



UGU DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY

AN INDEPENDENT SERVICE PROVIDER CONTRACTED BY UGU DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY IS LOOKING FOR:

WAR ON LEAKS PROJECT ASSISTANTS X250
Monthly Stipend: R 3 000 per month
(12 Months Contract)

Reporting to the Management of Water Services Department, the successful candidates will be responsible for the following, inter-alia:

- Inspecting taps, standpipes, water meters, pipelines, valves, hydrants and other water infrastructure for leaks, defects or water losses
- Identifying and reporting burst pipes, damaged infrastructure, overflowing reservoirs, leaking meters, illegal water connections and suspected water meter tampering.
- Monitoring and verifying previously reported leaks and providing feedback on repair status
- Accurately record the location, type and severity of leaks using prescribed reporting method
- Conducting household visits to educating residents on responsible water use and water conservation practices
- Encouraging residents to report water leaks and faults through approved municipal reporting channels
- Maintaining accurate records of minor repairs completed and materials utilised
- Referring major plumbing defects, burst pipes and complex repairs to Municipal artisans
- Providing support to the Plumbers during the marking off a work area/ site holding measuring tapes and inserting level indicators
- Placing and stacking tools/equipment in the vehicle, observing sequences and procedures supporting safe transit
- Removing debris/ rubble etc and cleaning worksites.
- Performing any other lawful duties related to the War on Leaks Programme as assigned by the supervisor

Minimum Requirements:

- Applicants must be 18 – 55 years
- Must be in possession of a valid Grade 12 Certificate, or equivalent.
- **Applicants with a recognised plumbing certificate will receive strong preference for supervisory roles.**
- Must be a South African Citizen residing within the Geographical area of **Ugu District Municipality (Ray Nkonyeni Local Municipality, Umdoni Local Municipality, Umuziwabantu Local Municipality or Umzumbe Local Municipality)**
- Must provide proof of residence authenticating that they reside within one of the above-mentioned Local Municipalities
- Must be willing to work in all weather conditions

The canvassing of councillors and/or management in respect of this database will lead to disqualification of the affected applicant.

Letters of application indicating the position being applied for, together with a comprehensive Curriculum Vitae and certified copies of qualifications to be forwarded to The Manager: Human Resources, Ugu District Municipality, PO Box 33 (96 Marine Drive, Oslo Beach), PORT SHEPSTONE, 4240.

The closing date for applications will be 16h00, Friday 21 August 2026. Appropriately qualifying women are encouraged to apply.