## MOCHEMI, MONGALO, AND SWEETHOME EXTENSIONS NOW HAVE ELECTRICITY

One hundred and sixty-five(165) households of Mongalo (70) Sweethome (70) and Mochemi (25) extensions have been electrified. Mayor Maria Thamaga has earlier today (September 6, 2024) officially switched on these completed projects, respectively.

These projects were the municipality's response to requests made by community members during the Intergated Development Plan -IDP public consultation meetings.

The Council in the 2023/24 financial year approved R2.7m to fund these projects. Upon handing over the projects to the respective communities Mayor Thamaga called on community members to buy electricity and refrain from meter tempering as those who will be found at fault risk their electricity disconnected and face a hefty fine of R10 000.

Mayor Thamaga also donated start-up electrical appliances to the three families where symbolic switch-on took place. Mayor accompanied by the Whip of Council, Cllr Johanna Rangata switched on the lights and also donated start-up electrical appliances. She further thanked those thar were involved in the project from the beginning to the end for a job well done.

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