

PARLIAMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF THE WESTERN CAPE

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HOUSE: 14:15

Provincial Economic Review and Outlook and Municipal Economic Review and Outlook – Mr D J Maynier, Minister of Finance and Economic Opportunities.

FURTHER BUSINESS

NOTICES OF MOTION

1. Ms D M Baartman moved: That the House debates the impact of special economic zones on the Western Cape.
2. Ms N Makamba-Botya moved: That the House debates the scourge of crime in the Western Cape following the release of the crime statistics by the national Minister of Police, Bheki Cele.
3. Mr F C Christians moved: That the House debates the decline in matric results in the Western Cape.
4. Ms D M Baartman moved: That the House debates waste-to-energy plans in the Western Cape in order to secure alternative clean and renewable energy sources for the province.
5. Mr D Smith moved: That the House discusses the ongoing implosion of the DA at local-government level.
6. Mr P J Marais moved: That the House notes the results of yesterday's victory by the Freedom Front Plus in the Potchefstroom municipal elections where it recorded 677 votes against the DA's 489; notes that this resounding defeat of the DA shows that the FF Plus support among voters has increased since 2016 by 56% and that the DA's support has declined by 65%; and further notes that this represents the second successive by-election victory against the DA since May 2019 (after Stilfontein) where both seats were previously held by the DA in 2016.

7. Mr D America moved: That the House notes that the Department of Local Government in the Western Cape was the winner of two awards – Outstanding Province in Thusong Centre Coordination and Outstanding Mobile Thusong Centre at Provincial Level – at this year’s National Thusong Service Excellence Awards held on 17 September 2019; notes that Thusong centres bring government services and information closer to the most vulnerable communities and notes the impact and critical role of these centres on service delivery by reaching over 1,3 million people in the Western Cape this year; extends our congratulations to the Laingsburg, Riversdal and Mossel Bay Thusong centres that emerged as the winners for partnerships; and further notes that the Department of Local Government, under the leadership of Minister Bredell, is committed to continue working on improving the lives of the citizens of the Western Cape and enhancing access to services for all.
8. Mr D Smith moved: That the House notes that the DA’s plan to get rid of Trevor Botha, Municipal Manager of the George Municipality, failed quickly; and notes that this is the umpteenth time that the DA in the Southern Cape destabilises its own governance and tries to oust people it put in positions of power.
9. Ms N Makamba-Botya moved: That the House:
 - (a) notes that on Friday 13 September 2019 a fire broke out at both the Tygerberg Hospital and the Mitchells Plain Day Hospital;
 - (b) notes that the details of what caused these fires have not been made public even to this day;
 - (c) further notes that these incidents left patients, staff members and the society shocked and traumatised;
 - (d) notes that members of the society make use of public hospital facilities as a place of safety and to get assistance with their health and not to be subjected to further trauma; and
 - (e) further calls on the Minister of Health to investigate the cause of these fires and to take appropriate steps and measures to ensure that public health facilities remain safe spaces for people who receive assistance with regard to their health.
10. Mr D Smith moved: That the House notes that Cape Town firefighters embarked on industrial protest action against their employer who, they claim, is not fairly paying them proper wages; and notes that this casts doubt on claims that Cape Town is ready for the fire season.
11. Mr L L Mvimbi moved: That the House notes that President Cyril Ramaphosa again conceded to DA calls for the deployment of the SANDF on the Cape Flats, the drugs and gangs killing field, to be extend for a further period of six months in this violence-stricken area; notes that we should guard against this becoming a permanent measure; and notes that, instead of complaining, we need the input of what they had imagined should be the work to done by these soldiers.
12. Mr M Kama moved: That the House notes with shock that, while the DA claims to be committed to the fight against crime, a DA councillor, Seth Sekhokho, from the Rand West City Local Municipality, was arrested for armed robbery; and call on authorities to ensure that this councillor receives the maximum prison sentence if he is found guilty.

13. Ms N D Nkondlo moved: That the House notes that the DA is busy closing ranks to protect its national leader, Mmusi Maimane, from himself; notes that he lied when he first claimed to have bought a house of R3,85 million in the southern suburbs and has now changed his story to say that he leases the house; and requests that the DA plays open cards with the people of this province by telling them precisely what the real facts are.
14. Mr D Smith moved: That the House notes that the City of Cape Town is again up to its usual shenanigans by selling off prime inner-city land to the highest bidder under the guise of development while apartheid spatial inequality remains largely unaddressed; and notes that this angers residents, like those residents in Green Point.

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