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The year 2020 has indeed turned out to be challenging for all of us. At the outset as a country we began the year already facing economic challenges. The Covid-19 virus emerged in numerous countries before reaching our shores during March 2020 resulting in the declaration of the pandemic and the various levels of lockdown that we have all experienced in George and South Africa. In the aftermath of the pandemic we have now entered the Economic Recovery phase where we need to rebuild our economy and recover the jobs that we have lost.

All our citizens have experienced hardship during this year through the restriction of movement and activities resulting in many vulnerable residents experiencing hunger, the loss of jobs and dignity as well as increased levels of safety concerns. The George Municipality will continue to play a facilitating role to assist in the recovery of jobs lost, improving the safety, dignity and wellness of our residents.

We wish to thank all our employees and citizens for all their sacrifices and patience during this year as we have tackled new behavioural patterns in dealing with Covid-19.

The George Municipality welcomes all visitors to George over the summer holiday season and wish them excellent weather, safety (while on the roads and while swimming) and good times enjoyed with friends and family. Please remember to adhere to the Covid-19 regulations especially during the holiday season and to continue wearing masks, washing hands, applying social distancing and staying home when sick. We are all in this together as we are facing these challenges. Where possible, we should see how we can assist those less fortunate than ourselves.

**Good wishes to all residents and visitors.**

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Executive Mayor Leon Van Wyk

Die jaar 2020 het inderdaad vir ons almal uitdagend uitgedraai. Reeds aan die begin van die jaar het ons as land ekonomiese uitdagings in die gesig gestaar. Die Covid-19-virus het reeds in talle lande voorgekom, voordat dit in Maart 2020 ons oewer bereik het, wat aanleiding gegee het tot die verklaring van die pandemie en die verskillende vlakke van inperkings wat ons almal in George en Suid-Afrika ervaar het. In die nasleep van die pandemie het ons nou die ekonomiese herstelfase betree waar ons ons ekonomie moet herbou en die werk wat ons verloor het, moet herstel.

Al ons burgers het gedurende hierdie jaar swaarkry beleef deur die beperking van beweging en aktiwiteite wat tot gevolg het dat baie kwesbare inwoners honger ervaar, die verlies van werkgeleenthede en waardigheid, asook verhoogde vlakke van veiligheidsprobleme. Die George-munisipaliteit sal steeds 'n faciliterende rol speel om te help met die herstel van verlore werkgeleenthede, wat die veiligheid, waardigheid en welstand van ons inwoners sal verbeter.

Ons wil al ons werknemers en burgers bedank vir al hul opofferings

en geduld gedurende hierdie jaar, aangesien ons nuwe gedragspatrone aangepak het in die hantering van Covid-19.

Die George-munisipaliteit verwelkom alle besoekers aan George gedurende die somervakansieseisoen en wens hulle uitstekende weer, veiligheid (terwyl hulle op die paaie is en terwyl hulle swem) en goeie tye saam met vriende en familie toe.

Onthou om die Covid-19-voorskrifte veral tydens die vakansietydperk na te kom en aan te hou om maskers te dra, hande te was, sosiale afstand toe te pas en huis te bly as u siek is. Ons is almal saam in die pandemie en staar die uitdagings in die gesig. Waar moontlik, moet ons sien hoe ons diegene wat minder bevoorde is as ons self, kan help.

**Goeie wense aan alle inwoners en besoekers.**

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Umnyaka wama-2020 ngenene uye waba ngumceli mngeni kuthi sonke. Ekuqaleni njengelizwe siqale unyaka sele sijongene nemingeni yezoqoqosh. Intsholongwane yeCovid-19 iqham-buke kumazwe amaninzi phambi kokuba ifikelele kumanxweme ethu ngexesa leyoKwindla 2020 ebangele ukubhengezwa kwe-sifo esikho kumazwe ngamazwe kunye namanganaba ohlukahlukeneyo okuvalwa esiye sachatshazelwa ngawo sonke eGeorge kunye naseMzantsi Afrika. Emva kwesifo esikho kumazwe ngamazwe ngoku singene kwiNqanaba lokuVuselela uQoqoshapho kumele sakhe kwakhona uqoqoshlo lwethu kwaye sibuyise imisebenzi esilahlakeleyo.

Bonke abemi bethu abahlangabenze nobunzima ngexesa lalo nyaka ngokuthintelwa kokuhamba kunye nemisebenzi okubangele ukuba abahlali abaninzi abasemngciphekwani bathwaxwe yindlala, ukulahlekelwa yimisebenzi nesidima kunye namaqondo aphezulu eenkxalabo zokhuseleko. uMasipala waseGeorge uya kuqhube ka ngendima yokuququzelela uncedo lokubuyiswa kwemisebenzi elahlekileyo, ukuphucula ukhuseleko, isidima kunye nokuba sempil-weni kwabahlali bethu.

Sinqwenela ukubulela bonke abasebenzi kunye nabemi bethu ngokuzenza amadini kunye nomonde wabo ngexesa lalo nyaka kuba siye sajongana nendlela entsha yokuziphatha ukujamelana neCovid -19.uMasipala waseGeorge wamkela zonke iindwendwe eGeorge ngexesa leeholide zehlobo kwaye uzinqwenelela imo yezulu ebalaseleyo, ukhuseleko (ngexesa zisezindleleni nangexa ziqbha)kunye namaxesha amnandi onwatayelwa nezihlobo kunye nosapho.

Please remember to adhere to the Covid-19 regulations especially during the holiday season and to continue wearing masks, washing hands, applying social distancing and staying home when sick. Ncedani nikhumbole ukuthobela imimiselo yeCovid-19 ingakumbi ngexesa leholide kunye nokuhubeka ninxiba iimaski, nihlamba izandla, nisebenzisa ukumela kude komnye umntu nokuhlala ekhaya xa ugula. Sonke sikule nto kunye njengoko sijamelene nale mingeni. Apho kunokwenzeka, kumele sijonge ukuba singabanceda njani abo bahlelekileyo kunathi.

**Iminqweno emihle kubo bonke abemi kunye neendwendwe.**



# NOTICES/ KENNISGEWINGS/ IZAZISO

## GEEN VUURWERKE TOEGELAAT

Die George Municipality herinner inwoners en besoekers dat vuurwerke, klappers, ligfakkels, papierlanterns en ander soortgelyke toebehore as 'n groot brandgevaar beskou word en daarom nie toegelaat word in publieke en privaatspasies in die munisipale gebied hierdie somer of enige ander tyd nie.

## MELD AAN Onwettige handel en afskiet van vuurwerke:

Wets-toepassing 044 801 6350 of 044 801 6300 (n/u) en  
Onwettige, onverantwoordelike en onveilige vure:  
Brandweer 044 801 6300

## BRAND NOODSITUASIES: 044 801 6311

## NO FIREWORKS ALLOWED

The George Municipality reminds residents and visitors that fireworks, fire crackers, flares, paper lanterns and other such paraphernalia are considered a major fire risk and are not allowed in public or private spaces in the municipal area this summer, or at any other time.

**REPORT Illegal trade and setting off of fireworks: Law Enforcement 044 801 6350 or 044 801 6300 (a/h) and Illegal, irresponsible and unsafe fires: Fire Department on 044 801 6300.**

## FIRE EMERGENCIES: 044 801 6311

## IMIBONISO YOMSINDO AYIVUMELEKANGA

uMasipala waseGeorge ukhumbuza abahlali neendwendwe ukuba izitakantlantsi, izinto zokudlala eziqhuhqhum bayo zakudubula, iilanteni zephepha kune nezinye iimpahla ngeempahla ezilolo hlubo zibonwa njengengozi ezinkulu zom-lilo kwaye azivumelekanga kwindawo zoluNtu okanye zabucala kummandla kamasipala kweli hlubo, okanye nangaliphi na elin-ye ixesha.

**XELA Urhwebo olungekho semthethweni kune nokudutulyulwa kwezitakantlantsi: Unyaneliso lomthetho kwa- 044 801 6350 or (a/h) 044 801 6300. Imililo engekho semthethweni, eyokungakhathali nengakhuselekanga: Isabe loMlilo kwa - 044 801 6300.**

## AMAXA KAXAKEKA EZOMLILO: 044 8016311

## REPORT ILLEGAL DUMPING

The municipality needs your help to combat illegal dumping:

- If you can provide names, vehicle colour and registration details or addresses of alleged perpetrators and are willing to make a statement in this regard, please report it to Law Enforcement at 044 801 6350 or [sprins@george.gov.za](mailto:sprins@george.gov.za) or 044 801 6300 (a/h).
- You don't need a photograph of the perpetrator, but it will help the case for a warning or fine to be issued.
- If you notice dumped waste, please report for collection to 044 802 2900 or 044 801 6300 (a/h).

## XELA UKULAHLWA KWENKUNKUMA NGOKUMGEKHO

### MTHETHWENI

uMasipala udinga uncedo lwakho ukulwa ukulahlwa kwenkunkuma ngokungekho semthethweni.

- Ukuba unolwazi lokuba ngubani olahla inkunkuma ngokungekho mthethweni mxele kwa-044 801 6350 okanye ku-[sprins@george.gov.za](mailto:sprins@george.gov.za) okanye kwa-044 801 6300 (emva kweeyure zomsebenzi).
- Ulwazi oluva kunceda ityala okanye isilumkiso okanye isohlwayo: inkaciso ngemoto kunye/okanye inombolo ebhaliswe ngayo, idilesi yomntu otyholwa ngokuba ngumenzi wobubi, uhlobo lwenkunkuma kune nedilesi yendawo ebilahlwe kuyo. Ifoto elithathwe ngonomyayi elibonakalisa ukwenziwa kvesenzo sokulahla linganceda kodwa aliymfune.
- Xela ukulahlwa kwenkunkuma ukuze iqokolelwwe kwa-044 802 2900 okanye 044 801 6300 emva kweeyure zomsebenzi.

## RAPPOERTEER ONWETTIGE STORTING

Die munisipaliteit het u hulp nodig om onwettige storting te bekamp

- Indien jy weet wie onwettig stort, rapporteer hulle by 044 801 6350 of [sprins@george.gov.za](mailto:sprins@george.gov.za) of 044 801 6300.
- Inligting wat die saak vir 'n waarskuwing of boete sal versterk: beskrywing van die voertuig en/of registrasienummer, adres van die beweerde oortreder, tipe afval wat gestort is en waar dit gestort is. 'n Selfoonfoto van die storting in aksie sal baie help maar is nie noodsaklik nie.
- Meld plekke aan waar daar onwettig gestort is, by 044 802 2900 of 044 801 6300 (n/u).

## Take care when you travel with GO GEORGE

GO GEORGE will be operating as usual during the holiday season.

Please adhere to the Covid safety measures when you use our service -

we have come this far - don't drop your guard now!

Visit [www.gogeorge.org.za](http://www.gogeorge.org.za) to plan your trips, or phone 0800 044 044 for assistance.



**NO MASK  
NO ENTRY**

