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STATEMENT BY TSWELOPELE LOCAL MUNICIPALITY'S ACTING MAYOR ON THE UNTIMELY DEATH OF COUNCILLOR CHARLES 'OOM CHARLIE' HORN OF TSWELOPELE LOCAL MUNICIPALITY

25 August 2021

The passing of Councillor Charles "Oom Charlie" Horn on Saturday, 21 August 2021 saddens the Acting Mayor, Cllr Mzonakele Baleni, of Tswelopele Municipality Council. Another community has been robbed of a valuable leader. The municipal council administration family has been robbed a servant of the people and his political party the DA has been robbed a loyal servant. Cllr Horn was a PR councillor in Tswelopele Municipality also serving in the Executive Committee and LLF of Tswelopele Municipality. He became a councillor in October 1989 of the then Bultfontein Municipal Council. He was elected as Mayor during 1989 – 1990, 1990 – 1991 and again from 1993 – 1994.

As the Acting Mayor of Tswelopele, I would also want to say to all leaders regardless of which party you belonged to or what ideology you subscribe to, as councillors, just like all other political activists, we are there to serve our communities.

I would therefore on behalf of Tswelopele Municipality send our deepest condolences to his family and the community of Tswelopele that he served for almost 36 years, may they find solace in knowledge that we all painfully share their loss. Cllr Horn was a good man who cared about his community and worked diligently for the upliftment of the community.

**CLLR MS BALENI
ACTING MAYOR**