

Job Profile Chief Operations Officer





JOB INFORMATION SUMMARY		
JOB TITLE:	Chief Operations Officer (COO)	
REPORTS TO:	Managing Director	
PROPOSED PATERSON JOB GRADE:	E5/TASK 23	
OCCUPATIONAL LEVEL	Executive Management	
FUNCTIONAL AREA:	Office of Managing Director	
COMPANY:	PIKITUP SOC (Ltd)	
LOCATION	Pikitup Head Office Johannesburg	

ROLE PURPOSE

To develop, implement and review the entire operations of Pikitup to ensure a consistent standard of service excellence is developed and maintained that matches the strategic direction and intent of the City of Johannesburg and Pikitup and all the Service Delivery Agreement (SDA) requirements of the shareholder. Operation's responsibility covers the entire implementation component of the waste management value chain from collection, reuse, treatment and disposal. It includes the operations for both council and commercial service and the management of fleet.

ROLE REQUIREMENT			
Essence of the role/Key Accountabilities	Key Activities / Decision Areas		
Strategy Development, Planning and Reporting	 Formulate and align departmental policy and strategy within Pikitup policy and strategy; Ensure all standards and requirements of the SDA with the CoJ are met; Ensure IDP delivery; Ensure alignments in accordance with good performance practices; Align department resources to strategy; Scan environment to identify best practice; Provide strategic leadership: create an awareness of customer centred service delivery; Designing, planning and implementation of business strategies processes and procedures. 		
Oversee Operational Efficiency and Service Delivery	 Collections (Door-to-door collection (RCR); Separation at source; Bulk and Dailies Collections; Business RCR); Disposal (Management of the Landfill Sites; Garden Sites Operations; Compost Plant Operations; Medical Waste Thermal Treatment Facility Management; Buy back Centres and all DSM waste initiatives); To operate and manage waste disposal through landfill sites. To enable the process that is designed to minimise the environmental impact of waste by changing the physical Properties of waste or separating out and components of waste. 		



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	 Street sweeping and litter picking; Clearing Illegal Dumps; Oversee processes relating to continuous improvement; Evaluate options re technical and other resources to enhance operational efficiency; Encourage residents to separate their waste at their homes utilising a 3 receptacle model to reduce waste going to landfills. 		
Contract Management	 Ensure that all service delivery agreements are met and penalties for non-performance are imposed; Manage fleet, disposal and other operations contract implementation effectively; Ensure that processes to ensure procurement are done correctly and on time; Conduct supplier performance monitoring; Ensure contract implementation and performance reporting to management. 		
Knowledge Management	 Develop and implement optimal organisational structures; Set human capital targets and manage staffing levels accordingly; Manage all Pikitup deliverables; Manage deliverables of direct reports; Conduct quarterly performance reviews respectively; Motivate and coach direct reports; Inform directs reports of organisational development on a regular basis; Identify training needs and implement PDP for direct reports. 		
Compliance & Risk	 Develop methodologies dedicated to reducing the company's carbon footprint in compliance to the environmental regulations set by the government; Identify Operational risks that the company is exposed to and implement appropriate risk management strategies; Ensure that operations adequately report on risk management; Implement appropriate risk management strategies in Operations Report on risk management. 		

KEY RELATIONSHIP INTERFACES

Internal Key Relationships (to Pikitup):

- Pikitup Board of Directors
- Managing Director
- Executives and Senior Managers
- Pikitup Staff, particularly large operations team

External Relationships (with departments and other key parties):

- CoJ (Shareholders)
- Government departments
- Contractors
- Consultants



	Job Specific Requirements				
	Competencies (Knowledge, skills and attributes)				
Skills		Technical / Professional Expertise			
Knowle	Strong communication and diplomacy skills Analysis and problem solving Strategy formulation and implementation Influence and collaborative skills Effective verbal and written presentation at all levels Report writing Data analysis Change Management Program and Project management Application hosting management and support management Finance Management HR Management Strategic direction and Leadership Governance Leadership	 Integrity and Honesty Strategic Thinking Organising & Prioritising Judgement and decision making Building a vision Adapting and responding to change Developing relationships Dynamic and influential Networking and collaboration 			
Knowle	edge:				
•	Understanding Municipal Finance management Act (MFMA) and related regulations Knowledge of Treasury Regulations and Public Service Regulations Knowledge of industry standards, best practice and trends in the discipline				

Minimum Qualifications

- BSc (Hons), or Honours degree in Engineering, Business Management, Waste Management or General Management or equivalent relevant qualification
- Masters degree will be an added advantage
- Qualification in Municipal Financial Management Act (MFMA), candidates who do not possess this qualification will be required to acquire it within 18 months from date of appointment.

Minimum Working Experience

- 10 years' relevant experience
- At least 5 years' experience at a senior management level
- In-depth understanding of Operations
- Experience in the senior management of large core service of a City or large municipality is preferable
- Understanding of project management

Job profile: Chief Operations Officer (COO) STRUCTURE EM: Operations Executive Secretary

GM: Disposal

Name (Incumbent)

Signature

Date

Name (1st level Manager)

Signature

Date

Name (2nd level Manager)

Signature

Date

Fleet Operations

& Logistics

GM: Operations

Waste

Minimisation

Support Services