



VOTE THANKS BY HER WORSHIP, CLEMENCIA HANASES, DEPUTY MAYOR OF THE CITY OF WINDHOEK ON THE OCCASION OF THE JOINT CEREMONY OF MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU'S) BETWEEN THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF WINDHOEK AND SISTER LOCAL AUTHORITIES AS WELL AS WITH THE NATIONAL HERITAGE COUNCIL

DATE: 21 FEBRUARY 2025

TIME: 11H00

VENUE: COUNCIL CHAMBERS

Program Director, Mr. Christopher Eita, Manager: External Relations and Networking;

Your Worship, Council Member Ndesihafela Larandja, Mayor of the City of Windhoek and Mayors from all the Local Authorities present today;

Council member Illse Keister, Chairperson of the Management Committee of the City of Windhoek and other Chairperson of Management Committees present today;

Honourable Councillors from all the Local Authorities present today;

Mr. Moses Matyayi, Chief Executive Officer of the City of Windhoek in absentia;

Mr Faniel I. Maanda, acting chief Executive Officer of the City of Windhoek and other Chief Executive Officers present today;

Ms. Erica Ndalikokule, Director, National Heritage Council of Namibia and your team present here today;

Executives, Senior Officers, and Officials from both Local Authorities and the National Heritage Council present today;

Members of the Media;

Ladies and Gentlemen,

Good morning!

It is with great appreciation and gratitude that I extend this vote of thanks on the occasion of the joint signing ceremony of the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between the City of Windhoek and our esteemed partners - our sister Local Authorities and the National Heritage Council of Namibia.

First and foremost, I would like to express my sincere gratitude to Your Worship, Council member Ndesihafela Larandja, for your leadership and unwavering commitment to fostering partnerships that drive sustainable development in our City and beyond. To all the Mayors and Honourable Council Members present here today, your presence is a testament to the spirit of collaboration and shared progress among local authorities.

A special appreciation also goes to Ms. Erica Ndalikokule, Director of the National Heritage Council of Namibia, for your dedication to preserving and promoting our national heritage. Your partnership with the City of Windhoek is invaluable in ensuring that our historical and cultural landmarks are safeguarded for future generations.

To all stakeholders, officials, and participants who have contributed to making this event a success - your efforts and commitment are deeply appreciated. This signing ceremony marks the beginning of strengthened cooperation, and we look forward to meaningful collaborations that will positively impact our communities.

We would also like to extend our gratitude to the unrecognized champions who organized this joint ceremony - the dedicated teams from the City of Windhoek, other local authorities, and the National Heritage Council. Your hard work and efforts are truly appreciated.

Once again, thank you all for your presence and participation. May our partnerships flourish and bring lasting benefits to the people we serve.

I thank you.

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