RESOLVED

1. That Council takes note of the TL SDBIP 2026/2027 as approved by the Executive Mayor, attached hereto as Annexure A;
2. That Council take note that the approved TL SDBIP for 2026/2027 was made public within fourteen (14) days after the approval of the TL SDBIP and was submitted to the MEC for Local Government in the Province; and
3. That Council notes that due to the pilot process in the 2026/2027 financial year, intermediate cities, district and local municipalities will not be required to incorporate the indicators in their existing performance indicator tables in the IDP and TL SDBIP, as per Annexure B.



**NOTULE VAN DIE RAADSVERGADERING GEHOUD OP
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RVN024/06/2026

**PROMOTION OF ACCESS TO INFORMATION (PAIA) HANDBOOK AMENDMENTS NEEDED TO
COMPLY WITH POPIA AND PAIA REQUIREMENTS**

10/1/8

The Municipal Manager introduced the item.

The undermentioned resolutions were taken unanimously by Council:

RESOLVED

1. That Council approve the updated and amended PAIA Handbook for Bergvriervier Municipality;
2. That the Manager: Administration and Legal Support Services ensure that annual reports to the Information Regulator are submitted before end of June annually, as required by law (the Municipal Manager and the Municipal Manager's Office will assist in June 2026);
3. That the updated Handbook/Manual be made available on the website as required by law; and
4. That all outstanding compliance issues be addressed within the three (3) months grace period provided by the Information Regulator.

**MANAGER:
ADMINISTRATION AND
LEGAL SUPPORT
SERVICES**

RVN025/06/2026

**REVIEW OF ANTI-FRAUD AND CORRUPTION POLICY, RISK MANAGEMENT POLICIES AND
PERFORMANCE, RISK AND AUDIT COMMITTEE CHARTER**

12/2/21

The Chief Audit Executive introduced the item.

The undermentioned resolution was taken unanimously by Council:

RESOLVED

That the Anti-Fraud and Corruption Policy (which includes the Fraud Prevention Strategy and the Fraud and Corruption Management Implementation Plan), Risk Management policies and Performance, Risk and Audit Committee Charter be approved by Council.

RVN026/06/2026

VERTEENWOORDIGERS OP BUITELIGGAME EN ANDER RAADSAANGELEENTHEDE

3/2/2

(Verslag word ter tafel gelê soos voorheen elektronies apart versprei)

Die Portefeulje Voorsitter, Raadslid Moolman, lei die item in.

Die onderstaande besluite word eenparig deur die Raad aanvaar:

BESLUIT

Dat die Raad die aangehegte lys van Verteenwoordigers op Buiteliggame en ander Raadsaangeleenthede goedkeur.



**NOTULE VAN DIE RAADSVERGADERING GEHOU OP
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RVN027/06/2026

REPLACEMENT OF INTERNAL MEMBER OF THE BERGRIVIER MUNICIPAL PLANNING TRIBUNAL (BMPT)

15/1/7

The Portfolio Chairperson, Councillor Moolman, introduced the item.

The undermentioned resolutions were taken by majority vote of Council:

RESOLVED

1. That the content of the report be noted;
2. That the following official be appointed as replacement of the internal member:
 - Director Technical Services, Mr. Carel van Niekerk, as replacement for the Director Community Services, Mr. Dean Josephus; and
3. That the replacement of the internal member be done in accordance with Section 71(3)(a) and 72(2)(a), (3)-(12) of the Bergrivier Municipality: By-Law on Municipal Land Use Planning (PN 8365 of 11 December 2020).

RVN028/06/2026

AANSTELLING VAN WAARDASIE APPÈLRAAD

5/15/2

Die Portefeulje Voorsitter, Raadsheer Daniels, lei die item in.

Die onderstaande besluit word eenparig deur die Raad aanvaar:

BESLUIT

Dat die volgende lede aangestel word deur die LUR vir Plaaslike Regering om te dien op die Waardasie Appèlraad vir 'n periode van 4 jaar, naamlik:

- Voorsitter: Advokaat Mandla Mdludlu
- Lede:
 - Cecilia Hall
 - John Nicklaas Booysen
 - Dean Stephen Ward
 - Reinier van Niekerk: (Gegewe die Reiskoste word die aansoeker nie aanbeveel nie, Waardasie Appèlraad sessies word in persoon gehou aangesien lede van die publiek die sessie bywoon om hulle saak te stel.)

RVN029/06/2026

AFSKRYF VAN UITSTAANDE VERKEERSBOETES

17/10/1

Die Portefeulje Voorsitter, Raadsheer Wessels, lei die item in.

Die onderstaande besluite word eenparig deur die Raad aanvaar:

BESLUIT

1. Dat die afskryf van die uitstaande verkeersboetes as slegte skuld, goedgekeur word; en
2. Dat die afskryf nie op Raadslede, Direkteure, Munisipale Bestuurder en personeel van toepassing is nie.



**NOTULE VAN DIE RAADSVERGADERING GEHOU OP
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RVN030/06/2026

ADOPTION OF THE 5TH GENERATION INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN (IWMP) 2025

16/6/1

(Verslag word ter tafel gelê soos voorheen elektronies versprei)

Die Portefeulje Voorsitter, Raadsheer De Vries, lei die item in.

The undermentioned resolutions were taken unanimously by Council:

RESOLVED

1. That Council adopt the 5th Generation IWMP for adoption purposes; and
2. That Council notes the budget requirement for the procurement of composting bins.

RVN031/06/2026

**HERROEPING EN WYSIGING VAN RAADSBSLUIT RVN022/06/2025 RAKENDE
BEFONDSINGSAANSOEKE VIR REDELINGHUIS EN AURORA RIOOLSUIWERINGSPROJEKTE VIR
DIE LAEKOSTE HUISE**

5/7/12

Die Portefeulje Voorsitter, Raadsheer De Vries, lei die item in. Addisionele inligting word gelewer deur die Direkteur: Tegniese Dienste.

Die onderstaande besluite word eenparig deur die Raad aanvaar:

BESLUIT

1. Dat Raadsbesluit RVN022/06/2025, geneem tydens Raadsvergadering gehou op Dinsdag, 24 Junie 2025 te Piketberg, herroep word;
2. Dat goedkeuring verleen word dat die Munisipaliteit aansoeke om befondsing vir dienste infrastruktuur projekte by enige toepaslike befondsingsbron registreer; en
3. Dat goedkeuring verleen word dat aansoek gedoen mag word by enige toepaslike befondsingsbron vir Water Efficient Sanitation Solution projekte by die geïdentifiseerde laekoste behuisingsareas op die onderstaande dorpe:

PROJEKTE	Kostes
Redelinghuys – Uitwissing van Septiese Tenke	R20 000 000
Aurora – Uitwissing van Septiese Tenke	R20 000 000
Totaal	R40 000 000

RVN032/06/2026

**IMPLEMENTATION REVIEW FOR THE 2025/2026 FINANCIAL YEAR: BERGRIVIER MUNICIPALITY
SPATIAL DEVELOPMENT FRAMEWORK, 2024-2029**

15/1/5/9

The Speaker introduced the item.

The undermentioned resolution was taken unanimously by Council:

RESOLVED

That the contents of the report be noted.



**NOTULE VAN DIE RAADSVERGADERING GEHOU OP
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RVN033/06/2026

MONTHLY BUDGET STATEMENT: APRIL 2026

5/1/1

The Speaker introduced the item.

The undermentioned resolution was taken unanimously by Council:

RESOLVED

That Council note the monthly budget statement and supporting documentation for April 2026.

RVN034/06/2026

SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT IMPLEMENTATION REPORT: APRIL 2026

5/1/1

The Speaker introduced the item.

The undermentioned resolution was taken unanimously by Council:

RESOLVED

That Council take note of the April 2026 Supply Chain Management Implementation report and that it be made public in accordance with Section 21A of the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act. (Act no 32 of 2000).

RVN035/06/2026

BESLUIT VIR KENNISNAME INGEVOLGE GEDELEGEERDE BEVOEGDHEID VAN UITVOERENDE BURGEMEESTERSKOMITEE SE VERGADERINGS

3/2/1/3

Geen

RVN036/06/2026

BESLUIT VIR KENNISNAME INGEVOLGE GEDELEGEERDE BEVOEGDHEID VAN UITVOERENDE BURGEMEESTERSKOMITEE SE SPESIALE VERGADERINGS

3/2/1/3

Geen

RVN037/06/2026

WYKSKOMITEES: KENNISNAME / BESPREKING VAN VERSLAE EN NOTULES

3/2/1/3

Geen

(Die vergadering verdaag om 15:18, waarna die volle Raad, Direkteur Finansiële Dienste en Komitee Beampte die vergadering In-Komitee voortsit)



**NOTULE VAN DIE RAADSVERGADERING GEHOU OP
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DIE VERGADERING VERDAAG OM 16:15



***HIERMEE BEVESTIG EK DIE ONTWERGETEKENDE DAT HIERDIE
NOTULE SOOS BEKRAGTIG 'N WARE WEERGAWE IS VAN DIE VERRIGTINGE***

VOORSITTER _____

DATUM _____