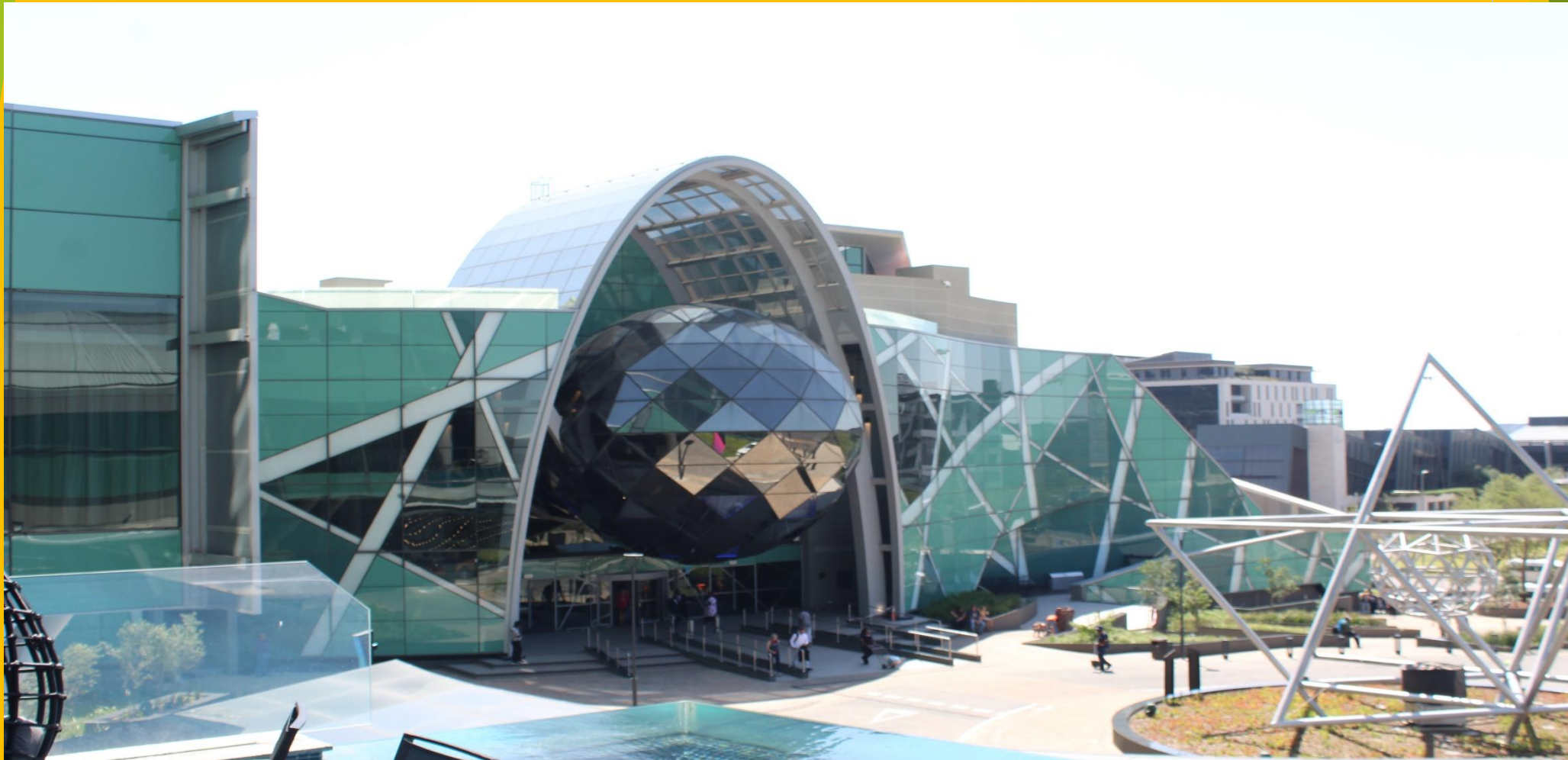




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# Greater Tshwane SANCO Mission and Vision

To improve the Living Conditions of our Communities

To Eradicate Poverty and Instability

To Build a united Community

To Promote Socio-economy and Justice for all

To create empowerment Structures

To continue to be the center of influence within our Communities

*People Centered People Driven*







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Regional Deputy Chairperson: Molatelo Mashola

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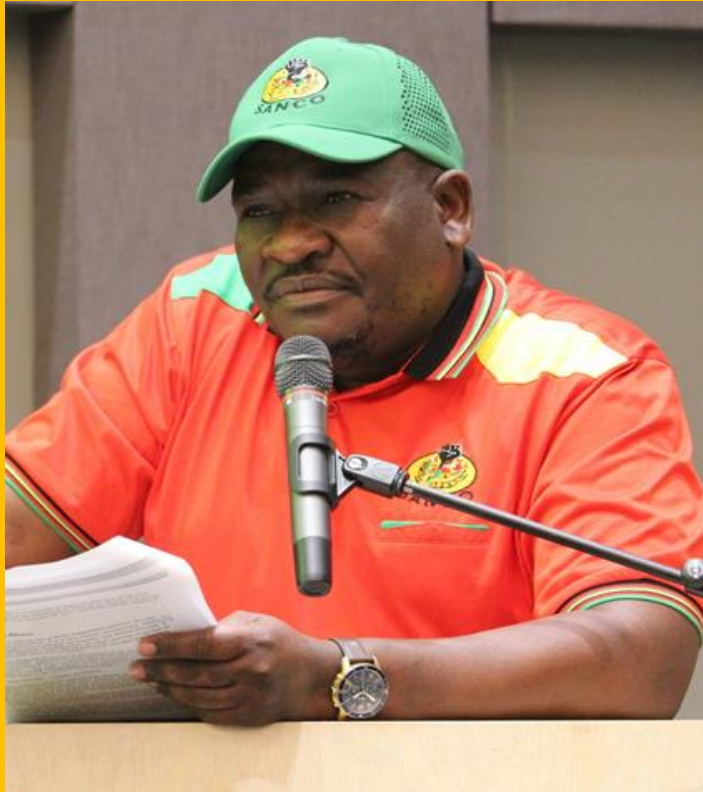
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1. Basic and higher education
2. Health
3. Human settlement and community safety
1. Basic education

- The basic education as we look presently becomes not inclusive, we have many unused property but to be used as clear Pre School facilities and training should be conducted as most of the home crèches use to sing and sleep during the day unlike learning
- Bringing schools inspection in doing the evaluation of schools
- NHI the capacity of children in the public schools per class
- All the government employees should take their children in the locals schools so that they can change or prioritize our local schools
- We are facing challenges especially in grades R in the public schools as the act that is saying a child has right to learn in an conducive and again there is a budget of this and it doesn't assist and in end up going back to the board
- SANCO should be part of SGB'S to be involved in the day to day running of schools
- Most of the schools are still using the old policy that was written long ago of which it should be changed or drafted to a suitable policy
- Parents should play a big role in their children while they are at schools but visiting and checking how their children are doing

## Commission on Social Transformation



- ECD should be moved from social development to education department
- Taking back the format of grades in a same school
- Separation of slow and disabilities learners to a top care
- NGO's funding that was assisting learners who couldn't afford has been stopped at the child welfare and that makes the children not to focus while they are at schools
- we are allowing apartheid in our schools whereby our children are sitting at the back of the class and only allowed Afrikaans spoken in the classroom
- In human life and environment due to not having directive ( TVET and FET colleges should be more build)
- Teaches should stop taking out their frustrations on learners while they are at class

The system is teaching is failing us .

We should start identifying our children at the early age of what they love doing and will train them on that.

- Having SGB at lower School also we should have SGB on tertiary institutions in dealing with payment or assistance of students
- The post jobs or teachers in schools are only opened by the number of learners at not by the need of teachers in schools that should be changed
- Changing the competition to more into cooperative schools whereby the will be school of science, environment etc.
- Most of the university courses should start practiced in the basic we education





# Commission on Economic Transformation



## Recommendations to plenary

We note that government policy in the main is reformist in nature and not transformational

- (1) We need to ensure our communities have corporative and participate in value chain in terms of business
- (2) We need to have our city adopt urban farming models and zone pockets of land accordingly for agricultural purposes
- (3) We need to work on ensuring the transformation of the education system to speak to the economy by creating entrepreneurs (From Basic Education skills transfer should be nurtured)
- (4) Red tapes on funding
  - Current funding models excludes our people
  - Look into establishing community funding structures
- (5) Case study on Tshwane Fresh Market and look at consumer patterns. Land must be availed for farming in different zones
- (6) Building of capacity for black business
- (7) Ensure policy directives that enable/promote buying local and black owned products
- (8) Ensure collective bargaining using the model of Broederbond
- (9) Encourage waste economy participation by creating mechanism for our people to participate in the whole value chain of waste collection to recycling.



## Commission on Economic Transformation



(9) Encourage waste economy participation by creating mechanism for our people to participate in the whole value chain of waste collection to recycling.

(10) Ensure that strategic government departments are moved to townships to attract investment or development. ( Eg, the building of the Parliament of South Afrika in Mamelodi)

Resolution on the chairperson's report.

We note the report presented by the chairman but have concluded that it is inconclusive.

This is brought by our understanding that the report in writing only deals with one side/NEC and ignore the other NEC because there is no list of the other NEC.

On the Bushiri matter we recommend that SANCO expand its interest to other faiths as well.





# Commission on Legislature and Governance



## 1. STRATERGIC APPROUCH

1. Legislature and governance talk about the struggle, as led by the African National Congress
2. The Liberation movement fighting for transformation of the state and building a legitimate state
  - Building free corrupt state
  - Consolidate Power and address the capacity of the state, National, Provincial and local government
  - Focus on the macro configuration of the state

## 2. WHAT IS IT THAT WE ARE LOOKING FOR

- Public service administration at the provincial level
- Service delivery and capacity building
- Cadre development
- Spatial planning and development
- Urbanization and Economic development
- Governance of Institution that supports democracy
- Objectives of state transformation, highlights and gains of the ANC led democratic state
- Challenges facing democratic society

The Context of the National development plan, our people are not aware of the contents of the national development plan



### 3. IMPORTANT AREAS ON COOPERATIVE GOVERNANCE

- The need for more integrated governance
- The future of Provinces
- The role of district municipalities
- More effective governance in municipalities
- Strengthening ward committees
- Composition of the municipal demarcation boards
- Strengthen systems to detect and deal with corruption
- Strengthen Ward committees
- Instability and uncertainty in the role and functions of the three spheres
- Weaknesses in framework of the three spheres of governance.
- Role of provinces is uncertain





#### 4. LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Municipal Government is key in deepening democracy and there must social cohesion
- Accountability and effectiveness must be strengthened

#### RESOLUTIONS

##### PROGRESS MADE BY THE ANC LED GOVERNMENT IN TRANSFORMING THE STATE

3. ANC has done a lot work to transform the state by putting in legislation and program that will drive transformation of the state.
4. However some of this achievements are not properly communicated to the people and create uncertainty of the work done by government.

##### **Resolved**

5. That ANC must build capacity to interact with the people and ensure proper coordination of all spheres of government. This should be done on continuous basis and not only during elections.
6. Government must put strong measures to control our borders to curb illegal migration as it constrains resources and capacity of the state to provide services.



**THE ROLE OF ANC STRUCTURES AND ALLIANCE MUST PLAY IN SUPPORTING GOVERNMENT IN ALL THREE SPHERES OF GOVERNMENT  
RESOLVED.**

7. The ANC and the alliance must be agents of change. We must make sure that policies of the ANC are implemented and exercise oversight over legislature and council at all levels of governance.
8. Utilize our structure to influence agenda of the legislature and council in responding to the challenges confronted by communities
9. Consistent alliance meeting to discuss Issues of common interest, monitor and evaluate work of government and its impact on the lives of the people and pre-determined policy objectives and election manifesto.

**HOW BEST CAN ANC STRUCTURES AND THE ALLIANCE SUPPORT THE ANC LED GOVERNMENT IN DELIVERING SERVICES  
RESOLVED**

10. As stipulated in the S and T document we must build a developmental state that will respond to three interrelated challenges of unemployment poverty and inequality. Respond to the service delivery needs of our communities
11. Deploy cadres on merit and track record ability to drive transformation agenda of the ANC
12. Popularize government programs and the IDP





### **IMPROVING THE LIVES OF SOUTH AFRICANS RESOLVED**

13. We must continue to use all spheres of government to drive the transformation agenda of the state, which necessitate that, in the next coming local government we work to return the metros lost to DA/EFF in Gauteng.

14. As stipulated in the NDP, We must encourage active citizenry in responding to the community needs, that our people cannot be spectators in the transformation agenda. We must move with the motive forces of NDR in realizing the historic mission of the ANC and its alliance structures.

### **ANC PUBLIC ELECTED REPRESENTATIVES, COUNCILLORS, MPL'S AND MP'S VISIBILITY IN COMMUNITIES TO ADDRESS THE NEEDS OF THE PEOPLE RESOLVED**

15. Councilors are visible through their public consultation meeting accept in other wards. The branches of both the ANC and its alliance must ensure that there is consistent interaction with our people on service delivery, government programs and service delivery.

16. SANCO branches must work with PCO'S and ANC caucus to hold councilors accountability.

17. Cadres deployed as MP's and MPL'S must convene public meetings through the PCO'S offices to report on work of parliament and provincial legislature. Stake holders can also be used to interact with communities.

### **EFFECTIVENESS OF PUBLIC REPRESENTATIVE IN PROMOTING PARTICIPATORY DEMOCRACY RESOLVED**



18. We have noted that some councilors are responsive but we have many that are not interacting with the masses and some that are not disseminating the correct message which create social distance and uncertainty. As a result we therefore resolved to build capacity of ward councilors in responding to community issues

19. SANCO must lobby the ANC to relook at guidelines of deployment of MP's, MPL's and Councilors. We must have representatives that are equal to the task. We must not use deployment as a dustbin of comrades and employment of friends. There are many leaders whom we failed the organization as councilors but we see them being deployed or the lists to legislature and parliament. The selection process must not be about what an individual needs but about selecting the best amongst ourselves.

20. SANCO branches must work with government to popularize government policies. Legislative frameworks and by-laws. This includes advancing views of the community and ensure that they find expression in all spheres of government.





## PCO'S ROLE IN ADDRESSING THE NEEDS OF THE PEOPLE RESOLVED

21. Most MP, S and MPL only visit their offices during elections, they are not even providing reports on the work done by their offices.

22. We reaffirm the ANC 53<sup>th</sup> National Conference Resolutions that **the “a clear accountability framework which articulates the roles and responsibilities of cadres operating in the state should be developed”** The frame work must impose tough actions against those that fail to perform their constituency work.

23. Build relationship with PCO'S and hold deployed cadres accountable. The REC must develop a strategy on how we must engage with PCO deployed in a manner that will be responsive to service delivery challenges

24. Work with the ANC to persistently organize public interactive sessions with the parliamentary office where MP'S and MPL;S will report and engage with the communities.



**HOW DO WE UTILIZE THE STATE TO RESPOND TO THE THREE INTER RELATED CHALLENGES OF UNEMPLOYMENT, POVERTY AND INEQUALITY  
RESOLVED**

25. We need to ensure proper planning, Coordination and stream lining of programs to respond to service delivery challenges in all spheres of government.

26. In the case of metros in Gauteng where the municipality is under the DA/EFF administration. We request the national and provincial government to work with the ANC caucus in ensuring proper communication of projects and services.

2.7. We must mobilize the community to take part in budget and IDP process to enhance participatory democracy and respond to needs that existed for many years in the IDP without been funded in the budget. SANCO branches, working with the ANC, must take this issues up and raise them with the current DA/EFF government.





## **HIGH BILLING AND TARRIFS IN THE MUNICIPALITY RESOLVED**

28. SANCO REC and Branches must deal with the current credit control policy and billing system. The policy must be considerate and buyers to the poor and the elderly. We must also consider high tariffs imposed on those that constantly pay their services which are mainly the elderly.

29. We must lobby for changing of charges imposed by estimation and charged on leaking water meters that are not maintained or fixed after been reported.

30. SANCO must ensure that standardized rates and taxis are imposed across municipalities and regions.

31. The REC must organize a regional march on high billing and unfair credit control measures imposed on the poor and the elderly

## **ENHANCEMENT OF PARTICIPATORY DEMOCRACY AND UNDERSTANDING OF MUNICIPAL BY-LAWS, IDP, BUDGET AND WARD COMMITTIES RESOLVED**

32. Popularize by laws and ensure that the community take part in development of bylaws and acts and implementation.

33. Push for urgent establishment of Ward committees in the city of Tshwane as per legislative requirements.

34. Mobilize community to take part in crafting of IDP and budgets.



## **SPATIAL PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT TO BE USED TO RESPOND TO REDISTRIBUTION OF LAND AND SERVICE DELIVERY**

31. We must FastTrack transfer process of the land owned by National and provincial government for local Economic development, Agricultural programs and descent settlement purposes.

32. Coordinate spatial planning in all spheres and dealing with apartheid spatial planning. Develop and urbanize areas that still do not have necessary infrastructure for community development.

## **CORRUPTION**

### **RESOLVED**

33. SANCO in all its structures must expose corruption irrespective of color, political affiliation or status and for us to speak with authority we must disassociate ourselves from corrupt individuals and activities. This will position SANCO as a voice of reason and authority on matters of corruption.

## **CONCLUSION**

34. As articulated in the Strategy and tactics document of the ANC, that the main goal of the state is “ **building a developmental state that provides effective basic services and with capabilities to take forward a far reaching agenda of national economic development, whilst at the same time placing people and their involvement at the Centre of this process**”

35. We must put more efforts and add more impetus in building the capacity of the state in particular local government as the closest sphere of government to the people.





## Declaration of Greater Tshwane SANCO General Council



Held at Times Square Casino ,209 Aramist .Menlyn 16 March 2019

We, the hundred and twenty four delegates in this Regional General Council (RGC) gathered in Times Square Casino ,209 Aramist .Menlyn,Tshwane on the 16<sup>th</sup> March 2019, united in diversity as the Greater Civic organization in Tshwane, hereby adopt this declaration as a collective message to the entire Tshwane Community and South African Republic Society at this electioneering time for the 6<sup>th</sup> Republic of South African Democratic Parliament taking place on the 8<sup>th</sup> May 2019.

We are People centered and people driven organization and thereby take stock of issues that plaque our society today and our movement in general. Through the tradition of SANCO and through on going reflection which was made on the state of the organization continue to isolate the problems that besiege us and the worrying tendencies that find expression in the current conjecture.

Resolute in our conviction and commitment to integrate in the society, this we shall achieve by ensuring that we empower ourselves culturally and socio-economically

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We further believe that from the position of our hard fought gains, our integration in to society can only benefit the whole country and our people can only achieve through liberation if our behavior is consistent and in resonant with their aspiration and that SANCO remains the only vehicle through which our people can achieve and realize their aspirations.

Consistent with the call for maximum unity and discipline conveyed by the delegates in this general council, we dedicate this council to sacrifices by those before us, to bring us where we are today and recognize that all times they were guided by principles of organization discipline and unity of purpose.

We therefore commit this REC to implement the program of organizational renewal to safeguard the core values of SANCO and builds its transformative capacity as power house and driver of fundamental change.







## Declaration of Greater Tshwane SANCO General Council



At the core of above, should be united and revolutionary SANCO as part of Alliance of revolutionaries that are rooted amongst the people and the commitment. Contentious, competent, disciplined and capable corps of cadres

We emerge from this Regional Council having reaffirmed our firm believe that SANCO's Culture of vibrant internal democracy enhances our unity of purpose rather than being a source of divisions and internal discord. We arrived here with different viewpoints on many issues and are returning to our branches with an unbreakable unity of purpose and a single minded focus of ensuring that SANCO continues to be a loyal servant of people and effective movement for transformation.

Now therefore to this General Council hereby adopt this declaration as our collective commitment and statement of intent to the membership of our region and people of the City that working together we will build a better city and a brighter future and edge everyone eligible to vote ANC on 8<sup>th</sup> of MAY 2019.

Amandla, Khuluma Mhlali Khuluma.....



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