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The people of Africa, Africa landforms, African art history, African animals, African jewellery, and African clothing on their own are total; riches of the African continent.

Africa is the utmost fascinating and diverse continent on the earth. It inhabits an incredible diverse of people, animals, climates, and spectacular places. It is a continent known for its beautiful colourful clothing and its history of incredible works of art. Africa is where human beings first appeared on earth and civilization started here.

Well over one thousand languages are spoken by the people of Africa. Some estimates put this number closer to two thousand. The largest religion in Africa is Islam, followed by Christianity.

Fun facts everybody need to know about Africa is that:

- The longest river in the world, the Nile (4,132 miles), is found in Africa.
- Africa has the world's largest desert, the Sahara, which is almost the size of the United States.
- Victoria Falls is the largest waterfall in Africa; it is 355 feet high and one mile wide.
- Mount Kilimanjaro is the highest mountain on the continent. It towers over 19,300 feet, which is so tall that glaciers can be found at its summit even though the mountain is near the equator.

Madagascar is the largest island in Africa and the fourth largest island in the world. It is in the Indian Ocean off the East coast of Africa.

**Ngaka Modiri Molema District Municipality
wishes All Africans a happy AFRICA DAY!!!**

FINAL SEND-OFF FOR DEELPAN FIRE OUTBREAK VICTIMS



TSWAING

On the 01st of May 2016, it was a painful day to remember leaving a lifetime scar to the Deelpan community members in Tswaing Local Municipal, as they witnessed six members of the Mogale family losing their lives during the fire outbreak and one of the two surviving, a minor died on Monday, the 02nd of May in Tshepo Hospital, which made a loss of 7 members of the Family.

The Executive Mayor of Ngaka Modiri Molema District Municipality, Cllr Tshepo Justice Makolomakwa was saddened by the news and ensured that the District and Tswaing Local Municipality render their full support in ensuring the dignified burial and also render necessary support to bereaved family.

District Municipality, Tswaing Local Municipality, Department of Social Development and SASSA assisted the family from the onset and managed to provide the family with a shanty for shelter, mattresses, tents, jojo tank, blankets food parcels, and clothes.

"The Municipality would like to thank all partners that rendered their support to the bereaved family through Coordination by MMC Priscilla Kwenaithe, Mabogo dinku a thebana", those were the words of Executive Mayor Makolomakwa.

The Premier of the North West Province, Hon. SOR Mahumapelo also made commitment that Provincial Government will restore the plight of the Mogale Family beyond the funeral.



Ngaka Modiri Molema District Municipality sent condolences to the bereaved Mogale Family for their loss and thank all stakeholders who provided assistance during the burial process, our heartfelt thanks further goes to the Provincial Government on the leadership role shown and support given in ensuring that the Mogale Family and Deelpan community continue to have faith in our government as this death was never expected.

IN LOVING MEMORY OF :
Lerato Mogale, Olebogeng Mogale, Kegomoditswe Lemen, Bokamoso Mogale, Tshepang Mogale, Mokatse Hendrick Mogale and Michael Mogoiva Mogale.

FIRE PREVENTION

What is structure fire?

Is a fire involving the structural components of various buildings. Most households are destroyed and lives lost as result of structural fire in informal and formal settlements alike. Many items these fires are caused by accidents, negligence or the careless use of domestic appliances.

Do not

- Sleep with a lit candle, heater on, open flame or cigarette in hand
- Leave electrical wires exposed or
- Overload electrical plugs with appliances

Do's

- Keep matchstick, lit candles and paraffin lights away from children
- Switch off electrical appliances when not in use
- Ensure that water does not flow into electrical plugs and keep them dry
- Keep a portable fire extinguisher and a bucket of sand in the house, and ensure that that every family member knows where to reach them and how to use them.

In case of fire:

- use a ventilation mask or wet towel to prevent the inhalation of fumes and smoke
- Keep enough pairs of eye goggles in the home
- Where possible keep a fireproof box to keep personal documents safe.

FLISP Housing Subsidy Programme



The Finance Linked Individual Subsidy Programme (FLISP) provides a subsidy to qualifying home buyers, supporting their application to a bank for finance to buy their own home.

FLISP enables qualifying beneficiaries to reduce the initial mortgage loan amount or augment the shortfall between the qualifying loan and the total house price.

You may apply for FLISP if you earn too little to qualify for a loan to buy your own home, or you earn too much to qualify for the Government's free basic house under their RDP Housing Subsidy Scheme, and you meet the qualifying criteria.

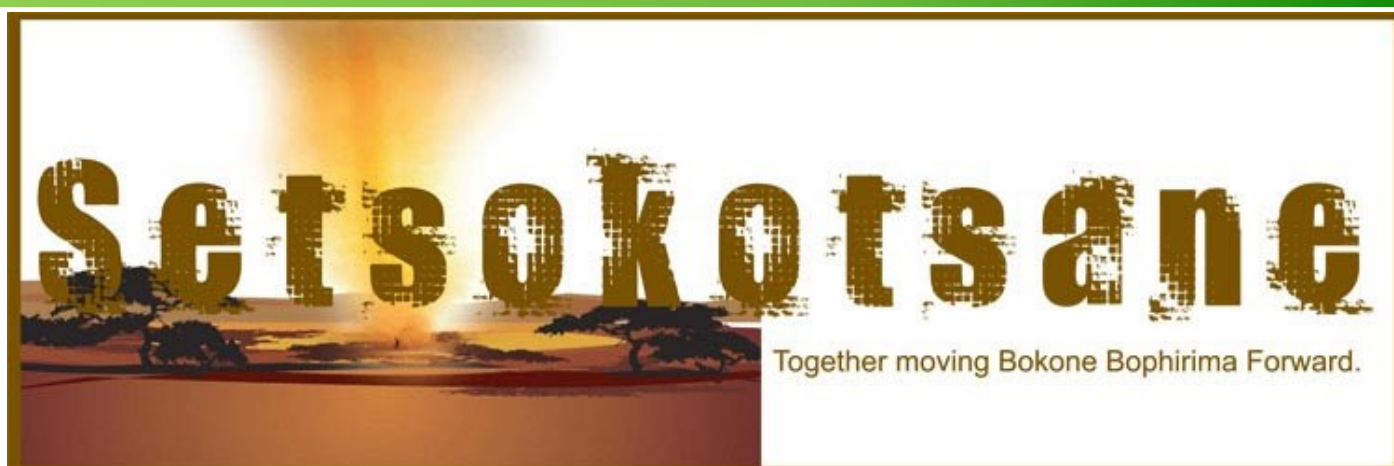
Qualifying criteria

FLISP applicants must meet the following qualifying criteria:

- first time home buyer, earning from R3 501 to R15 000 per month (household income)
- South African citizen with a valid ID; or permanent residents with a valid permit
- Must have financial dependents
- over 18 years and competent to legally contract and never have benefitted from a Government Housing Subsidy Scheme before

HOW FLISP WORKS

Depending on the applicant's gross monthly income, their once-off FLISP subsidy qualifying amount may vary between R10 000 and R87 000, as defined in the FLISP Subsidy Quantum. Any residential property acquired with a FLISP subsidy may not exceed the R300 000 price margin



Setsokotsane Programme runs concurrently

It's that time of the season when departments come together and take government services to the people, only this time around Setsokotsane will run concurrently throughout the province.

The Setsokotsane outreach seeks to intensify the programme by doing community outreach programmes from May 2016 to March 2017.

Setsokotsane is an all-inclusive radical interventionist program by Premier Supra Mahumapelo working together with all MEC's and mayors as well as people in the province to respond to the triple challenges of poverty, unemployment and inequality also focusing on the basic service delivery.

South Africa in general and the province of Bokone Bophirima face challenges of unemployment, inequality and poverty and recently have experienced drought and water becoming a scarce commodity. From time to time, communities' protest and complain of slow interventions by government, weak interactions with government employees when it comes to question and answer sessions.

Setsokotsane seeks to respond to such challenges which include: Water, Potholes, Lighting in streets and villages, Corruption, Accessibility, Accountability, Housing and Crime.

Objectives of Setsokotsane

- Address the backlog of service delivery
- Obtain feedback from the public
- Present government plans to communities
- Promote partnerships
- Strengthen intergovernmental relations
- Strengthen cooperative governance
- Promote and infuse activism across government

We will develop awareness campaigns and educational programs targeting learners, educators, civil society as well as church groups to expand knowledge of the Setsokotsane program and promote it as an activist campaign which identifies needs in the communities and responds accordingly.

The district municipality this year is expected to do better than the previous year and ensure that the programme obtains the objective and maximum results or impact.

The setsokotsane programme plans to roll-out as follows:

MUNICIPALITY	QUARTER 1	QUARTER 2	QUARTER 3	QUARTER 4
DITSOBOTLA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	09 -29 May 2016	8 -19 August 2016	7 - 18 November 2016	13 - 24 February 2017
TSWAING LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	30 May - 10 June 2016	22 August- 2 September 2016	21 -25 November 2016	27 February - 3 March 2017
RATLOU LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	13 – 24 June 2016	5th- 16 September 2016	28 November - 9 December 2016	6 -17 March 2017
RAMOTSHERE MOILOA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	27 June – 8 July 2016	19-30 September 2016	12 - 22 December 2016	20 -24 March 2017
MAHIKENG LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	11 – 22 July 2016	3 - 14 October 2016	16 - 20 January 2017	27 - 31 March 2017

During SETSOKOTSANE the district is to identify quick win projects that the municipality are to profile and ensure that the media and the residents of Ngaka Modiri Molema are well aware that service delivery is taking place in their areas. During this programme and site visitation, the institution will simultaneously compile a 15 year service delivery book for the institution and the district as a whole.

Together we can move Ngaka Modiri Molema District Municipality forward.



AFRICA DAY! 25 MAY 2016



The Honorable President of the Republic of South Africa encourages unity and the fight against Xenophobia in South Africa. The country aims to develop a better Africa and a better world through intergovernmental relations.

Africa Day celebrates the day when the Organisation of African Unity (OAU), the predecessor to the African Union (AU), formed in 1963. It acknowledges the progress that Africans have made, while reflecting upon the common challenges faced like poverty, armed conflict, climate change and xenophobic attacks. The African Union, comprised of 53 member states, which aim at bringing together the continent of Africa.

AFRICA the world's second largest continent, the second most popularised continent. Africa, remains one of the world's most vibrant countries, rich in culture, traditions and customs. The tropical land filled with animals great and small, islands lit and

heated up by the golden glow of the AFRICAN sun. Africa also known to be the country of Extremes, extremely poor, extremely large, extremely young, in terms of age. Our African land is one wonder that we need to pride ourselves with. Africa has the largest desert in the world, larger than the Continental USA. Still named the driest continent after Australia, yet Africa is inherent of the largest lake in Africa and the largest lake in the world with fresh water, which is Lake Victoria. These are but just some of the fun facts that we need to celebrate as Africans

Ngaka Modiri Molema District Municipality in conjunction with the Provincial government aligns itself with the national mandate to strengthen the A.C.T, VTSD, SaamTrek SaamWerk, RHR and Setsokotsane throughout the province of the North West with these point areas. As we aim to move South Africa forward. We shall continue to play a role in contributing positively to the economy locally, provincially, nationally and internationally.

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