

Public Notice

Proposed capital replacement levy increase to all municipal services.

Due to the unpredictable economic climate and changing interest rates, it is a priority for the municipality to ensure that we have our own contingency plans in place to ensure business continuity and service delivery.

We would therefore like to propose and introduce a capital levy replacement increase, that will be used as funding towards replacing ageing infrastructure and other service delivery needs, instead of relying on Provincial and National funding as well as loans.

Given the current economic climate we can't predict the reliability of Provincial and National funding and as a municipality we want to put pro-active measures in place that puts us in the best position to be self-sustainable when it comes to replacing infrastructure.

Currently our services are charged at tariff rates of 15.1% for electricity, 6% for sewage and refuse and 9% for water services. In addition to these tariffs, we would like to introduce a capital replacement levy of R5 per service, per month.

A household that uses all four services will pay a maximum of R20 extra to their municipal account per month.

This proposed additional levy will be open for public participation and comments and will be submitted to council as part of the final budget.

The public is invited to send their inputs regarding this additional levy to twkmun@twk.gov.za until 09:00 on Friday 19 May 2023.



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