



The Department will be carrying out a public consultation process on the following policies, Temporary Emergency Accommodation Provision Policy, Allocations Policy and Site and Service policy throughout the City as scheduled below.

Below are reasons why this is important to you!

1. THE ALLOCATIONS POLICY

What's new about this policy?

- The City of Joburg is moving from ward based allocations to first come first served basis.

What does this mean for you as an applicant?

- This means if you applied earlier for instance in 1996 you will be amongst the first to be allocated a house.
- It also means you can be allocated a house anywhere within the City and not based on where you currently reside.

2. THE SERVICED SITES POLICY

What's new about this policy?

- This policy takes an entirely new position as serviced sites are a new offering on the Housing Programmes outside the non qualifiers bracket.

What does this policy mean to you?

- This policy means you do not have to wait for the City to give you a house if you applied for an RDP, you will be given a serviced stand to build your own home. Government will not build a house for you any longer if you have been given a stand. A proposal is that one signs a right of refusal.
- It also means if you did not qualify for an RDP (earning over R3500), you can buy a stand from the City and build your own home.

3. TEMPORARY EMERGENCY ACCOMMODATION POLICY

What's new about this policy?

- This a new policy aimed at those who find themselves homeless due to an emergency like fire, floods and or evictions.

What does this policy mean to you?

- You will know the City's obligations to you in case you find yourself in an emergency and also your responsibilities.
- This policy also spells out what "temporary" means in terms of months after which you would have to vacate the residence.

If the above makes you happy, join us and support the policy!

If you are not happy, come and make your opinion count.

It is all in your hands.

REGION	DATE	TIME	VENUE
B	Friday, 04 Oct 19	09h00 – 13h00	Ferndale Recreation Centre



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