



“The Talk” with Speaker of Council

1 Background

The Speaker of council in the City of Johannesburg, Cllr Nonceba Molwele, hosts civic education dialogues every Wednesdays with the aim to educate the civic / communities on council business, the covid-19 pandemic and matters of public interest.

What primarily began as a partnership between the Speaker Molwele, in collaboration with medical practitioner, Dr Fundile Nyati to raise awareness on Covid-19 and education to communities, particularly the marginalised communities during the hard lockdown in 2020, is now a broad civic education platform that uses social media extensively to communicate reliable information with the general public on topics relating to council business and matters of public interest relating to local government.

In January 2021, the platform grew to include partnerships with Johannesburg Community Radio Stations namely Jozi FM, Eldos FM, Alex FM, Eastwave Radio, Chai FM and Pulse FM as a means to expand the reach for those communities in Johannesburg that are unable to connect online.

For the month of June, the Speaker will undertake a series of Youth Dialogues on various issues that affect youth in the City of Johannesburg. As the custodian of Civic Education and Public Participation in the City of Johannesburg, the Speaker will kickstart the series under the **“Youth Participation in Local Government Processes”** on Wednesday 02 June 2021.



The event will be in hybrid form, should the country remain at lockdown level one where some young people will be in a physical hall and others will connect virtually with radio stations and City of Johannesburg social media streaming it live. The engagement will remain virtual should we move to a stricter lockdown level. The aim is to cover youth in the various regions in the City of Johannesburg, throughout the month of June.

The Speaker is on a fact-finding mission that will establish the cause of lack of participation of young people in Local Government processes such as Community Based Planning and the Integrated Development Planning Processes. The Speaker aims to establish, together with young people themselves on how best government in general and local government in particular can best attract young people to begin to take an interest and develop trust in the government once more.

The dialogue take place every Wednesdays and are hosted by Speaker of Council herself. They take the form of a talk show that is conversational / interactive in nature, with questions and comments being fielded from online platforms and radio anchors should there be any.

The Speaker would be honored to host the Honourable Minister Maite Nkoana - Mashabane at the kickstart of the series (**Wednesday, 02 June 2021**) to cover or speak to the *integrated youth development strategy towards the growth and development of South Africa's Youth*.

2. PROJECT CHARTER

Name of Project	Kick-Off: "The Talk" with Speaker of Council, Youth Month Series
Project Manager	Nhlaka Nedzamba
Project Start Date	02 June 2021
Project End Date	30 June 2021

2.1 PROJECT MANAGEMENT TEAM

Project Team Members	Nhlaka Nedzamba
	Xolani Maquba
	Sifiso Hlongwane
	Mary Necedema
Communications	Sipho Masigo
Sign off: Chief of Staff	Wandile Zwane

2.2 PROJECT LOGISTICS

LOGISTICS	DETAIL
VENUE	Ext 1 Hall, Orange Farm, Region G (Hybrid)
DATE	02 June 2021
CATERING	Joburg Theatre
ARRIVAL TIME	17:00
STARTING TIME	18:00
GUESTS	<p>Stakeholders:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -150 Youth from Region G - Youth virtually connected to online platforms and tuned into community radio station <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Youth in Politics - Youth in Business - Youth in NGO's



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Youth Political Formations - Youth in Faith Based Sectors - Young Women - Youth with Disability
	Region G Councillors
	Local Media: Jozi Fm Eldos Fm Alex Fm Eastwave Radio Chai Fm Pulse Fm (City of Joburg Radio Station)

2.3 WORK BREAKDOWN STRUCTURE

NO.	ACTIVITY	PERSON/S RESPONSIBLE	DATE	STATUS
1.	Securing of venue and procurement of catering	Xolani Maqubo	Tuesday, 25 May 2021	
2.	Confirming Public Liability Form	Xolani Maqubo	Thursday 27 May 2021	
3.	Develop Project Proposal for approval	Nhlaka Nedzamba	Thursday, 20 May 2021	
4.	Issuing of invites special guests of the Speaker	Sifiso Hlongwane	Friday, 21 May 2021	
5.	Design of invite and programme	Sifiso Hlongwane	Monday, 24 May 2021	



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6.	Issuing of Invites to identified youth stakeholders	Xolani Maqubo / Sifiso Hlongwane / PPC's / Councillors		
7.	Communication Plan for the event	Sipho Masigo	Wednesday, 26 May 2021	
8.	Branding	Sifiso Hlongwane / Sipho Masigo		
9.	PA System	Sifiso Hlongwane	Tuesday, 02 June 2021	
10.	Transport Plan			
11.	Goodie Packs			
12.	Briefing of Madam Speaker	All	Friday, 28 May 2021	

3. PREVIOUS ENGAGEMENTS



The Talk with Speaker of Council




"The Talk with Speaker of Council" joins global voices in the Virtual Urban Festival hosted by the South African Cities Network in partnership with Cogta, CTIN, and Media Lab.

Hon. Mpho Parks Tau
Deputy Minister / CoGTA
Guest Speaker

Cllr Nonceba Molwele
Speaker of Council
Host

Topic: Promoting Participatory Democracy through Community Based Planning.

- Panelists:**
- Ms Sadi Motsuanyane Phd Candidate, UJ. Retired Chief Director Livelihoods - National Dept Social Development
 - Dr Johannah Keikelame: UCT Affiliate
 - Professor Hanna Nel - Professor of Social Work - University of Johannesburg
 - Mr Yusuf Lachporia: Community Outreach - City of Johannesburg
 - Mr Mike Makwela - Planact

**Moderators: Dr Fundile Nyati - Medical Doctor
Conrad Jardine - Director: Public Participation (CoGTA)**

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Wednesday | 21 October 2020 | 16:00 |






THE TALK WITH SPEAKER OF COUNCIL

To stream on Jozi FM, Eldos FM | 10 February 2021 | 18:30pm




Speaker Cllr Nonceba Molwele

Topic: "The impact of the suspension of the AstraZeneca Vaccine to South Africa"





Professor Mosa Moshabela
Acting Deputy Vice-Chancellor for Research and Innovation at the University of KwaZulu-Natal

Professor Shabir Madhi
Professor of Vaccinology, Director of the MRC Respiratory and Meningeal Pathogens Research Unit, University of the Witwatersrand

Dr Fundile Nyati
Medical Doctor & Qualified Specialist and Family Physician, Founder of Professional Health Solution, City of Johannesburg Civic Education Partner





Co-Anchors

- Dr Fundile Nyati
- Siphosak Masigo (Spokesperson)

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THE TALK WITH SPEAKER OF COUNCIL

To stream on Jozi FM, Eldos FM | 03 February 2021 | 18:30pm

Speaker Cllr Nonceba Molwele

TOPIC: "THE TRUTH ABOUT THE COVID-19 VACCINE, & 5G CONNECTIVITY"





Pastor Abel Mahachi - Faith Based Organisation City of Johannesburg

Professor Tshilidzi Marwala - Deputy Chairperson, Fourth Industrial Revolution in the Presidency & Vice Chancellor & the University of Johannesburg

Dr Siphosak Senabe - Chief Director: Human Resource Development (HRD) and Employee Health and Wellness (EHW), Gauteng Department of Health.



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"Honouring Great Women of Council"



Join the "The Talk with Speaker of Council" as she honours the Legacy of the late Speaker of Council: Cllr Connie Bapela, and the Late Cllr Suzanne Clarke.

Cllr Nonceba Molwele
Speaker of Council
Host

Topic: "Honoring the Legacy of former great women leaders of the Johannesburg City Council"

Panelists:



Hon. Sizakele Nkosi-Mafobane
Chair of Chairs - Gauteng
Provincial Legislature



Cllr Salphina Mulauzi: Chair of
Chairs City of Johannesburg



Cllr Alex Christians: City of
Johannesburg Councillor



Margaret Arnold:
MIMC Community Development



Cllr Phumzile Sithole : City of
Johannesburg Councillor
and Secretary of the Gumbi
Bapela Foundation

Moderators: Dr Fundile Nyati - Medical Doctor



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Wednesday | 4 November 2020 | 16:00

The Talk with Speaker of Council



Join the Speaker of Council in conversation
with Breast Cancer survivors on their
journey with cancer



Speaker Cllr Nonceba Molwele



Dr Lillian Dube
Breast Cancer Activist and Survivor



Refilwe Sedumedi
Breast Cancer Activist and Survivor



Co-Anchor and Medical Doctor
Dr Fundile Nyati



Chair of Chairs
Cllr Salphina Mulauzi

14 October 2020 | 16:00 |



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GUEST

Thabo Manyoni
Chairperson of the Municipal
Demarcation Board

03 March 2021 | 18h30 | Wednesday

Topic: Unpacking the Ward Delimitation Process in Local Government
Partners: Jozi FM, Alex FM, Chai FM and Eldos

Join the conversation to:

- Understand the Demarcation process
- Unpack the role of the stakeholders involved in the process
- Challenges in the process
- The role of Councillors,
- The importance of public participation
- How this affects you, the ordinary citizen

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And Civic Education Partner - Dr Fundile Nyati

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Cllr Nonceba Molwele

Introducing the Speakers Debating Cup:
Developing Young Leaders one Debate at a time



Speaker of Council
Cllr Nonceba Molwele



Join me and my panel of young learners in a vibrant discussion on the Speaker's Debating Cup and the importance of Youth Participation in local government. The panel will be comprised of representatives of the Joburg Student Council and learners from other schools within the City.

Wednesday, 17 March 2021 | 18:30

Partners: Jozi FM, Alex FM, Chai FM, Eldos and Dr Fundile Nyati

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Mrs Zandile Ndamase
Chairperson Moral Regeneration Movement
Interim Committee (City of Johannesburg)

MORAL REGENERATION IN THE CITY OF JOHANNESBURG

Introducing you to the Interim Steering Committee of the Moral Regeneration Movement in the City of Johannesburg.

Join the discussion and engage with the Interim Committee Members on the importance of Moral Regeneration in our society, the Moral Regeneration Movement plans for the City, and how you come after the citizen can get involved.

Date: Wednesday, 12 May 2021
Time: 18h30
Platform: Zoom

Partners: Jozi FM, Alex FM Chai FM, Eldos and Dr Fundile Nyati.

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