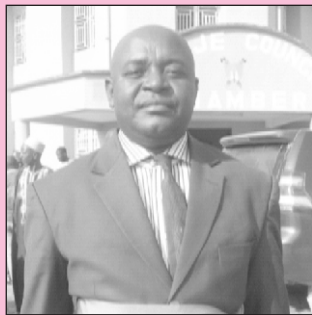


Misaje Council *Newsletter*

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EDITORIAL



Lord Mayor, Mgbata Sammy Nforkemba

Misaje Council Magazine; a Development Novelty

The institution of the Misaje Council magazine is one of the laudable practices PNDP is putting in place, for good governance, transparency and the emergence of Cameroon. PNDP whose regalia function is capacity building in council management, with regards to empowering the councils for effective efficient and complete decentralization has now brought this medium for information dissemination.

The much cherished and valued participatory approach to municipal development calls for all the development oriented forces to work in synergy with the council for a proper identification and provision of communal needs. This can't be done without good communication media and this paper is one of them. The provision of economic, social, health, educational, cultural and sports facilities are best done when there is effective communication between the council and local communities led by their development presidents and councilors.

This new newsletter is therefore a vessel for the propagation of council projections, activities, achievements, challenges.

It is in this light that I urge all and sundry to be regular readers and contributors to this paper –Misaje Today.

This first edition of the quarterly publication carries information under rubrics such as council news, public investment, focus practical page, announcement etc. Through this new medium it is hoped that the relationship between council management and the communities will be more mutually and beneficial to the growth and the development of our community

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The science department of Government Bilingual High School (GBHS) Misaje went operational last academic year can now boost of a well-equipped laboratory thanks to the Misaje Council. Mayor Mgbata Sammy Nforkemba, recently handed over science laboratory equipment worth FCFA 4 million the principal in the presence of his collaborators, teachers and the entire student body.

The mayor, while handing over the equipment said, the Misaje council in its mission to promote and encourage science and technology could not stay indifferent but rather took up the challenge to make this significant gesture that will



go a long way in helping students match theory with practice in.

The Principal thanked the Council and assured the Mayor

that the gift will go a long way in easing the stress teachers and students used to go through in the teaching and learning process especially in the domain of sciences.

INVESTMENT Roads; Priority to the Misaje People.

Many road projects have been carried out in the Misaje Municipality including the opening and rehabilitation of a 10.2km road from bebejama to bebekette funded by the state under PIB

The people of Bebejama and Bebekete can now easily transfer their farm produce to the market thanks to the construction of a road linking the villages. It should be recalled that it was during the elaboration of the council development plan that they had voiced their priority to be the realization of the road which had been a hindrance to the socio economic growth of the villages.

The villages had suffered over the years, but with the realization of the project they can now have access to move patients to the hospital and transport their agricultural produce, as well as their forest resources. The area is it should be noted is well



known for the production of palm oil, Groundnut, coffee, cocoa, Maize, plantains, bush pepper, bush mangoes, njansa, etc

The feasibility studies for the construction of the road were

done by the mayor and forwarded to the Government for funding. The project was executed at the cost of FCFA one hundred and eighty three million cfa (183,000,000) PIB

Youth Empowerment Scholarship scheme established for Misaje Students

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FCFA 50,000 for school fees and 25,000 for registration of CAPIEMP.

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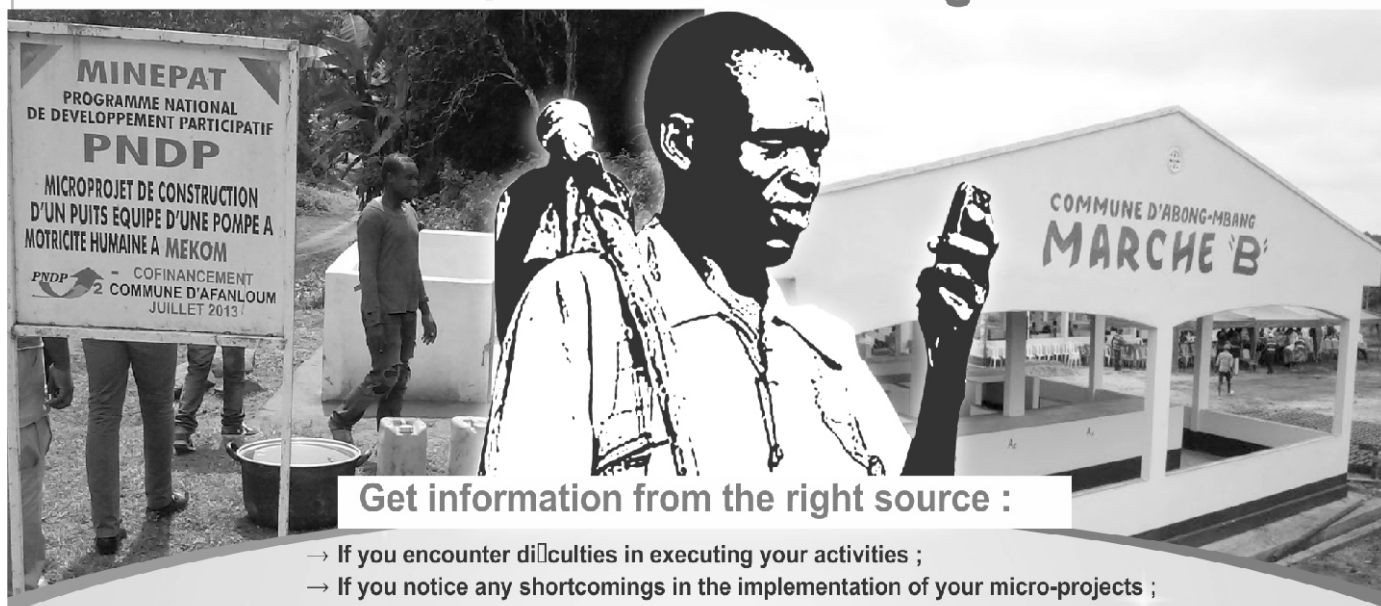
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A hot line



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For all your Worries and grievances



Get information from the right source :

- If you encounter difficulties in executing your activities ;
- If you notice any shortcomings in the implementation of your micro-projects ;
- If you wish to be informed about our missions and achievements.

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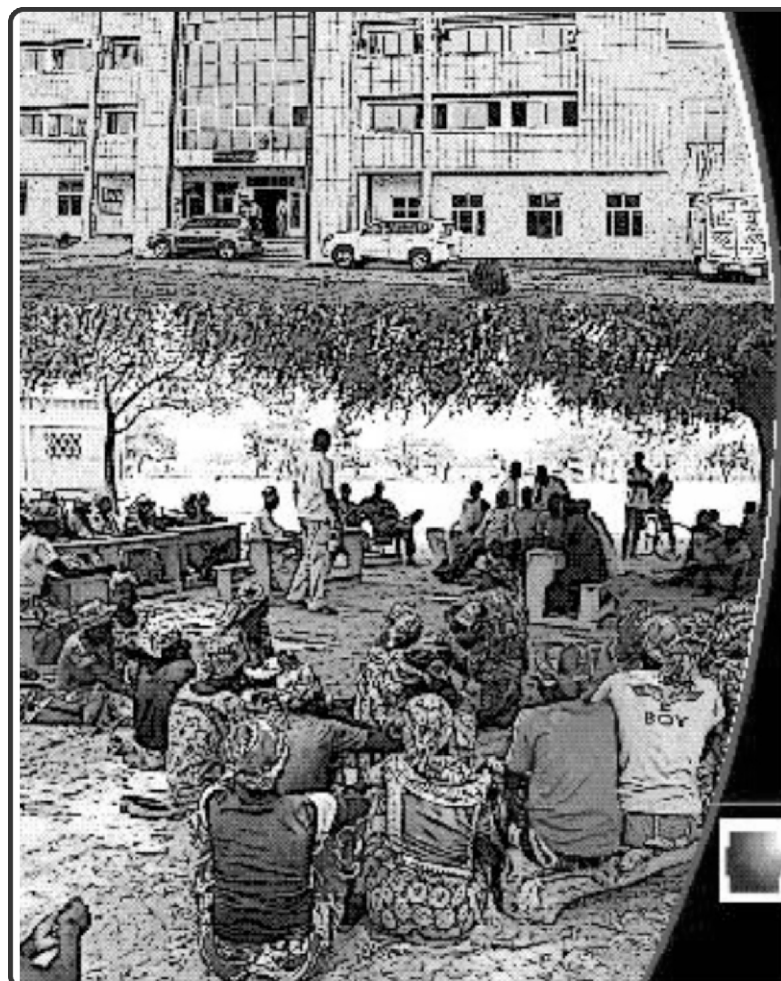
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- ★ By participating in the activities of the council ;
- ★ By taking part in village development meeting ;
- ★ By taking part in community work ;
- ★ By paying taxes ;
- ★ By following up the accountability of municipal councillors and the Mayor

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