Technical Descriptions: Strategic Objectives

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Indicator title	To promote and support radical economic development
Short definition	Support 21 value chains, 14 industrial developments and 14
	businesses through various developmental initiatives,
	partnerships and alternative funding resource facilitation.
Purpose/importance	To formalise the process of developing relevant sectors and sub-
	sectors that will contribute significantly to the GDP of the
	province.
Source/collection of	Reports
data	
Method of calculation &	Simple count
Evidence type	
Data limitations	The quality of the plan depends on the thoroughness and
	accuracy of the service provider.
Type of indicator	Output.
Calculation type	Counting.
Reporting cycle	Annual.
New indicator	Yes.
Desired performance	Higher performance is desired.
Indicator responsibility	G Brown

Indicator title	To promote effective and efficient economic planning, research
	and innovation.
Short definition	Coordinate and facilitate the initiation of 26 research and
	development projects, development of 20 economic intelligence
	reports and conducting of 13 seminars to support economic
	planning, research and innovation in the province.
Purpose/importance	To avail critical information for economic planning and
	programme development.
Source/collection of	Economic indicators from StatsSA, Global Insight, Company AFS.
data	
Method of calculation &	At least one report per quarter.
Evidence type	
Data limitations	Data not always recent; data not available at lowest level.
Type of indicator	Output.
Calculation type	Number of reports.
Reporting cycle	Quarterly and annually.

New indicator	No.
Desired performance	Higher performance is desired.
Indicator responsibility	G Brown

Indicator title	To affirm and protect the consumer rights of all people in the
	province.
Short definition	Conclude 100% of all consumer complaints received and facilitate
	40 consumer court sittings in order to affirm and protect the
	consumer rights of all citizens in the province.
Purpose/importance	Creating a fair business environment;
	Promoting responsible consumer behaviour;
Source/collection of	Department's records – attendance registers, presentations,
data	satisfaction survey, court records.
Method of calculation &	Number of information sessions and programmes held per
Evidence type	annum; questionnaire.
Data limitations	None.
Type of indicator	Activities and output indicators.
Calculation type	Cumulative.
Reporting cycle	Monthly, quarterly and annually.
New indicator	New.
Desired performance	Higher performance is desired.
Indicator responsibility	G Brown

Indicator title	To support radical SMME and cooperative development through
	partnerships.
Short definition	Coordinate, facilitate and monitor the development and support of
	840 sustainable SMME's and 170 sustainable cooperatives
	respectively through various business development initiatives.
Purpose/importance	To enable business to be part of the First Economy. To close the
	gab between the rich and the poor.
Source/collection of	- Walk-in enquiries and telephonic enquires
data	- Word of mouth
	- Referrals
	- Workshops and Trainings
	- Exhibitions
	- Conferences and Seminars
	- Company visit an Business surveys
Method of calculation &	All Workings and Telephonic enquiries recorded are followed up,
Evidence type	referrals from other stakeholder, e.g SEDA, LOCAL AND
	DISTRICT MUNICIPALITIES.
	All SMME enquiries received are attended through referrals,
	information dissemination, exposure at exhibitions. Existing
	Database. Attendance register, photos and profile of evidence.
Data limitations	SMME management is done manually. These causes delay of

	data collection and compilation. A need for Electronic Data Management linked between the Department and relevant stakeholders.
Type of indicator	Business supported for sustainability and jobs created.
Calculation type	Production of Goods and Services, profit made by business jobs
	secured for owners and their employees – Sustainability.
Reporting cycle	Weekly, Monthly, quarterly and Annually.
New indicator	Implementation of BBBEE policies during procurement.
Desired performance	Higher performance is desired.
Indicator responsibility	G Brown