

# CALL FOR FORMER NATIONAL RURAL YOUTH SERVICE CORPS (NARYSEC) PARTICIPANTS AND UNEMPLOYED AGRICULTURAL GRADUATES TO REGISTER ON THE SYSTEM FOR A 3-MONTH CONTRACT OPPORTUNITY WORKING AS FIELD DATA COLLECTORS DURING THE VERIFICATION OF SUBSISTENCE FARMERS' APPLICATIONS FOR PRODUCTION INPUT SUPPORT

The Department of Agriculture, Land Reform and Rural Development, in partnership with The Presidency's Presidential Employment Stimulus Initiative, have called for subsistence producers who require support to apply from the Presidential Employment Stimulus Fund of which its main objective is to support small-scale producers with production inputs. The fund will enable these subsistence producers/ farmers to retain self-employment in the agricultural sector, thereby contributing to food security and economic growth. The department intends to employ 6000 former NARYSEC participants and 2800 unemployed agricultural graduates as data collectors on a three- (3) months contract, to do the physical verification, monitoring of applications and usage of vouchers received by applicants.

## FOR PARTICIPANTS TO BE CONSIDERED FOR THE CONTRACT APPOINTMENT THEY MUST MEET THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA:

1. They must be former NARYSEC participants or unemployed agricultural graduates.
2. Must have smart phones.
3. Must be unemployed and available to work for the period of 3 months (January to March 2021).
4. Must be prepared to physically visit all the farmers who have applied within the area where they are appointed.
5. Comply with the COVID-19 regulations and restrictions.

## DUTIES:

Physical verification of applications by visiting farms and residential areas; Capture applicants personal information and particulars on the system; capture and record required documents, farming activity; Upload information and submit through the Departmental Application System; Sign and submit electronically on the ApplicationSystem. Report challenges to Agricultural Extension Officers; Submit daily work, timesheets and reports to the Agricultural Extension Officer assigned; Use allocated data for work purposes only.

## HOW TO APPLY

1. Former NARYSEC and unemployed agricultural participants interested in the short term employment opportunity will have to express their interest to be employed by completing their information electronically.

Use internet and login to <https://survey123.arcgis.com/share/4be737b141ae44a2ac4b52c65295cfa9?open=native>

Or the code below:



2. To register, you can download the following 2 videos to guide your registration process:
  - a. Download and install Survey123: YouTube <https://youtu.be/ZwicJw-cJWY>
  - b. PESI Registration as Verifier: YouTube [https://youtu.be/S\\_OVwTfxkcQ](https://youtu.be/S_OVwTfxkcQ)
3. Indicate the Local Municipality you would like to work in when appointed.

**DURATION:** 3 months

**SALARY:** R1918.00 Stipend per month.

**ALLOWANCES:** Will be confirmed to successful applicants on signing of employment contract.

**CENTRE:** All provinces

**CLOSING DATE:** 22 December 2020

## DISCLAIMER:

- The number of former NARYSEC and unemployed agricultural participants to be employed as data collectors/verifiers will depend on the number of farmers that have successfully applied per District and Local Municipality.
- For any queries, please contact your District NARYSEC Coordinators.
- If not contacted by the 5th of January 2021, please consider that your application was unsuccessful.



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