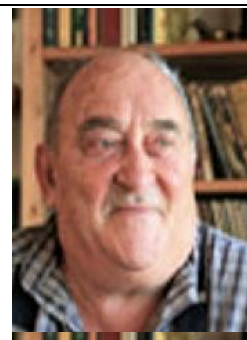




**AFRICAN NATIONAL CONGRESS
DENIS GOLBERG BRANCH
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BRANCH PROFILE

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1. **ABOUT OUR BRANCH:**

1.1. **Background History**

The ANC, Denis Goldberg Branch is a vibrant and dynamic branch of the African National Congress located in ward 102 of Randburg. It is named after Denis Goldberg, a stalwart of the liberation struggle who was the Third Accused in the Rivonia trial, alongside Nelson Mandela, Walter Sisulu, Ahmed Kathrada, Govan Mbeki, Elias Motsoaledi, Andrew Mlangeni and Rusty Bernstein.

It was established as a result of the demarcation process that resulted in Ward 101, Ward 102 and Ward 104 standing as independent Wards; and officially opened its doors in February 2012. It assumed the seal of "Denis Goldberg" on the 14th of April 2012, after the leadership paid a visit to Mr. Denis Goldberg who gave his permission and blessing to name the branch after him. The first Chairperson was Cde Israel Modisaotsile.

The branch is located in Ward 102 within a suburban area made up of Blairgowrie, Bordeaux, Bryanston, Ferndale, Fountainbleau, Hurlingham Manor, Malanshof, Moret, Ruitershof, President Ridge, Willowild, and the Randburg CBD. Thus, it represents a microcosm of South Africans in terms of demographics and Living Standard Measure, as its population cuts across South African socio-economic strata. As such, the issues faced by the constituency of Ward 102 mirror those that South Africans confront daily.

The current Ward Councilor is from the Democratic Alliance, and his name is David Potter.

1.2. **Previous Office Bearers**

Since its formation, the leadership (top 5) has comprised the following:

Chairperson:

Israel Modisaotsile (February 2012 – September 2014)

Sihle Ngubane (September 2014 to date)

Deputy Chairperson:

Vuyo Bham (2012)

Ronnie Mabena (2013 – 2014) - acting

Masana Chikeka (September 2014 – April 2017)

Richard Ntjana (April 2017 to date)

Secretary:

Richard Ntjana (February 2012 – April 2017)

Johnny Modipa (April 2017 to date)

Deputy Secretary:



Theresa Molate (2012)
Noxolo Solomon (2012 – 2013)
Alina Missouri (2013 – April 2017)

Treasurer:
Nthikeng Letsoalo (2012 – 2013)
Siphiwe Hlongwane (2013 – 2015)
Thabani Mlala – (2016 – April 2017)
Jakes Mocuminyane (April 2017 – February 2019)

1.3. **Vision**

The Denis Goldberg branch seeks to contribute in a meaningful way to the quality of lives of the people of Randburg.

1.4. **Mission**

The current mission of the branch is to increase membership by demonstrating that the Branch drives and engages in programmes seeking to develop and empower its members, and delivers on the needs of its members.

1.5. **Strategic Objectives**

The following strategic objectives were deemed to be key to the success of the Branch:

1. Radical Economic Transformation
2. Social Development
3. Political Education
4. Membership retention
5. Leadership Development

2. **CURRENT STRUCTURES OF THE BRANCH**

2.1. **Current Leadership Collective**

Our last BBGM of the 9th of April 2017 elected the following leaders:

Office Bearers

Chairperson:	Sihle Ngubane (Male)
Deputy Chairperson:	Richard Ntjana (Male)
Secretary:	Johnny Modipa (Male)
Deputy Secretary:	Anna Malatjie (Female)
Treasurer:	Jakes Mocuminyane (Male)

PS: Cde Jakes Mocuminyane subsequently resigned due to too many commitments.

Additional members (BEC)



Chonco, Muziwakhe (Male)
Mabeba, Johnny (Male)
Missouri, Alina (Female)
Mkhethi, Vuyokazi (Female)
Mlala, Thabani (Male)
Mohloai, Napo Merriman (Male)
Mthethwa, Nombuso (Female)
Nkonki, Sazikazi (Female)
Ntsepe, Buntu (Male)
Phiri, Elizabeth (Female)
Shabalala, Millicent (Female)
Shelembe, Patience (Female)
Thwala, Zephy (Male)

Ex Officio BEC Members

As constitutionally required, the following members are part of the BEC.

- Kalisipho Moenyane (ANC Youth League Chairperson)
- Thuma Mwandla (ANC Youth League Secretary)

Our Branch is also represented in the Zonal Committee by Comrade Anna Malatjie.

Our member in the Ward Committee is Comrade Millicent Shabalala.

2.2. Subcommittees

The following sub-committees were established in 2017 to drive the vision of the branch:

Committee	Responsible Official(s)
i. Political Education –	Sihle Ngubane
ii. Communications and Media –	Johnny Modipa
iii. Campaigns, Mobilization and Elections –	Anna Malatjie, Alinah Missouri and Patience Shelembe
iv. Socio-Economic Transformation –	Richard Ntjana
v. Finance and Fund-raising –	Jakes Motcuminyane and Muzi Chonco
vi. International relations and Policy Drafting –	Napo Mohloai and Nombuso Mthethwa
vii. Education and Health –	Zephy Thwala and Elizabeth Phiri
viii. Security, Peace and Stability –	Johnny Mabeba
ix. Legislature and Governance –	Thabani Mlala
x. Disciplinary committee –	Buntu Ntsepe and Vuyokazi Mkhethi
xi. Social Development –	Millicent Tshabalala and Sazikazi Nkonki

2.3. Branch Election Team (BET)



For the purpose of pursuing elections towards 2019 General Elections, the following Branch Election Team exists:

Johnny Modipa	- BET Coordinator
Sihle Ngubane	- BET Convenor
Buntu Ntsepe	- BET Mobilizer
Christina Mokgosi	- Administrator
Vuyokazi Mkhethi	- VD Coordinator, Blairgowrie
Zephy Thwala	- VD Coordinator, Bordeaux
Sehume Motswenyane	- VD Coordinator, Bryanston
Tshinyiwaho Phidane	- VD Coordinator, Fountainbleau
Thabani Mlala	- VD Coordinator, St Stithians

2.4. Other Structures and Alliance Partners

2.4.1. ANC Youth League

Our branch has an existing ANC Youth League in the ward, which enjoy a good relationship with the ANC from an organizational and political perspective. Some of our BEC members are also active members of the ANC Youth League and serve in its structures. Their Secretary is Thuma Mwandla, and can be contacted at 078 375 9912.

The Leadership of the Youth League in our branch has comprised the following:

Chairperson:

Johnny Modipa (2012 – 2014 as convenor); (May 2014 – August 2016)

Nhlakanipho Chiliza (2017 – 2018)

Kalasipo Moenyane (2018 to date)

Deputy Chairperson

Theresa Molate (2014 – 2015)

Tumi Diseko (2015 – 2016)

Anna Malatjie (2017 – 2018)

Sydney Kgokane (2018 to date)

Secretary:

Anna Malatjie (May 2014 – August 2016)

Thuma Mwandla: 2017 to date)

Deputy Secretary:

Sydney Kgokane (May 2014 – August 2015)

Zama Ntuli (August 2015 – August 2016)

Kalasipo Moenyane (2017 – 2018)

Khanyakahle Biyase (2018)

Treasurer:



Thabani Mlala: 2014 (graduated)
Themba Baskiti (2014- August 2015)
Theresa Molate (August 2015 – August 2016)
Zama Ntuli (2017 – 2018)
Pfumelani Mashaba (2018 to date)

2.4.2. **ANC Womens League**

Our Womens League has been active on an informal basis; and is working tirelessly towards establishing a structure in accordance with their constitutional p[rocesses.

2.4.3. **SANCO**

We also have relations with SANCO in the ward; and constantly interact with a view of embarking on common programmes based on common objectives. Their Secretary is Lebogang Ramatsetse.

3. **MEETINGS OF THE BRANCH**

Our meetings are currently held at Linkview Office Park, situated at 260 Kent Avenue, Ferndale, Randburg. This has been our venue for all activities since January 2019.

3.1. Branch General Meetings (BGMs)

We are constitutionally obliged to hold one BGM per month. This usually takes place on the third week of every month.

3.2. Leadership meetings

TOP FIVE meetings take place on the first week of every month; and BEC meetings take place fortnightly: second and fourth week of every month.

3.3. Other Meetings

Each Subcommittee and Voting District Coordinating team is in charge of its own meetings; and may meet in accordance with their own agreed calendar.

The Branch also holds extended Branch meetings if and when it deems it befitting.

4. **PROGRAMMES, ACTIVITIES AND AWARDS**

4.1. Programmes



Community work: Our Branch is deeply rooted in our community; and has been instrumental in ensuring that important matters such as illegal evictions and other human rights abuses against the members of the community are attended to with the necessary speed.

Mobile App: Our Branch has recently established a Mobile App that is easily accessible to our community; primarily to ensure that our Branch is at the immediate disposal of our community; while at the same time providing an adequate platform through which incidents and challenges can be easily reported to the branch for its immediate attention.

Branch Newsletter: Our Branch has founded its own newsletter to occupy space in the battle of ideas; as well as to keep the members and the community abreast on any developments within the ward and the City on issues of both the organization and governance. This is an effective way of giving the ANC back to our people.

4.2. Activities

We also hold theme-based activities, political education/umrhabulo sessions, workshops and seminars on matters of importance, gala dinners, Thuma Mina campaigns, anti-drug activities and other community-centered programmes.

4.3. Awards

Following the 2019 General Elections, our branch won an award for the most outstanding suburban branch when it comes to door to door and other programmes among all branches in Zone 14.

5. **FINANCE MATTERS**

Our Branch depends on the time, skills and resources of its immediate members to function optimally at an administrative and operational level.

To donate funds or resources into the Branch, please contact the Branch Secretary or any of the alternative contact persons. Alternatively and for accountability purposes, you may make deposits into the Branch Account, after which you send proof of payment to the Branch Secretary. The banking details of the branch are shown herein below.

Bank Name:	First National Bank
Account Number:	62205770226
Beneficiary Branch (IBT):	25080500
Beneficiary name:	Denis Goldberg
My Reference:	Denis Goldberg
Beneficiary Reference:	Your name (eg. Oliver Tambo)



6. **CONTACT INFORMATION**

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Sihle Ngubane

Branch Chairperson

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Other than that, kindly befriend us on Facebook; follow us on Twitter, connect with us on Instagram, visit our website as shown in the letterhead.