

MEDIA STATEMENT

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ATTENTION: ALL EDITORS / REPORTERS

MATATIELE LOCAL MUNICIPALITY APPOINTS HEAD OF COMMUNICATIONS

Matatiele Local Municipality is pleased to announce that Mr Luncedo Walaza who hails from Mkhemane in ward 22 as the newly appointed Head of Communications and the Municipal Spokesperson, with effect from 01 November 2021.

Mr Walaza has been in the Local Government Communications Systems for ten years, where he worked as the Senior Officer: Marketing, Events and Protocol. He is a seasoned government communicator and brings with him a vast experience in Government Communication – this is proven by his contribution in the Matatiele Local Municipality Communications Unit being awarded the best Municipality in implementing Local Government Communication Systems for three consecutive years.

Prior to joining the Municipality in February 2012 he was working for Coega Development Corporation. While at the University of Fort Hare he worked as a tutor and a mentor under the MultiChoice Fort Hare Inkwenkwezi Trust.

He holds a Degree in Applied Communication Management from the University of Fort Hare. He also has one of the prerequisite courses/diploma needed for any employee in local government, the Municipal Financial Management.

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