

**MUNICIPAL NOTICE 97 OF 2016**

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**RESOLUTION LEVYING RATES FOR 2016/2017**

Notice is hereby given in terms of Section 14(1) and (2) of the Local Government Municipal Property Rates Act No.6 of 2004 that by resolution taken on 30 May 2016, resolution number C/14.1/06/05/16, rates payable on all rateable property within the area of Nquthu Municipality for the financial year 1 July 2016 to 30 June 2017 as listed below on the market value of the property as stated in the valuation roll.

Categories	Rate Randages	Ratio to residential tariff	Rebates and exemption
Residential property	R0.01400	1:1	R100 000.00
Business, Commercial and Industrial property	R0.02800	1:2	R0
Agricultural property	R0.00350	1:0.25	R0
State Trust Land	R0.03080	1:2.2	R0
State owned property	R0.03080	1:2.2	R0
Public Infrastructure	R0.00350	1:0.25	30%:20%
Public Benefit Organization	R0.00350	1:0.25	R0
Vacant Land	R0.03500	1:2.5	R0
Public Worship	R0.00000		100%
Municipal property	R0.00000		100%

**GENERAL**

1. Rates will be payable monthly in ten (10) equal installments.
2. Any arrear rates will be subject to legal action as per the municipality's Debt Collection and Credit Control Policy.
3. Any rates that are not paid on the due date will be subject to interest at the rate of 11% per month or part thereof.
4. A collection fee of 10% will be raised on the amount outstanding for longer than 30 days.
5. The date on which the notice was first displayed on the Municipal Notice Board is 30 May 2016.
6. This notice as well as the approved Rates Policy is available on Nquthu municipality's website: [www.nquthu.gov.za](http://www.nquthu.gov.za)

**AMENDMENTS TO TARIFFS 2016/2017 FINANCIAL YEAR**

Notice is hereby given in terms of section 75A (3)(b) of the Local Government Municipal Systems Act (Act 32 of 2000), that the Nquthu Municipal Council by resolution taken on 30 May 2016 resolved to amend its tariffs in respect of the following:

1. Refuse removal
2. Electricity
3. Hire of municipal halls, kitchen and sports field.
4. Building plans
5. Town planning fees
6. Cemetery fess
7. Miscellaneous

The proposed amendments are available for inspection at the municipal offices during normal working hours and will be displayed on the municipal notice board at the municipal offices, library and halls.  
 The date at which this notice was first displayed on the municipal notice board is 30 May 2016.

The above tariffs are excluding VAT and will come into operation on 1 July 2016.

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