



*Community Survey 2016*



## Unpacking CS 2016

# Who is Stats SA?



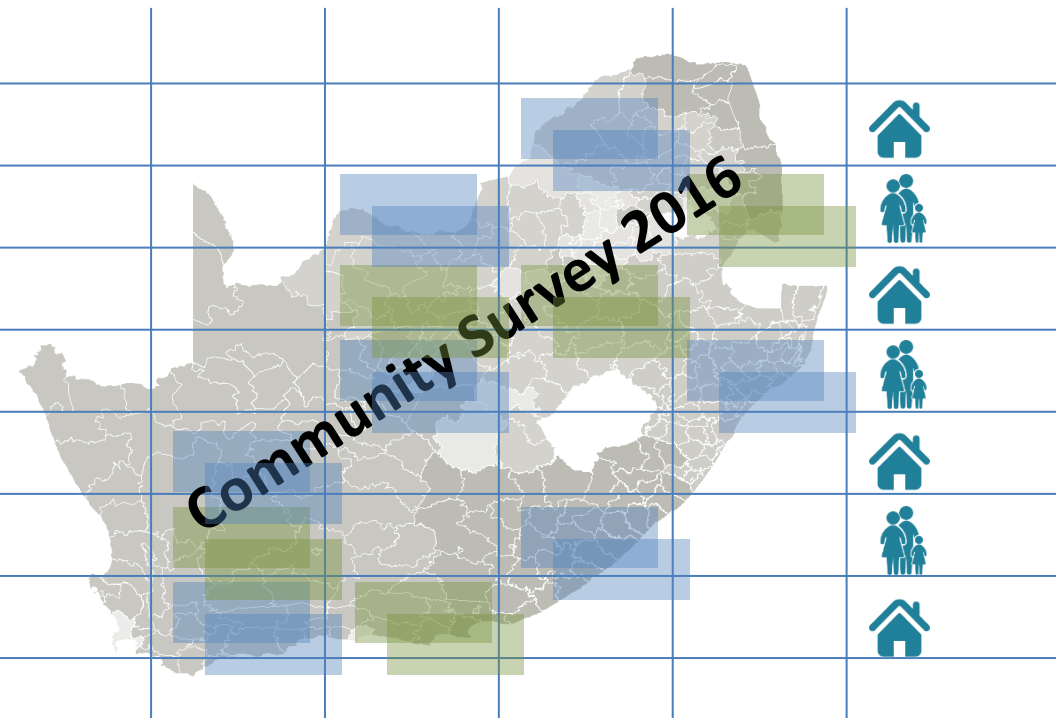
**Government department mandated to collect, analyse and disseminate official statistics**



**Operate under the auspices of the Statistics Act (Act 6 of 1999)**



**Provides a range of information on economic (inflation rate, economic growth) and social issues (population size, employment rate) to support evidence-based decision making**



**Large-scale household survey**



**Provide population and household statistics at municipal level**



**Quality input into local government planning and budgeting**

# Objectives



To provide population and household statistics at **municipal level** to government and the private sector to **support planning and decision-making**.



To count each and every individual in the sampled dwelling units without duplication or omission by **April 2016**



To use technology and geospatial information to **improve on the efficiency of data collection and turnaround time to release of results**

# What information will be obtained from the survey?

The focus of the survey will be on:



Measurement of access to facilities and services, such as piped water, sanitation and electricity for lighting



Measurement of demographic factors, namely fertility, mortality, migration



Measurement of socio-economic factors, namely employment and unemployment, extent of poor households etc.

Inform planning, monitoring and evaluation at all levels of government

# High Level Timelines/Milestones



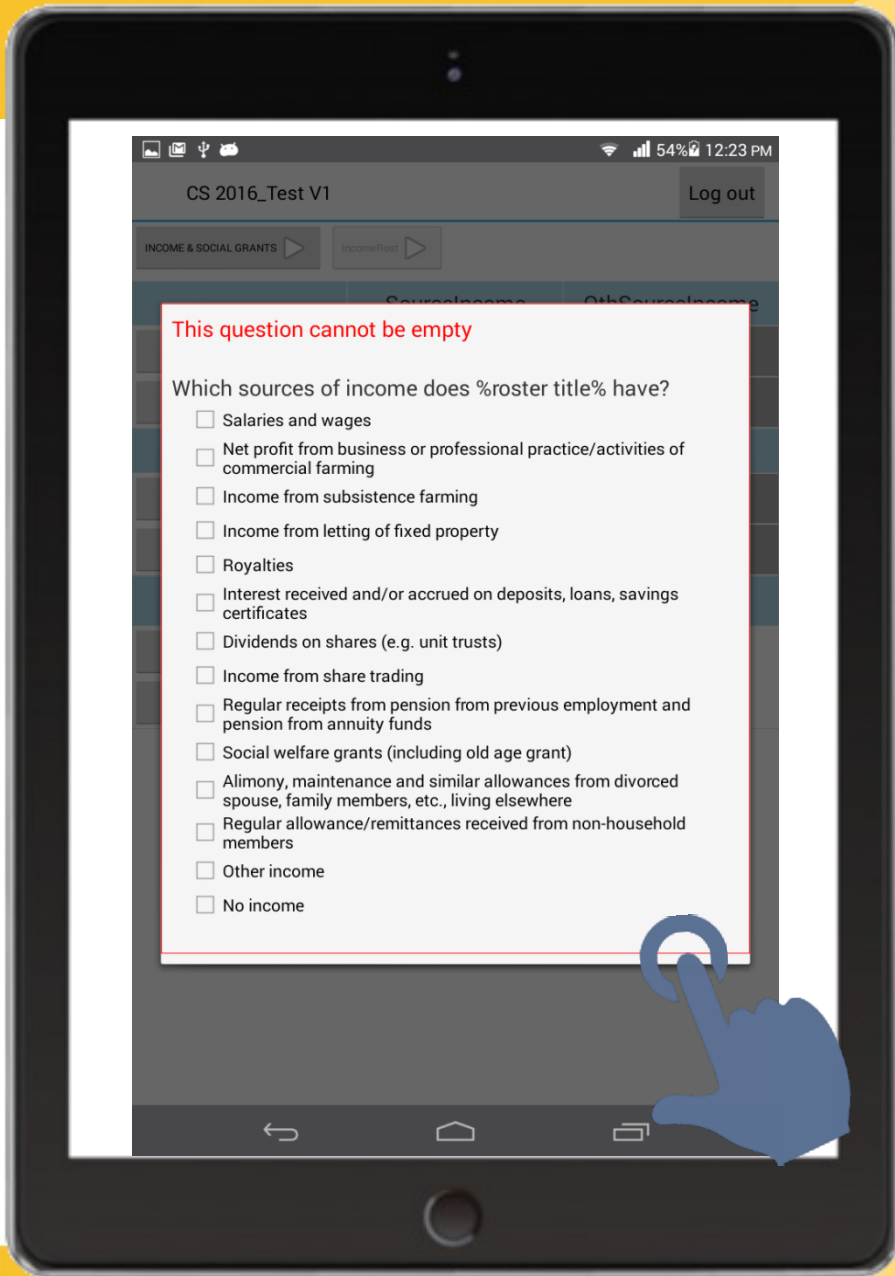
Contract field staff trained and employed by **04 March 2016**



Data collection from **07 March to 22 April 2016**  
Evaluation survey from **25 April to 13 May 2016**



Dissemination of initial report by **30 June 2016**



# CS 2016 EXAMPLE

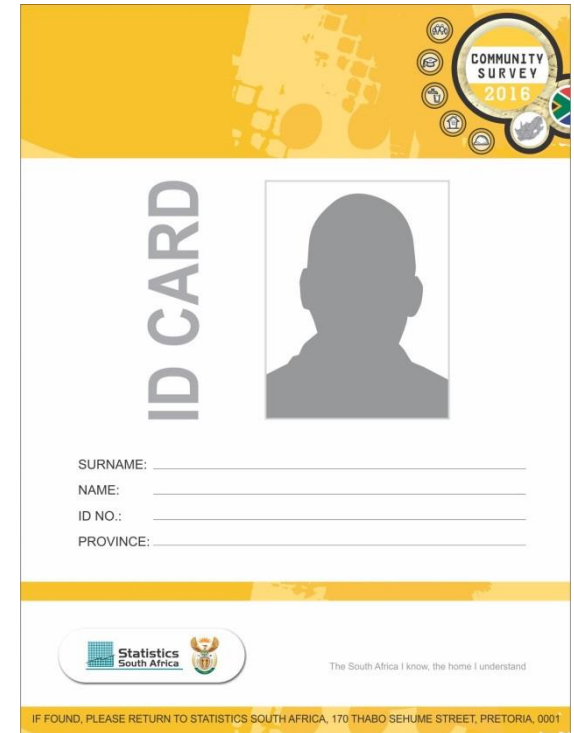
# How do I identify CS 2016 fieldworkers?

Community Survey fieldworkers can be identified through official ID cards, which include a hologram image to verify authenticity. The ID card will have the fieldworkers name, surname, ID no and the province that they are working in. This needs to be produced when visiting sampled homes.

Field staff will also be issued with Community Survey 2016 branded bibs and bags.

The relevant provincial field operations manager (contact information on pamphlet) or the central call centre can be contacted to verify if the person at your door is legitimate.

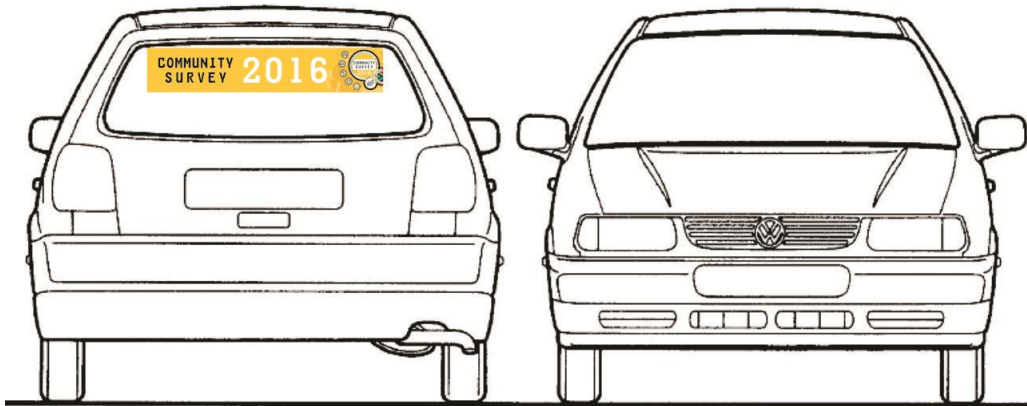
Call centre: 0800 110 248



The image shows a template for a Community Survey 2016 ID card. The card has a yellow header with the text 'COMMUNITY SURVEY 2016' and a circular logo. Below the header, the words 'ID CARD' are printed vertically on the left. To the right of this text is a grey silhouette of a person's head and shoulders, representing a photo. Below the silhouette, there are four horizontal lines for text, labeled 'SURNAME:', 'NAME:', 'ID NO:', and 'PROVINCE:'. At the bottom of the card, there is a logo for 'Statistics South Africa' and the slogan 'The South Africa I know, the home I understand'. A small line of text at the very bottom reads 'IF FOUND, PLEASE RETURN TO STATISTICS SOUTH AFRICA, 170 THABO SEHUME STREET, PRETORIA, 0001'.



# Branding of vehicles



To report speeding, misuse of vehicles, etc. please call 084 508 4786

# How is Stats SA ensuring the safety of fieldworkers?



The project has been registered with the National Joint Operations Committee (NATJOINT), and through them with their provincial counterparts



NATJOINT & Stats SA will identify potential hot spots; SAPS will then deploy members to those areas, and increase visible policing



hotline

District staff will be given a dedicated contact number to report any incidents, and a rapid response unit will be dispatched

**SAFETY  
FIRST**

Fieldworkers are trained to not take unnecessary risks. Where incidents occur, fieldworkers have access to the Employee Assistance Programme for counselling services.

# Security of information on the device



**Each fieldworker is issued with a unique ID and password to access the data collection application**



**All data collected is encrypted. The information is therefore not accessible if the device is lost or stolen**



**Once a questionnaire has been synchronised to the server the data is removed from the device**

# The Statistics Act and You

- **Section 16: Duty to answer questions**

Fieldworkers may ask you and any other household members questions related to your household and your living conditions. You have a legal obligation to answer these questions truthfully.

- **Section 17: Confidentiality and disclosure**

Our fieldworkers have a legal obligation to keep your information confidential, and may not discuss your information with any unauthorised person(s). Once your household's information is captured, no one will be able to see where the information came from.

## **Section 18: Offences and penalties**

Staff found guilty of breach of confidentiality can be fined up to R10 000 or jailed for six months (or both). In addition, if you refuse an employee entry to your premises (section 15), or refuse to answer questions (section 16), you can be fined up to R10 000 or jailed for six months (or both).

Stats SA values the trust placed in us by our respondents. Any breach of this trust by our officials will be dealt with seriously.

# THANK YOU!

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