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LESEDI LOCAL MUNICIPALITY URGES CONSUMERS TO REDUCE THEIR WATER USAGE BY 15%

The Lesedi Local Municipality is implementing a 15% Water Restriction as one of the measures aimed to save water. Residents are requested to use a maximum of 25 kilolitres (kl) of water per month, the 25kl is inclusive of the free basic water supply provided to Indigent households.

Businesses/Industries and other users are also urged to reduced their annual average demand by 15%. This average will be based on their consumption over 12 months, from September 2015 to September 2016.

Municipal by-laws will strongly be enforced to transgressors as per Credit Control Policy of 2016/2017.

The Municipality urges residents to intensify efforts to save the scarce water resources. Restrictions currently in place discourages wrong practices which includes the use of hosepipes, sprinklers, irrigation systems, filling of swimming pools at all times. Watering of gardens between 6am and 6pm is not allowed.

The Municipality will apply zero tolerance to illegal connection of water such as the use of fire hydrants, Tanker Services and any other unauthorised water connection and consumption.

Customers can view or download the municipal Water Tariffs 2016/17 at <http://www.lesedilm.gov.za/tariffs>.

Residents are encouraged to continue reporting water service related incidents or interruptions through the municipal call centre on 016 330 0400 and through Lesedi Local Municipality Facebook page.

Issued by the office of the Municipal Manager

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