

SWARTLAND MUNICIPALITY



Swartland Municipality ensures the wellbeing of all communities within the Swartland region through economic growth, social wellbeing, community involvement and effective management within a safe and healthy environment. Women and persons with disabilities are encouraged to apply.

Swartland Municipality, with its head office in Malmesbury, services the towns of Malmesbury, Yzerfontein, Moorreesburg, Darling, Koringberg, Abbotdale, Kalbaskraal, Chatsworth, Riverlands, Riebeeck West and Riebeeck Kasteel. The hub of the Swartland offers you the best of two worlds. You work and live in a tranquil, rural environment with all the modern amenities at hand. When you want to get away from it all, Cape Town is barely 60 km away, while various resorts along the picturesque West Coast are literally just around the corner.

The Municipality currently offers the following vacancy (ies) and awaits applications from competent persons who comply with the minimum job requirements.

VACANCY
INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL APPLICANTS WILL BE ACCEPTED

JOB TITLE: ASSISTANT ACCOUNTANT: METER READING

Place of Work: Malmesbury

Vacancy reference number: V13/26

DIRECTORATE: FINANCIAL SERVICES

Requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Good communication abilities • Good interpersonal abilities • Good numeracy skills • Valid Code B driver's license
Qualification:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A relevant 3-year tertiary qualification, preferably a National Diploma or B Com with financial accounting as a major subject, Computer literacy; MS Office
Experience:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 0-2 years relevant experience
Job Purpose:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Perform an accounting service to ensure accuracy and completeness of consumer billings. Control and manage monthly meter readings. Control and manage the production of monthly management accounts. Responsible for reconciliations of register in the finance department. Supervision of training, productivity and performance of subordinates. Customer Care Services and Various tasks.
Key Performance Areas:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Accounting Services • Meter Reading Management and Control • Management of Personnel, Supervision of Training, Productivity and performance of subordinates. • Customer Care Service • Administrative Duties

Core Professional Competencies	Functional Competencies	Public Service Orientation Competencies	Personal Competencies	Management /Leadership Orientation
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Influencing • Technical Communication • Organisation Awareness • Conceptual Thinking 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Project Management • Financial Management • Information Measuring and Monitoring • Technology Usage 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Service Delivery Orientation • Interpersonal Relationships • Communication • Customer Orientation and Customer Focus 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Action Orientation • Resilience • Change Readiness • Learning Orientation • Problem Solving • Accountability and Ethical Conduct 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Direction Setting • Impact and Influence • Coaching and Mentoring • Team Orientation

Salary:	R 356 340 – R 462 540 per annum (T-11 of a Category 4 Local Authority)
Enquiries:	Rachelle van Zyl at 022 487 9400

GENERAL:

1. A service bonus equivalent to one month's salary, where applicable, will be payable and be supplemented by the normal benefits applicable to the Municipality, including a housing allowance for homeowners subject to certain conditions and relocation costs (conditions apply).
2. The Municipality is committed to Employment Equity and respects the conditions of the Employment Equity Act. Preference will be given to candidates who comply with the Employment Equity Targets.
3. The Municipality is not bound to make any appointment.
4. Where necessary applicants will be subjected to screening and vetting with the consent of the applicant. Fraudulent qualifications or documentation will immediately disqualify an applicant.
5. Applications received after the closing date or that have been received without the documentation mentioned below, will not be considered.
6. Applications that do not meet all the advertised requirements for the position, will not be considered, therefore applicants must please ensure that they meet all requirements before applying for the position.
7. Applications not made on the prescribed application form will render any appointment or contract entered into, between the municipality and the successful candidate invalid.
8. Only short-listed applicants will be contacted for interviews. Applicants can regard their applications as being unsuccessful if no feedback has been received within six weeks from the closing date.
9. Canvassing of any councillor and/or member of the Selection Panel and/or any employee of the Municipality will not be allowed and will immediately disqualify applicants.
10. In addition to the minimum job requirements and station mentioned herein, applicants may be expected to work overtime or be on standby, as well as render services in other parts within the municipal area, as required.
11. The municipality respects the conditions of the Protection of Personal Information Act. By submitting your information and application you confirm that the information you have provide to us is true, up to date and correct.
12. Preferences will be given to internal and local candidates within the Swartland Municipal area.
13. Successful candidates will be expected to sign a contract of employment, disclosure of benefits and interests and a performance contract (where applicable) with the employer.

A covering letter with at least two (2) contactable references (managers, subordinates or peers), must accompany the completed prescribed application form (available on request at Tel. 022 487 9400 or on the municipality's website www.swartland.org.za) with certified copies of the necessary qualification, certificates, ID document, driver's license and a Curriculum Vitae (Maximum of three (3) pages). Completed applications on which the post reference numbers are clearly indicated must be delivered to the **Municipal offices, 1 Kerk Street, Malmesbury or posted to Private Bag X52, Malmesbury, 7299 for the attention of Mrs R van Zyl (Snr HR Practitioner: Recruitment and Selection)** by no later than the closing date.

NO FAXES OR ELECTRONIC APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED.

CLOSING DATE: FRIDAY, 5 JUNE 2026 AT 12:00

JJ SCHOLTZ
MUNICIPAL MANAGER

23 MAY 2026

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