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[PROVINCIAL NOTICE NO. 14 OF 2019]**METSIMAHOLO LOCAL MUNICIPALITY
GENERAL ASSESSMENT RATES AND TARIFFS: 2019/2020 FINANCIAL YEAR**

1. Notice is hereby given in terms of section 17(3)(a)(ii) and 24(1)(2) of the Municipal Finance Management Act 2003 and section 14(1) and (2) of the Local Government: Municipal Property Rates Act 2004 that the Municipal Estimates of Revenue and Expenditure for the 2019/2020 financial year has been approved by Council on 29 May 2019, of which a copy is available for inspection at the Office of the Chief Financial Officer during office hours.
2. Notice is also hereby given that:
 - I. The general assessment rates for the financial year ending 30 June 2020 has been assessed in accordance with the provisions of section 24(2)(c) of the Act:

	Actual 2018/2019	2019/2020
Industries	0.044529	0.0436130
Businesses	0.017799	0.0174327
Residential	0.00889	0.0087071
Agricultural	0.0022296	0.0021838

3. The aforementioned rates are recoverable by the Council in terms of the provisions of the Act and payable in equal monthly instalments except for agricultural land and state property. In terms of section 24(2)(c) of the Act and section 64(2) of the Municipal Finance Management Act 2003, interest is payable on all rates in arrears
4. **Tariff decrease:**
 - Assessment Rates = 2% (all categories)
5. **Tariff increase:**
 - Water Tariffs = Between 0 % to 12.2%
 - Waste Management = 5.6%
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 - Electricity = 9.4% – 13.07% (guideline from NERSA)
 - Other Tariffs = Average 5.6%

Detailed Assessment Rates and Service Charges for 2019/2020

❖ Available on website: www.metsimaholo.gov.za

6. Comprehensive Tariff list is also available at Civic Centre, Sasolburg, Financial Services as well as Public Libraries of Metsimaholo Local Municipality during office hours.
For further information or inquiries, community members are encouraged to contact Me Amanda Vorster (Manager Budget and Financial Statements) @ amanda.vorster@metsimaholo.gov.za or 016 973 8377.
7. The tariffs are applicable for consumers account from **01 July 2019**
8. Any objection to the determination as set out above, it must reach the undersigned in writing within 14 (fourteen) days after the date of publication
9. **Please note tariffs are VAT exclusive.**

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(Notice No: 16/2019)