

BLOUBERG HOSTS CAPRICORN DISTRICT DEVELOPMENT MODEL(DDM) IMBIZO

Limpopo Premier Chupu Stanley Mathabatha joined by Members of Executive Council(MECs) Department of Public Service and Administration (DPSA) Deputy Minister and mayors from the Capricorn District today visited the Blouberg Local Municipality as part of the Capricorn District Development Model (DDM) outreach programme.

The DDM is designed to address problems with service delivery by allowing all the spheres of government, from local municipalities to national government, to work together in a more effective and coordinated way. This to help municipalities to better plan, budget and implement projects and programmes in communities

The premier and his team began with site inspection on service delivery projects in the municipality. The projects visited were; the Senwabarwana internal streets and stormwater control Phase 11A and B at Desmond Park and Extension 05 respectively. The Lethaleng to Pickum Access Road project as well as the Capricorn District Rural Health Matters outreach project at Helene Franz Hospital in Senwabarwana.

At Pirates Sport Ground, Ga-Mankgodi, where the main event took place, thousands of residents packed the marquees to capacity to pour out their service provision concerns to the leadership. The leadership interacted with residents on service delivery, as well plans for the development of the district.

The Mayor Her Worship Cllr Maria presented the service delivery status quo of the municipality in terms of capital projects, allocation of RDP houses and upgrading of roads from gravel to tar and highlighted roads and water as the service delivery challenges faced by the people.

The service delivery concerns raised by members of the public were responded to by Premier Mathabatha and his Council, DPSA Deputy Minister, Dr Chana Pilane-Majeke, Capricorn District Municipality Executive Mayor, Cllr Mamedupi Teffo and Mayor Thamaga.





