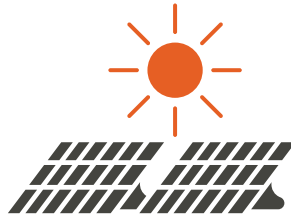


Call for
Applications
& Nominations

Community
Representative
Trustee

Dreunberg Local
Community DLCT
(DLCT)



**DRUENBERG LOCAL
COMMUNITY TRUST**

About the DLCT

The Dreunberg Local Community Trust (DLCT) exists to serve and benefit communities within a 50km radius of the Dreunberg Solar Project, including the whole of Burgersdorp.

The DLCT receives dividend income from the Simacel 160 (Pty) Ltd (Dreunberg), as a shareholder. These funds are intended to support long-term community development and must be used fairly, responsibly, and in ways that respond to community priorities.

The DLCT is governed by a Board of Trustees. Trustees are legally required to act independently, make decisions in the best interests of the Trust, and ensure that the Trust remains accountable to the communities it serves.

How decisions are made

Decision-making in the DLCT is a continuous cycle:

- Communities share their priorities, needs, and recommendations
- The Board of Trustees carefully considers these inputs and makes decisions in line with its legal responsibilities
- The Board remains accountable to communities for how and why decisions are made

This means that while Trustees are responsible for final decisions, those decisions must be informed by — and responsive to — the community.

Why this role matters

We are inviting applications and nominations for **one Community Representative Trustee** to join the DLCT Board.

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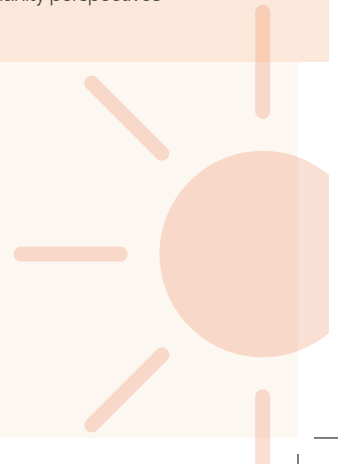
This role is important because:

- Ensure community realities and priorities are considered at Board level
- Strengthen accountability between the Trust and the community
- Improve how community perspectives inform decision

What does a Trustee do?

A Trustee is responsible for:

- Making decisions on how Trust funds are allocated
- Carefully considering community inputs, evidence, and recommendations
- Reviewing and approving strategies, plans, and budgets
- Acting in line with the DLCT Deed and the law
- Exercising independent judgement in the best interests of the Trust
- Ensuring the Trust is accountable for its decisions and use of resources
- Protecting the Trust's resources for long-term community benefit



What does a Community Representative Trustee bring?

- A grounded understanding of community realities
- Insight into local priorities and concerns
- The ability to ensure community perspectives are meaningfully considered

This role is not about representing a single group, but contributing to decisions in the interest of the broader community.

Who should apply?

We are looking for individuals who:

- Are trusted and respected in the community
- Demonstrate integrity and sound judgement
- Can engage constructively in discussions and decision-making
- Are willing to take on governance responsibilities
- Can act in the best interests of the broader community

Minimum Eligibility Criteria

- Be a resident of Burgersdorp
- Be at least 21 years old
- Be legally eligible to serve as a trustee
- Be able to act independently and declare conflicts of interest
- **Be willing and able to:**
 - Make the time to attend and prepare for Board meetings
 - Be available for some community and stakeholder engagements had by the DLCT

Who cannot apply?

A person may not be appointed if they:

- Hold political office or a senior party role
- Have a history of serious misconduct or a criminal record
- Are unable to participate fully in Board responsibilities

IMPORTANT:

- **A university degree is not required**
- **A minimum of Grade 12 (or equivalent) is required**

How to apply:

Anyone who meets the minimum requirements articulated above can apply. We also encourage community members to share this opportunity with others who you think would be interested in being involved in this capacity.

Application requirements

Applications must include:

- Basic personal details (CV or equivalent)
- A short motivation letter answering:
 1. Why are you interested in this role?
 2. What experience or qualities would help you make good decisions?
 3. What have you done in your community?
- A declaration of interests (roles, affiliations, etc.)
- Contact details for 2-3 community references listed in your CV or motivation letter

Community endorsements (optional)

Applicants may include letters or statements of support from community members or groups. These will be considered as supporting information, but will not determine the outcome.



How applications can be submitted

- **Applications can be submitted:**
- By email: info@dreunbergtrust.org.za
- Application support will be provided at the Eureka and Tembisa i-Centers for FREE
- Full details will be shared through www.dreunbergtrust.org.za