

Agri-parks Presentation 02 JUNE 2016



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- The Department of Agriculture Forestry and Fisheries (DAFF)
- The Economic Development Department (EDD)
- The Department of Trade and Industry (DTI)
- The Department of Science and Technology (DST)
- The Department of Small Business Development (DSBD)
- The Department of Water and Sanitation (DWS)
- The Department of Environmental Affairs (DEA)
- The Department of Cooperative Governance (DCoG)



Strategic objectives of Agri-parks

NDP (National Development Plan)



- 1 million additional jobs in the agricultural sector by 2030;
- 1 million hectares under production

NGP (New Growth Path)



- 145,000 new jobs in agro-processing by 2020;
- 300 000 new smallholders

MTSF (Medium-Term Strategic Framework)



- 1 million new jobs in rural economy by 2030;
- Reduction of rural unemployment from 49% to less than 40% by 2030



Agri-parks Programme in the 9 Point Plan

- 1.Resolving the energy challenge
- 2. Revitalising Agriculture and the Agro-processing value chain (RAAVC)
 - ✓ Agri-parks Programme
- 3. Advancing beneficiation or adding value to the mineral wealth
- 4. More effective implementation of a higher impact Industrial Action Policy Action Plan (IPAP)
- 5. Encouraging private-sector investment
- 6. Moderating workplace conflict.
- 7. Unlocking the potential of SMMEs, cooperatives, townships and rural enterprises
- 8. State reform and boosting the role of state-owned companies, information and communications technology infrastructure or broadband roll-out, water, sanitation and transport infrastructure
- 9. Operation Phakisa, which is aimed at growing the ocean economy and other sectors



Guiding Principles (10)

- 1. One Agri-Park per District (44)
- 2. Agri-parks must be farmer controlled.
- 3. Agri-parks must be the catalyst around which rural industrialization will takes place.
- 4. Agri-parks must be supported by government (10 years) to ensure economic sustainability.
- 5. Strengthen partnership between government and private sector stakeholders to ensure increased access to services (water, energy, transport) and production on the one hand, while developing existing and create new markets to strengthen and expand value-chains in-line with APAP.



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- 6. Maximise benefit to existing state land with agricultural potential in the provinces, where possible.
- 7. Maximise access to markets to all farmers, with a bias to emerging farmers and rural communities.
- 8. Maximise the use of high value agricultural land (high production capability).
- 9. Maximise use of existing agro-processing, bulk and logistics infrastructure, including having availability of water, energy and roads.
- 10. Support growing-towns and revitalisation of rural towns, in terms of high economic growth, high population growth over past 10 years and promote rural urban linkages



Definition of an Agri-park

The Agri-park comprises three distinct but interrelated basic components:

- 1. The Farmer Production Support Unit (FPSU) -a rural small-holder farmer outreach and capacity building unit. The FPSU does primary production, extension services including mechanisation.
- 2. The Agri-hub (AH) processing, packaging, logistics, equipment hire innovation and training unit.
- 3. <u>The Rural Urban Market Centre (RUMC)</u>. The RUMC has three main purposes;
 - Linking and contracting rural, urban and international markets through contracts.
 - Acting as a holding-facility, releasing produce to urban markets based on seasonal trends.
 - Provides market intelligence and information feedback, to the AH and FPSU, using latest Information and communication technologies.

An **Agri-park** is a networked innovation system of agro-production, processing, logistics, marketing, training and extension services, located in a District Municipality. As a network it enables a market-driven combination and integration of various agricultural activities and rural transformation services.

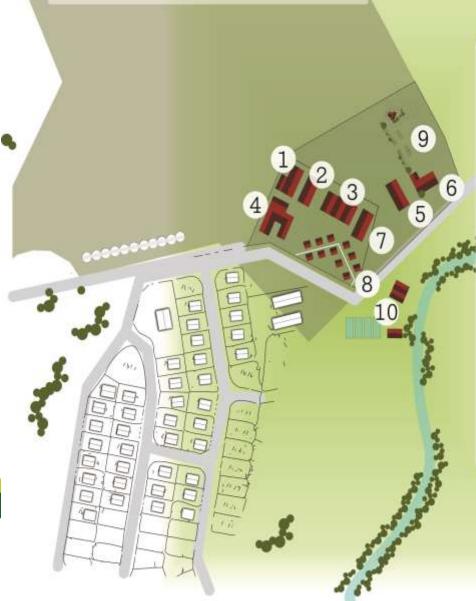
Static representation of the Agri-park Model



Unpacking the model....



Farmer Production Support Unit



- 1. Agricultural Extension support office
- 2. Local Mechanization center and workshop
- 3. Primary logistics collection support centre
- 4. Produce sorting facility
- 5. Storage facility
- 6. Local packhouse
- 7. Small scale processing facilities for local market
- 8. Local market
- 9. Auction facility
- 10. Aquaculture and Agri-Tourism Facility

Clarification of terms: FPSU

A **Farmer Production Support Unit (FPSU)**: Are a. Weighing of produce and stock.

Centers (more than one per district) of:

- Agricultural input supply control, in terms of a. quality, quantity and timeous deployment of inputs.
- b. Extension support and training, using Universities, agricultural graduates and Narysec working in a symbiotic relationship to J. "hold-hands" with farmers over the next 10 years.
- Mechanization support (tractor driving, C. ploughing, spraying, harvesting etc.)
- Machinery, servicing workshop facilities. d.
- Local logistics support, which could entail the e. delivery of farming inputs, transportation post-ⁿ. 0. harvest, transportation to local markets.
- Primary produce collection. f.

- b. Sorting of produce for local and other markets.
- Packaging of produce for local markets C.
- h. Local storage.
- i. Processing for local markets (small scale mills etc.)
 - Auction facilities for local markets
- Provide Market information on commodity k. prices (ICT).
- Farmers wanting services and support from Ι. the FPSU will register with the FPSU of their choice.
- m. Small Business Development and Training center.
 - Banking
- Fuel (energy center)





- 1. Retail facility
- 2. Administrative facility
- 3. Machinery rental/Mechanisation support
- 4. Packaging
- 5. Quality Control
- 6. Agro-processing
- 7. Training Centre
- 8. Research and Demonstration Plots
- 7 9. Student and Staff housing
- 10. Logistics and transport facility
- 11. Agricultural input distribution and sales centre
- 12. Silo's
- 13. Abattoir
- 14. Feedlots
- 15. Aquaculture
- 16. Greenhouses
- Railway line

Clarification of terms: AH

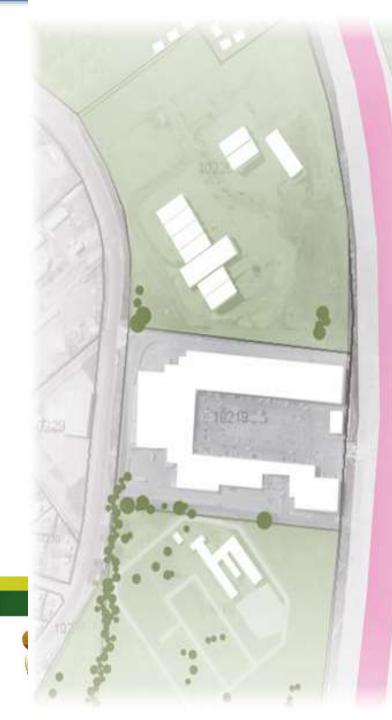
<u>Agri-hub:</u> Agri-hubs are located in central places with in a District Municipality, preferably places both sufficient, physical and social infrastructure to accommodate:

- a. Storage/warehousing facilities; cold storage, dehydrators, silos etc.
- b. Weighing facilities
- c. Agri-processing facilities;ginners, mills, abbitoirs,
- d. Enterprise development areas that lease space to high intensity start-up industries that j. can benefit from the inputs of outputs of the k. Agri-hub, i.e. piggeries, tunnel grow crops, bio-gas production etc.
- e. Large scale Nurseries to supply FPSUs.
- f. Packaging facilities for national and international markets.

- g. Logistics hubs for collection of goods from the FPSUs.
- h. Transport service workshops and spare parts for larger maintenance tasks of Agri-hub and FPSU equipment.
- Agri-cultural technology demonstration parks to to train farmers in the AP catchment area on new technologies in terms of fertilizers, plants and seeds, irrigation, energy use and farm implements

Soil testing laboratories.

- Accommodation for extension training and capacity building programmes
- I. Housing and recreational facilities for workers and Agri-hub staff.
- m. Business, marketing and Banking facilities, (ICT)



A Rural Urban Marketing Center (RUMC):

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a) Market intelligence

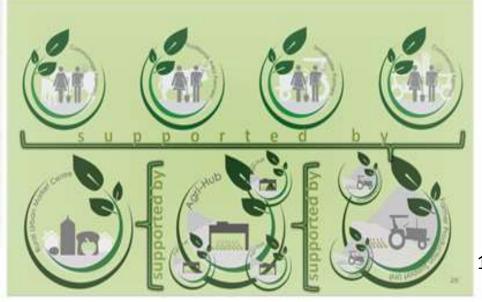
b) Assist farmers, processors in managing a nexus of contracts.

c) Large warehousing and cold storage facilities to enable market management.

d) Logistic and transport in collection of produce from FPSUs or Agrihubs

e) Both FPSU's and Agri-hubs provide inputs to the RUMC.

f) Agri-parks share RUMCs.



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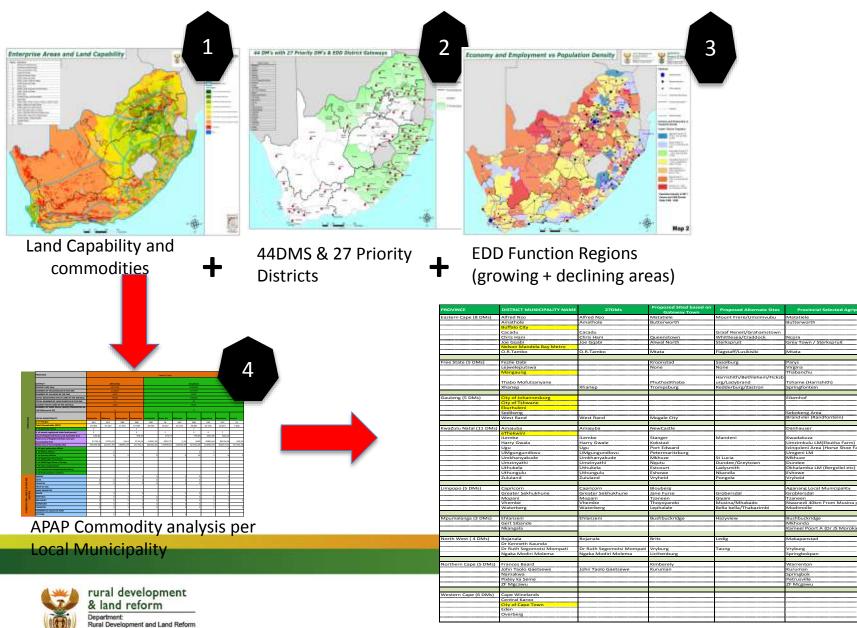
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Agri-hub sites identified

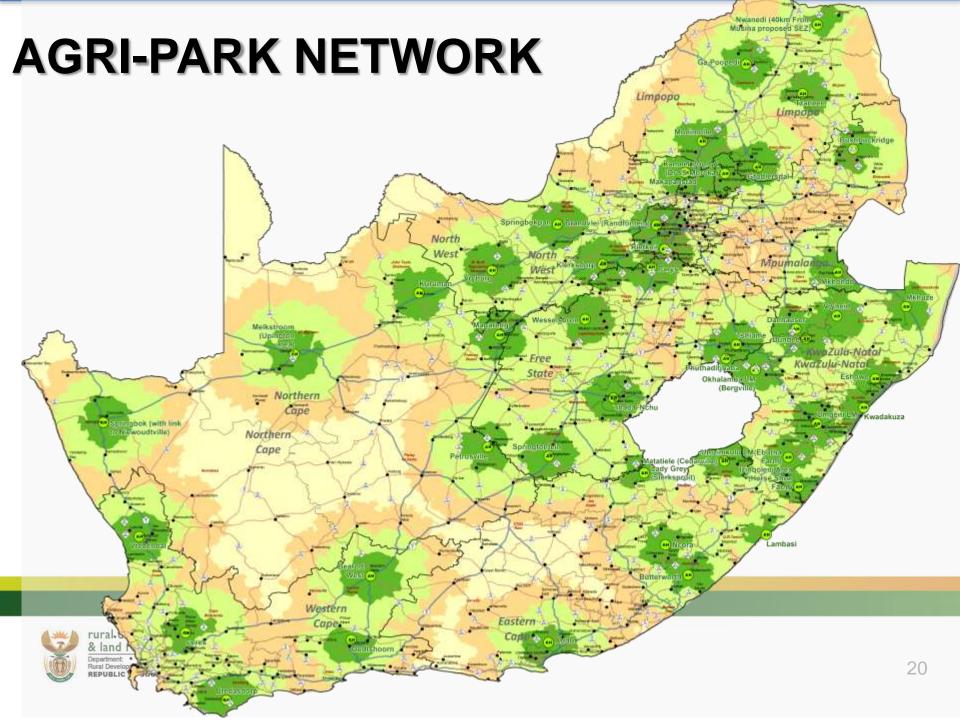


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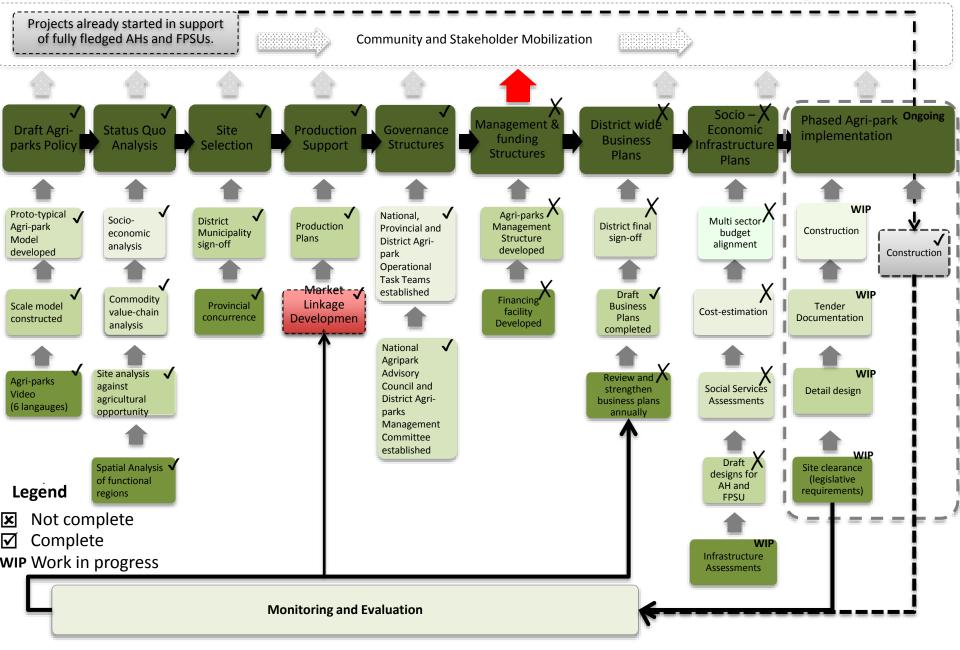


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Eastern		Cedarville	KwaZulu			North West	Bojanala	Makapanstad
Cape	Alfred Nzo	(Matatiele)	Natal	Amajuba	Danhauser		Dr Kenneth	
	Amathole	Butterworth		iLembe	Kwadakuza		Kaunda	Klerksdorp
	Saar	Addo		Harry Gwala	Umzimkulu LM(Ebutha Farm)		Dr Ruth Segomotsi	
	Chris Hani	Ncora			Izinqoleni Area		Mompati	Vryburg
		Lady Grey			(Horse Shoe Farm) &		Ngaka Modiri	
	Joe Gqabi	(Sterkspruit)			Ugu Fresh Produce		Molema	Springbokpan
				Ugu	market			
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	O.R.Tambo	Johns)		vu	Umgeni LM	Cape	Frances Baard	Magareng
				Umkhanyakud			John Taolo	
Free				e	Mkhuze		Gaetsewe	Kuruman
State	Fezile Dabi	Parys		Umzinyathi	Dundee			Springbok (with
	Lejweleputswa	Wesslesbron		Uthukela	Okhalamba LM (Bergville)		Namakwa	link to Niewoudtville)
	Mangaung	Thabanchu		Uthungulu	Eshowe		Pixley ka Seme	Petrusville
				Zululand	Vryheid			Melkstroom
	Thabo	Tshiame					ZF Mgcawu	(Upington area)
	Mofutsanyane	(Harrismith)	Limpopo	Capricorn	Ga-Poopedi			
	Xhariep	Springfontein		Greater		Western	Саре	
				Sekhukhune	Groblersdal	Cape	Winelands	Ceres
				Mopani	Tzaneen		Central Karoo	Beaufort West
Gauteng	; Sedibeng	Rietkuil			Nwanedi (40km		Eden	Oudtshoorn
		Brandvlei			From Musina		West Coast	Vredendal
	West Rand	(Randfontein)		Vhembe	proposed SEZ)		Overberg	Bredasdorp
				Waterberg	Modimolle			
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Agri-parks Implementation Progress



Socio – Economic Infrastructure Plan Framework (based on District Agri-park Business Plans)

1. Economic Infrastructure Assessments aligned to Agri-hubs and Farmer Production Support Units:

Start 1 May 2016. Completed 30 June 2016

2. Draft Agri-hub and Farmer Production Support Unit designs based on infrastructure assessments.

Start 1 July 2016. Completed 31 August 2016

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3. First Order Cost Estimates

Start 1 August 2016. Completed by 31 August 2016

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4. Socio Infrastructure and Service Assessment (AH and FPSU)

Start 1 June 2016. Completed by 31 October 2016

5. Cost estimates and multi-year project programming

Start 1 August 2016. Completed 30 November 2016

6. Multi - sector budget alignment and commitment

Start 1 October 2016. Completed 28 February 2016

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3D modeling





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