A WARD COUNCILLOR WORKS WITH RESIDENTS AND MAKES PROGRESS POSSIBLE WITH THE CITY

How a ward councillor works in collaboration with her community to create positive change.



During a ward meeting, a ward councillor identifies a need for more community gardens in the area that will benefit the poor in consultation with the local community.



The subcouncil approves the project and provides funds from the annual ward budget. The City's Social Development department is brought in as a partner.



The project is announced at a subcouncil meeting after the conclusion of the public consultation process.



These gardens will provide vegetables to the community in the ward and act as a food bank that provides ingredients for soup.



Residents from the councillor's ward present the issue at their subcouncil meeting. The issue is advertised in the media for public comment.



The project is approved and completed by EPWP (Expanded Public Works Programme) workers from the community.



Community volunteers are trained to maintain the community gardens.



Four community gardens are established on City land in Ravensmead, Uitsig and Eureka Estate. The community now has access to fresh produce that can supplement their nutrition.

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