

Enterprise iLembe is the Economic Development Agency of the iLembe District Municipality, responsible for Trade & Investment Promotion and Local Economic Development for the region

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

Establishment of the iLembe Processing Facilities

Grant funding has been received through the Department of Co-operative Governance and Traditional Affairs Corridor Development. Enterprise iLembe calls all suitably qualified technical partners to submit detailed proposals to establish **four** Processing Facilities in the iLembe District for Agricultural Produce, with the following objectives to be achieved within a year:

*In consultation with the Department of Agriculture and the local municipalities identify appropriate sites for the facilities * Establishment and management of the facilities* Implementation of appropriate coaching and mentoring systems to ensure that all product lines are sustainable*

Copies of the Terms of Reference will be made available on request via email and any requests for further information for clarity purposes will be made available per request.

A compulsory briefing session will be held on **Monday 15 October 2012 at 09h00** at the address listed below.

Complete and sealed proposals endorsed "REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS: ESTABLISHMENT OF THE ILEMBE PROCESSING FACILITIES" must be placed in the Tender Box at Sangweni Tourism Centre, Cnr Link Road & Ballito Drive, Ballito on or before *Monday 29 October 2012 at 12h00*.

You will be called upon to make a presentation to the board on a date suitable to both parties.

Please note: Enterprise iLembe reserves the right not to accept any or portion of a proposal received under this call, or give reasons for doing so. All proposals must be hand-submitted to the tender box, and no emailed or fax submissions will be accepted. No submissions will be accepted after the closing date and time, as stipulated above.

Information contact: Khwezi Mlobane 032 946 1256 Email: Khwezi@enterpriseilembe.co.za

MIKE NEWTON Head of Economic Development Enterprise iLembe