MAYOR DONATES BLANKETS AND SCHOOL UNIFORMS TO FIRE VICTIMS AT TERWISHEN VILLAGE

A donation of ten blankets, mattress, school uniforms and solar lights have warmed the hearts and brought relief to the Matlou family, the victims of a destructive fire that destroyed their two bed-roomed house at Terwishen Village in Ward 08.

Blouberg Local Municipality Mayor, Her Worship Cllr Maria Thamaga joined by Capricorn District Municipality Disaster Management team today provided the basics to the Matlou family helping to lift them from the ashes of their home.

According to family members the fire started in the ceiling, of which electric fault is suspected, before spreading to the main bedroom, destroying everything in its wake. No one was injured.

The children whom were unable to go to school as they lost all their clothes including school uniforms were today provided with uniforms for them to continue with schooling.

"We heard of the fire incident that occurred to the Matlou family last night and we are here today as the municipality to give them the necessary support. My office with the support of the Capricorn District Municipality, we were able to provide the family with blankets, mattress, school uniforms for the children and other necessities to keep them going. We are happy as the municipality that no one was injured".

Machuene Matlou, who resides with other four family members extended her gratitude to the Mayor for visiting the family in this time if need.

"I would like to thank the Mayor for helping me and my children. I don't know where I was going to get help with school uniforms for my children, blankets and these things we received if it wasn't for her, I am very greatful for the donation".







