



## 2022 NEWSLETTER

# 100 Percent forex retention boosts ASMs

The Parliamentary Portfolio Committee on Mines and Mining Development says the increase in gold deliveries is a product of a number of positive factors that allowed miners to work and produce better.

Speaking to Great Dyke News 24, the Committee's Chairperson, Honourable Edmund Mkaratigwa said despite the covid-19 lockdown as well as ZESA power cuts last winter, miners managed to put maximum effort.

He indicated that the retention of all earnings in foreign currency for gold had a positive impact as it helped boost gold delivery to Fidelity Printers and Refiners.

“Last from September the problems of power eased and miners were able to focus on production. It can also be noted that peak demand for power after winter had fallen and there were fewer power cuts.



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.....THE Reserve Bank of Zimbabwe (RBZ) recently revealed that gold delivered to Fidelity Printers and Refiners rose 55.5% in 2021.

In a statement, central bank governor Dr John Mangudya applauded the country's small and large-scale gold producers for delivering more gold in 2021 as compared to 2020.



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# YAFM to host inaugural GDMA Investment Conference

YAFM and online television portal Great Dyke TV will host the inaugural Great Dyke Mining and Agriculture Investment Conference at the Village Lodge in Gweru on the 11th of March 2022.

The conference which showcases the investment opportunities in mining and agriculture will be held together with the second edition of the Great Dyke Mining and Agriculture Awards.

In an interview with Great Dyke News 24, YAFM Head of Marketing, Tsistsi Nauruma said they have started preparations for the event.

“We have started planning for the conference and awards set for the 11th of March 2022 at The Village Lodge in Gweru. The event which runs from 0800hrs to 1300hrs will start with a conference which will be followed by the awards ceremony.

“A number of high profile business leaders have been invited and will make presentations at the conference. The highlight will be the presentation of the first ever market report on the business opportunities in the Great Dyke by renowned economist Professor Gift Mugano, who was commissioned by YAFM to do the research. This is really a call for all those who are looking for investment opportunities in the Great Dyke to attend,” she said.

Nauruma encouraged mining and agriculture companies and business persons in the Great Dyke to submit entries for the awards which honour business excellence in the region.

“The entries for all categories are open from the 14th of January to the 25th of February and we are calling on all those who are eligible to submit their entries on time.

The event was sponsored by Chloride Zimbabwe, Zimlabs, Performance Laboratories, Altran Security, Doves, Garmin, Kubota Engineering, Jacob Bethel Corporation, Shamva Gold Mine and Shepco Industrial Supplies.

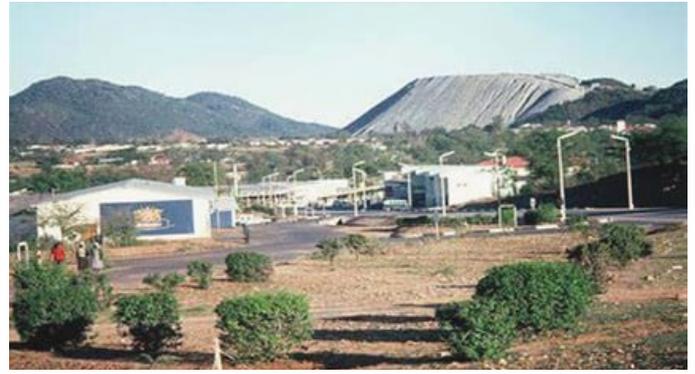
“The awards promote excellence and aim to unlock the growth potential in mining and agricultural companies operating in the mineral rich geological complex called the Great Dyke, which trends from north to south for over 500 kilometres,” she said.

The awards were introduced last year after observing that there were no dedicated accolades for mining and agricultural entities operating in the Great Dyke and as a way to stimulate growth and achieve higher production.

**The organisers have come up with ten categories as listed below:**

- 1. Gold Buyer of the Year**
- 2. Business Person of the Year**
- 3. Small Scale Miner of the Year**
- 4. Farmers Support Producer of the Year**
- 5. CSR Award of the Year**
- 6. Beef and Dairy Producer of the Year**
- 7. Healthy and Safety Award of the Year**
- 8. Financial Service Provider of the Year**
- 9. Small Scale Agro Producer of the Year**
- 10. Large Scale Agro Producer of the Year**

**To submit entries contact Michael on 0783 573 388**



# Mberengwa-Zvishavane Minex set for 7 April

The Minex conference and exhibition for Zvishavane-Mberengwa is set for the 7th of April 2022 in Zvishavane.

Minex, working with the Mberengwa Miners Association, which is an affiliate of the Zimbabwe Miners Federation ZMF, is organising the exhibition to give the small scale miners in Zvishavane and Mberengwa a chance to meet suppliers, dialogue and network with a view to strengthening linkages for maximising output and fostering growth.

Minex Marketing Executive, Kudzai Muranda encouraged small scale miners, suppliers, regulatory authorities and other stakeholders to participate at the event, which is crucial for creating enduring partnerships, selling mining equipment and services as well as disseminating vital information to miners

“This year will start with Zvishavane-Mberengwa Minex conference and exhibition on the 7th of April. It’s a great opportunity for mining value chain players, regulators and stakeholders to meet. “Minex will invite financiers, equipment suppliers, buyers, regulatory authorities and small-scale miners to the event, creating dialoguing and sales opportunities,” she said.

Muranda added that the Zvishavane-Mberengwa Minex will be followed by a series of Minex exhibitions nationwide.

“The Zvishavane-Mberengwa Minex will be followed by the Kadoma Minex on 14 July, with the Gwanda Minex being slated for 22 September. The final event of the year will be the Bindura Minex to be held on 24 November. After a hiatus caused by covid-19, Minex held the Shamva expo and conference in November last year. Minex could not host any event in 2020 due to the coronavirus pandemic.

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  - Painting
  - Spacers
  - Spacers
  - Line boring
- V. WATER REGULATION AND IRRIGATION DESIGN AND INSTALLATION**
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  - Spillways and in-fall equipment
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## 2022 MINEX EVENTS CALENDAR

- 11 March - Great Dyke Mining & Agri Awards
- 7 April - Mberengwa Zvishavane Minex Expo
- 24 June - Zimbabwe Agriculture Media Awards
- 14 July - Kadoma Minex Expo
- August - Mining & Agric Conference
- 22 September - Gwanda Minex Expo
- 28 October - Mining Media Awards
- 24 November - Bindura Minex Expo



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