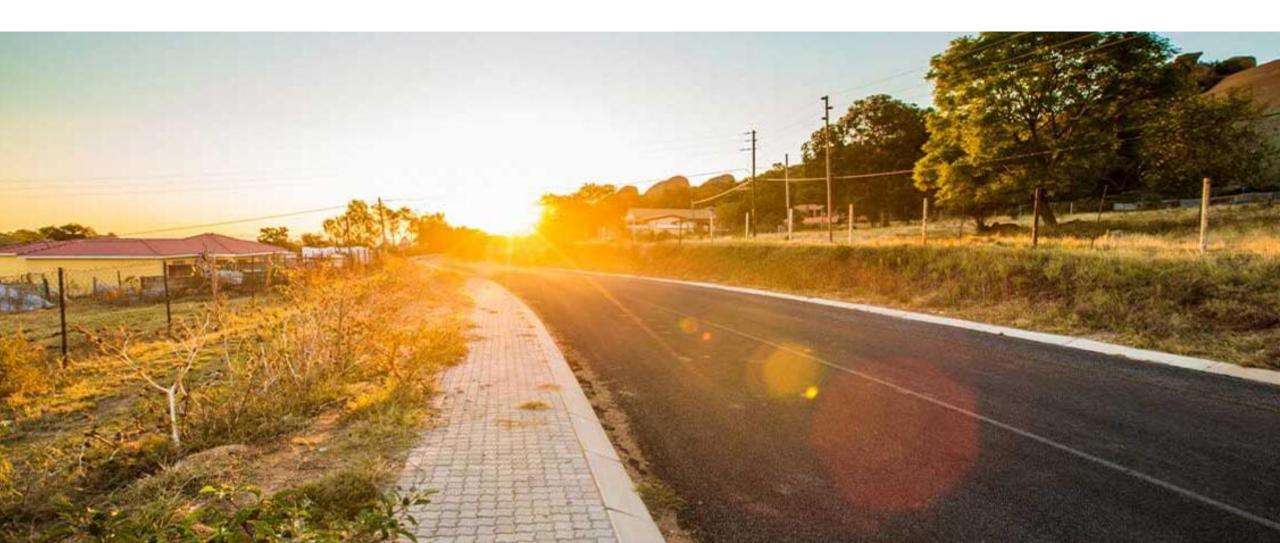
## **PUBLIC PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP PROJECTS** THE SOUTH AFRICAN STORY





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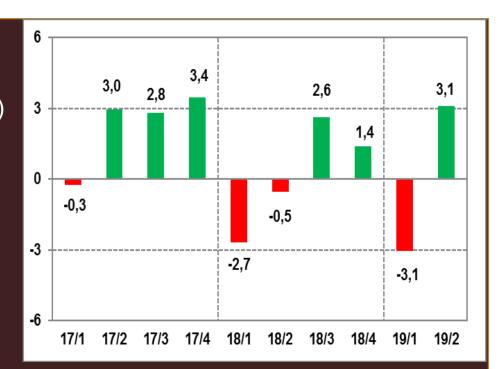


## **MONEY ISN'T THE PROBLEM**

## **SOCIAL & MACRO INDICATORS**



- Sovereign rating Baa3 (Moody's; stable outlook)
- Sovereign debt/GDP ratio circa 60%
- SA Population 58,78m (2019 mid-year estimates)
- GDP USD 370bn
- GDP growth forecast (Moody's)
  - 2019 0,7%
  - 2020 1,5%
- Unemployment rate 29%
- CPI 4,0%
- Central bank rate 6,5%
- 10-year Government bond 8,09%
- USD: ZAR 14,5560
- Euro: ZAR 16,1295
- Sterling: ZAR 18,0444



## FINANCIAL SECTOR ASSETS

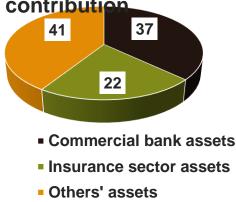


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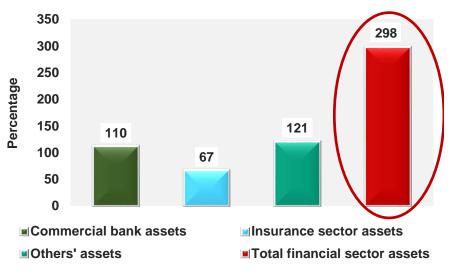
Service	Nominal value (USD bn)			
Commercial bank assets	351			
Insurance sector assets	215			
Other assets	389			
Total	955			

Source: SARB, IMF, DBSA calc's

Financial sector assets % contribution



Financial sector assets as a % of GDP



South Africa's well developed financial services sector can finance **bankable PPPs** and then some..

- Banks well capitalised with excess liquidity
- Strong institutional market with diversified products & tenors
- Tradeable securities markets
- Well regulated PPP sector
- Project finance has been the cornerstone of the REIPPP

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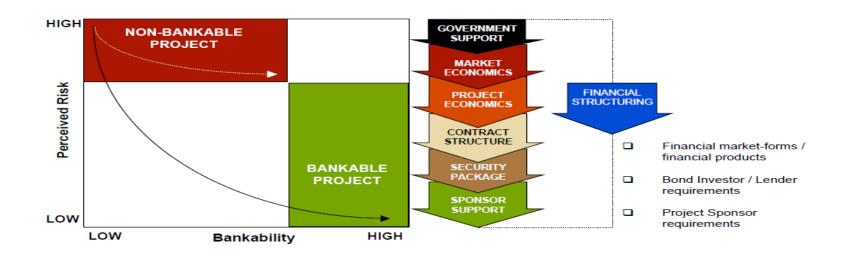


## WHAT THEN IS THE PROBLEM: SHORTAGE OF BANKABLE PROJECTS MEETING STAKEHOLDER REQUIREMENTS

## **BANKABILITY DEPENDS ON NATURE OF PROJECT**



#### The General Project Finance Feasibility Matrix



- Energy, Water & Sanitation, Transport projects' economics different
- Government support very important regulations, financial support,
- Market economics market growth, competitive landscape
- Project economics service/product price, capital costs, O & M costs, cashflows
- Contract structure all parties protected?
- Security package are lenders protected?
- Sponsor support how deep are sponsor's pockets in case of delay, lower market demand or higher cost?

## **MEETING STAKEHOLDER REQUIREMENTS**







- Public sector requirements:
  - ✓ Risk Transfer
    - On time & within budget completion
    - Performance to highest minimum operating standards
    - Failure results in private sector bearing the excess costs including penalties
  - $\checkmark$  Affordability can the procuring institution pay for PPP within its budget
  - ✓ Value for money cost of own provision v/s provision through PPP

## **STAKEHOLDERS REQUIREMENTS CONTINUED**



#### • Private sector requirements:

- Less complex & cumbersome legislation
- ✓ Transparency in procurement
- ✓ International procurement framework
- ✓ Bankable projects
- ✓ Creditworthy municipalities/other organs of state/ as off-takers
- ✓ Cashflows grants flows, municipal/government contribution, project cashflows
- ✓ Fair return on investment commensurate with risk

#### Community requirements:

- Impact on employees minimise unemployment
- ✓ Adequate consultation
- ✓ Transparency in procurement
- ✓ Absence of corruption
- ✓ Elimination of fronting in BBBEE transactions

### POLICY REQUIREMENTS FOR SUCCESSFUL PPPS (SA PASSES WITH FLYING COLOURS)



### Detailed legislative framework

- ✓ Public Finance Management Act
- ✓ Municipal Finance Management Act
- ✓ Municipal Systems Act
- ✓ Municipal Structures Act
- ✓ Municipal PPP regulations
- An enabling PPP framework
  - PPP Manual
  - ✓ Standardized PPP provisions
  - ✓ Municipal Service Delivery and PPP guidelines
- A well functioning & independent judicial system
- A capable PPP civil service
- Private Sector interest





### POLICY REQUIREMENTS FOR SUCCESSFUL PPPS (CONTENTS OF NATIONAL TREASURY PPP MANUAL)



#### National Treasury PPP manual

- ✓ Module1: South African Regulations of PPP
- ✓ Module 2: Code of Black Economic Empowerment in PPPs
- ✓ Module 3: PPP Inception
- ✓ Module 4: PPP Feasibility Study
- ✓ Module 5: PPP Procurement
- ✓ Module 6: Managing PPP Agreement
- ✓ Module 7: Auditing PPP
- ✓ Module 8: Accounting treatment PPP
- ✓ Module 9: Introduction to project finance







## DESPITE GOOD PPP FRAMEWORK SOUTH AFRICA LAGGING BEHIND EMERGING MARKETS AND DEVELOPING ECONOMIES

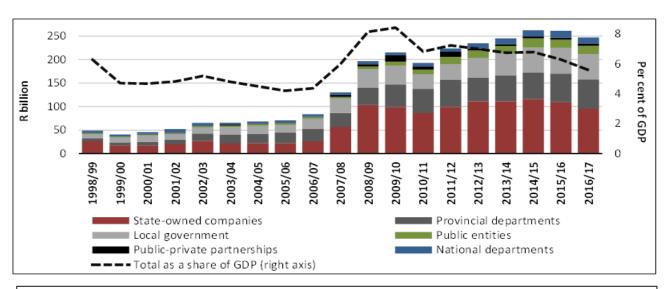
## PUBLIC-SECTOR INFRASTRUCTURE SPENDING

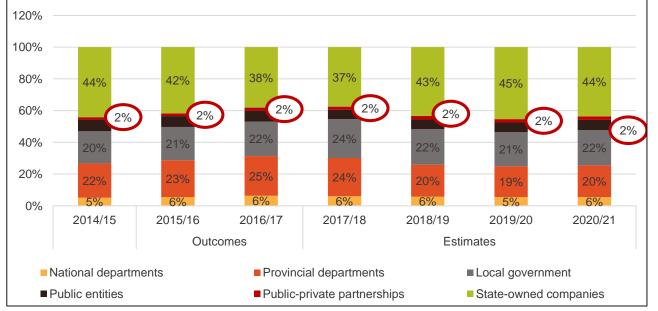
- Public Infrastructure investment spend 6% of GDP
- SOC's account for 44% of Public Expenditure
- Local government 22% of spend (MTEF:USD 12,64bn)

PPP's 2% of total public spend (MTEF:USD 1,27bn)

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- Water sector 14% of total spend (MTEF: USD 8,1bn)
- Municipal water PPP's 0.36% of all PPP's



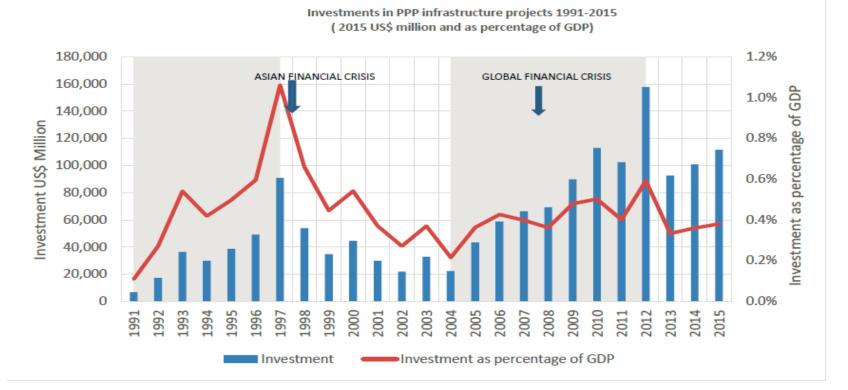


Source: National Treasury 2018 Budget Review DBSA calculations

## GLOBAL EMDE PPP (1991-2015)





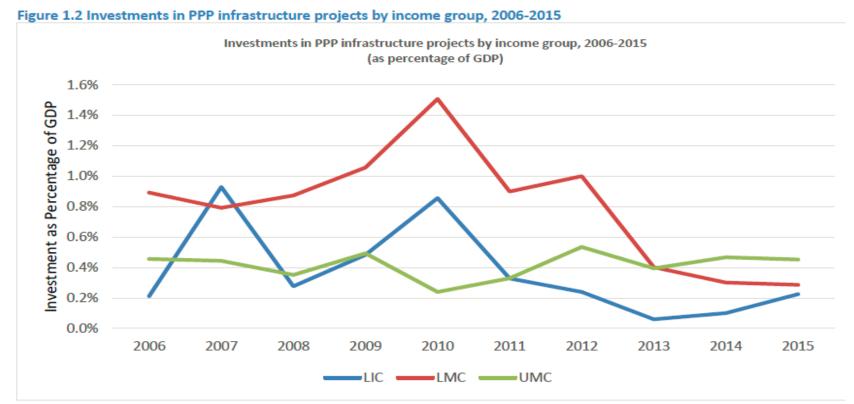


Source: PPI Database, World Bank, as of November 2015.

- Average South African spending on PPP's less than 0.1% of GDP
- Emerging Markets & Developing Economies spending grew from 0.1% in 1991 to 1.1% in 1997
- Post 1997, global PPP's fell to 0.2% before rising again to peak at 0.6%

## EMDE PPP INVESTMENTS (2006 – 2015)





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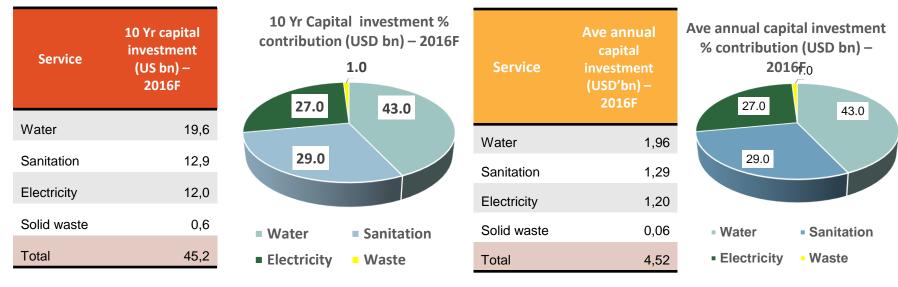
- At 2% of Public Sector Infrastructure Spend, South African PPP's less than even Low Income Countries (0.2% of GDP)
- Between 1991 & 2015, Top 5 Emerging Markets, including three BRICS countries, account for US\$909bn (60%) of PPP's investment
- US\$1.5tr invested in 5000 PPP's in 121 low-to-middle income countries



## SA MUNICIPAL INFRASTRUCTURE REQUIREMENTS & FINANCING

## **INVESTMENT REQUIREMENTS PER SECTOR**





Source: Ian Palmer & Others



#### Infrastructure required to address backlogs

Service	Backlogs	Growth	Rehabilitation	Total
Water	9%	57%	34%	100%
Sanitation	13%	54%	33%	100%
Electricity	15%	42%	43%	100%
Solid waste	1%	75%	24%	100%

Source: Ian Palmer & Others; USD:ZAR – 14,556

### CAPITAL EXPENDITURE, NEW BORROWING AND OUTSTANDING DEBT



USD bn	2010/11 Actual	2011/12 Actual	2012/13 Actual	2013/14 Actual	2014/15 Actual	2015/16 Actual	2016/17 Actual	2017/18 Actual	2018/19 Forecast
Capital expenditure	2,1	2,3	2,9	3,3	3,7	3,8	3,7	4,0	5,0
New borrowing	0,44	0,43	0,45	0,,52	0,64	0,63	0,53	0,60	0,8
New borrowing as a % of CAPEX	21%	19%	16%	16%	18%	17%	15%	15%	17%
Outstanding debt	3,0	3,1	3,3	3,5	3,7	4,2	4,3	4,3	4,6

Source: NT Municipal Borrowing Bulletin; USD:ZAR – 14,556

## SA MUNICIPAL LONG TERM DEBT LANDSCAPE



Muni category	Metros	Total Debt Q3 2018/19 USD bn	Share of total debt	Actual revenue 2018/19* USD bn	Debt to revenue ratio
	BUF	0,29	1%	0,45	6%
	NMA	0,80	2%	0,71	11%
	MAN	0,70	2%	0,45	15%
A	EKU	0,38	9%	2,49	15%
~	JHB	1, 34	31%	3, 59	37%
	TSH	0,71	17%	2,35	31%
	ETH	0,58	14%	2,43	24%
	СРТ	0,46	11%	2,78	17%
	Total Metros	3,65	86%	15,17	24%
В	Other Muni's	0,57	13%	12 ,01	5%
С	Districts	0,45	1%	1,47	3%
	Total all muni's	4,3		28, 65	15%



## SA MUNICIPAL PPP'S STILL TO TAKE OFF

## **MUNICIPAL WATER PPP PROJECTS**



Project name	Government institution	Туре	Date of close	Duration	Financing structure	Project value USD m	Form of payment
Water and sanitation Dolphin Coast water and	Kwa-Dukuza Local	DFBOT	Jan-1999	30 years	Debt: 21%		User charges
sanitation concession	Municipality			-	Equity: 18% Govt: 61%	8,93	Ū.
Mbombela water and sanitation concession Source: National Treasury 2018 Budget Review	Mbombela Local Municipality	DFBOT	Dec-1999	30 years	Debt: 40% Equity: 31% Govt: 29%	12,98	User charges

Source: National Treasury 2018 Budget Review

- 257 municipalities in South Africa 8 Metros; 44 Districts; & 205 local municipalities
- Varied governance & financial management capabilities
- Most municipal water & sanitation projects financed on balance sheet
- Balance sheets of some large metros constrained
- Potential for further balance sheet borrowing in Category B municipalities but...

## **DOLPHIN COAST: A CASE STUDY**



- Dolphin Coast concession was initiated because the municipality had inadequate funds for
  - Rehabilitation, upgrading and expansion of water & sanitation service (WSS) infrastructure
- 30-year (1999) concession requiring private entity to
  - Oversee, manage & implement the provision of WSS within the boundary of Dolphin Coast municipality
  - Population of 45 000 characterised by wealth and poverty





## **DOLPHIN COAST: A CASE STUDY (CONT.)**



- Positives of the PPP included
  - Investment in CAPEX and O&M by the concessionaire
  - Improved quality of WSS
  - Reduction in water losses in supply area
  - Fewer leaks
  - Fewer faulty water meters





## **DOLPHIN COAST: A CASE STUDY ( CONT.)**



- Unanticipated increases in raw water tariffs leading to
  - o contract renegotiation and
  - reduced investment by the concessionaire
- Higher increases in end-user tariffs
  - Level 4 users (water borne sewers) experienced 119% increase in tariffs
  - Level 2 users (VIP) suffered an 80% increase in tariffs







## SA MUNICIPAL PPP'S: LESSONS FOR THE FUTURE

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## LESSONS FROM MUNICIPAL PPP'S

- Protect low income consumers
- Have a capable civil service to negotiate contracts
- Ensure enough revenue for O&M and regular reinvestment
- Greater transparency by concessionaire and the public entity/state regarding tariffs to engender consumer buy-in and trust
- Size matters for economies of scale
- Look out for national policy changes like municipal boundaries
  - Could increase costs for municipality & ultimately ratepayers







## THE IMPACT OF POLICY AND RISK IN UTILITY-SCALE PROJECTS



### **POLICY & RISKS FOR PPPS**

- Tariffs must reflect economic cost
- Supply chain regulations must protect the state but be attractive to private
- supply chain practices must engender private sector confidence
- A predictable & supportive state subsidy/grant framework consistent with long term infrastructure financing requirements essential
- Transparent & enforceable legislative framework critical







# CONCLUSION

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- Well regulated global PPP environment essential
  - ✓ To attract domestic & foreign capital in a constrained fiscal environment
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### **Elements of successful PPP's include**



- Generate pipeline of bankable projects by tapping into project preparation facilities of continental & global DFI's and ODA
  - ✓ Invest in feasibility studies to determine viability & determine potential funding sources
- Triple bottom line important in determining project viability (ESG)
  - ✓ Profit
  - ✓ Planet
  - ✓ People
- Strong institutions well trained civil service with the requisite experience & skills
- A well functioning & independent judicial system



## **THANK YOU**

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