

## WARD COMMITTEES INDUCTION WORKSHOP



The Blouberg Local Municipality on April 1 22 conducted a Ward Committees Induction workshop for the newly elected ward committee members for the term 2021-2026. The workshop which kicked off yesterday is aimed at providing ward committee members with a clear understanding of their roles in their various service delivery portfolios. Today's programme was attended by committee members from wards; 03,08,09,10,11,12, 14 and 19 and was held at Machaba Community Hall, Ga-Machaba.

Ward Committees are a link between the councillors and the community and their roles is to among others; attend to matters affecting their communities and ensure their active participation in municipal programmes among others.

The municipality has 22 wards which translates to 220 ward committee members. Each ward is manned by 10 committee members and are allocated various services delivery portfolios most relevant to the key performance of the municipality and the government in general. The areas include services such as electricity, roads, housing, water and sanitation, stormwater and drainage, waste and environment and social services including health and security among others.