

# NATIONAL DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

## KAMOSO AWARDS “Rewarding Excellence in EPWP implementation”

# PRESENTATION OVERVIEW

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# BACKGROUND

- ❑ **Kamoso Awards** were launched in Feb 2007
- ❑ Purpose: to reward excellence in EPWP implementation
- ❑ Focus on Infrastructure Sector in 2007
- ❑ 3 Categories of winners profiled and rewarded (Best Project/Best Dept and Municipality/Best Official)
- ❑ Kamoso Awards embraced as official EPWP award programme

# OBJECTIVES

- The **Kamoso Awards Programme** was launched as a vehicle to recognise Municipalities, Provinces, Departments and Public Bodies that excelled in implementing the EPWP.
- The objectives of the Awards Programme are to:
- Mobilise government stakeholders and partners to increase their efforts around EPWP implementation & strive towards greater heights
- Communicate and showcase progress, impact, and successes of EPWP as a key government programme
- Create a platform to enhance visibility of the EPWP and reinforce its objectives to a broader audience; and
- Establish **Kamoso Awards** as an important event on the calendar as recognisable as other national award programmes

# SELECTION CRITERIA

## Who is eligible to apply:

- All implementers of EPWP programmes & projects throughout South Africa
- Implementers under EPWP sectors
- National departments, provinces and Municipalities
- Non-Profit Organisations

# SELECTION CRITERIA CONT.

## General pre-conditions for entry:

- Demonstrated participation in EPWP – must be making submissions to and/or be included in EPWP quarterly reports
- Compliance with EPWP guidelines & reporting processes
- Projects to have commenced during the financial year under review

# SELECTION CRITERIA CONT.

## ❑ MOTIVATION:

- ❑ To apply applicants must submit a written narrative that meets the specific criteria of the category they are entering.
- ❑ The written narrative is the basis on which the applicant will be judged so it should provide all information requested and include photographs and a strong motivation as to why the applicant should be selected for the award (maximum 500 words)

# SELECTION COMMITTEE

## SELECTION COMMITTEE CANDIDATES:

### Adjudication consist of the following:

- Presidency
- SALGA
- National Treasury
- DPW (EPWP)
- Sector lead Departments



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