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A BOOST FOR MAHIKENG LOCAL MUNICIPALITY AS RURAL RESIDENTS BECOME BENEFICIARIES OF ESSENTIAL SERVICES – THUNTSHA LEROLE RELOADED

Mahikeng – Residents of Siberia, Mooipan and Weltevrede villages are amongst those that are this week witnessing the provision of public services as the provincial government is rolling out the Accelerated Service Delivery Programme – Thuntsha Lerole Reloaded in Mahikeng Local Municipality, which falls under Ngaka Modiri Molema District Municipality.

The week-long service delivery programme targeting the municipality's rural areas will reach its peak tomorrow, Friday, 11 April 2025, as Premier of the North West, Lazarus Kagiso Mokgosi will be leading the collaboration of various provincial departments, state-owned entities and municipalities in rendering a broad range of essential services to the community. Communities will receive on-site services at Weltevrede Sports Ground, where a Community Feedback session will be held.

To support agricultural education and improve local farming practices, a donation of mini vegetable tunnels, alongside a demonstration of planting of seedlings will be held at Renalerona Secondary School and Obakeng Primary School in Weltevrede. Additionally, a livestock handling facility will be handed over for use by 86 farmers in Siberia, aimed at improving livestock management and promoting sustainable farming practices within the community.

As part of government's commitment to improved maternal and child health, baby nappies and sanitary towels will be distributed to nursing mothers at the Weltevrede Clinic. Along with these donations, comprehensive services including health screenings, eye care, mental health

support, physiotherapy, and nutrition and dietetics services, will be provided onsite to address

a variety of health needs.

In an attempt to ease accessibility to public facilities such as clinics and schools, the blading of

internal access roads will be amplified. Efforts to increase access to Free Basic Services will

also include the registration of indigent individuals and the distribution of energy-saving bulbs

to local communities.

The Centralised Supplier Database team will also be present to assist local SMMEs with

registration, updating, and amendment of their registered companies.

Members of the media are invited to attend and cover the planned for Mahikeng Local

Municipality Accelerated Service Delivery Programme - Thuntsha Lerole Reloaded activities

and a Community Feedback session which will be held as follows:

Date : Friday, 11 April 2025

Time : 08h00 to 16h00 – On-site government services to communities

Venue : Weltevrede Sport Ground

Time : 09h00 to 12h00 - Service delivery interventions and visit to project

sites by Premier, MECs and District and Local Executive Mayors

Time : 12h00 to 14h00 - Community Feedback Session

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