

CONSOLIDATION OF CAPACITY BUILDING GRANTS (CBG'S)

Key Issues Noted:

- **Fragmentation of Grant Support and management.**
- **Lack of institutional support**
- **Non-Expenditure**
- **Lack of information to municipalities**

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Problems Noted:

- **Poor communication between National and Provincial govt**
- **Process of access is complicated**
- **BP's done through District Municipalities to Local Municipalities until 2005**

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Problems Noted:

- **Funds went to the HR person, and WSM were not able to access it for various reasons**
- **CBG managed at National – no involvement of provinces, and no quarterly reporting.**

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Problems Noted (2

- **No Capacity to track expenditure (Fund) and no support in place to help with reporting.**

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Way Forward

- **Provide hands on support to Municipalities**
- **Proactive approach – provide diagnostic support**
- **Assists Municipalities to develop plans and access CBG's**

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Way Forward (2)

- **Restructure coordination to include a Provincial support resource eg. Provincial Coordinator to ensure the Municipal Action Plans include water sector priorities-.**
- **Output: Provincial Capacity Building Plans.**

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Way Forward (3)

- **DWAF to continue its sector leadership role as well as M & E oversight.**
- *** Time Frames –Task team (Marie, Jenny, Lucky)**