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EXECUTIVE MAYOR'S FOREWORD



**KSD Executive Mayor
Cllr Nyaniso Nelani**

I'm so grateful to my organization, ANC for deploying me here at KSD to serve the people of this area. With the challenges we faced, some due to the outbreak of covid 19 pandemic, I'm proud of what we have achieved as the Municipality. We managed to restore the dignity of our people, more especially the vulnerable and disadvantaged people who were living under the undignified situations. The Municipality working together with the provincial department of Human Settlements managed to build them houses by so doing restoring their dignity. The people who are currently living at Maydene Farm Extension and other areas can give testimony to this.

Not so long ago, we were at Ward 31 whereat we handed over 87 houses to the destitute families and we are also busy building 1000 houses for the disaster victims at Qweqwe, ward 30. Recently, I personally visited ward 14, 31, 30, to mention the few, in the company of government departments. Human settlements made a promise that the blocked projects will be unblocked. What does this mean? It means that many KSD residents will find themselves, each owning a beautiful house to the value of 170 thousand. Who else can give you a free house other than the government of the African National Congress? This is not the only achievement attained by people's government. The municipality has constructed access roads in most of its wards, covering a distance of more than 2000 kilometres. This means that many lives will be saved as many of our people helplessly died in their houses because ambulances could not reach their areas when they desperately need them. Most importantly, the Municipality will be able to....

...access those areas and render the basic services which our people are desperately in need of.

As the Municipality is led by the people with a fore sight, it has managed to forge crucial partnerships with the institutions of note such as the Durban University of Technology (DUT) and South African Maritime Safety Authority (SAMSA), adding to the current partnerships We have with Walter Sisulu University and KSD TVET College. DUT have since promised to give experiential training to some of KSD learners and also pledged to send some of its learners from the Engineering Faculty to come and assist KSD on road construction. It also pledged to send some of its students from different faculties to come and assist KSD in various fields.

As we speak, partnership with SAMSA has yielded good results because a structure for the repair and manufacturing of boats has already been erected at Maphuzi TVET College in the sooner-to-be KSD's third town, Coffee Bay. All these partnerships came at the right time when KSD is on the verge of becoming a Metro in 2026. The expertise of our partners in various fields is desperately needed by KSD to propel itself to new heights.

If you are thinking of relocating to other Municipality, think again because KSD will boom in a way you never imagined. SEZ is bringing economic boosters to KSD. Firms specialising in food processing will be built in Mthatha Airport precincts and that means many job and entrepreneurship opportunities will be opened for the people of KSD. Right now be busy establishing poultry co-ops and your chickens will be bought by the Food processing firms and the Municipality is willing to assist you where it can.

One of the challenges facing KSD right now which we are busy addressing is the challenge of potholes. How so? The Municipality is splashing millions of rands in the refurbishment of Norwood and Callaway internal streets and SANRAL is busy patching potholes in N2 parts within our city.

In pursuance of Smart City initiative, the Municipality is busy implementing Kigali Model which entails keeping our city clean, having streetlights and vivid road markings. The ANC government has got many ideas to improve your lives but only if you give us enough time to continue changing your lives. As we approach Local Government elections, do the right thing by trusting us to lead you again.



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WORD FROM THE MUNICIPAL MANAGER



**KSD Municipal Manager
Mr Ngamela Pakade**

The Municipality changes its goals, and it also grows in size, thus making it necessary to restructure and reorganise its business units in order to maintain high standards of effective service delivery. Since 2010, the Municipality had not reviewed the Organisational Structure however as part of the Municipal turnaround strategy adopted in 2019 the structure has been reviewed and adopted in the 2020/2021 financial year. Furthermore, in as far as recruitment is concerned, part of all positions of Senior Managers that were vacant are being filled including other critical junior posts. For the period of 2020/2021 Financial Year, 109 people were employed.

The approved Staff Establishment has 2360 positions. Each position in the structure is expected to be provided with a job description and job evaluation. It is also expected to attach clear job descriptions to those posts and attach the remuneration and other conditions of service that are applicable. The institution is also in the process of writing 590 job descriptions for the Financial Year 2021/22.

On Skills development interventions, the municipality is funded by National Treasury to support training of unemployed graduates to be young Professionals, as follows:-

2 Town Planning Technicians, 3 Quantity Surveying Technicians, 3 Electricity Technicians and 4 Civil Engineering Technicians. This programme is running for three years; however the programme is flexible to extend time should gaps be identified.

The municipality has further partnered with NEMISA to advance partnership is driving digital skills by implementing skills such as Basic Computer Literacy for 30 employees, another group of 30 was trained on digital Transformation and ICT officials were trained on Data Science, MS900, Cybex (Cyber Security).....

These trainings are to be packaged for EPWP employees and Youths not in any form of employment, education, and training. Furthermore, Digital skills assessment is being conducted.

Through another partnership with KSD TVET College, the municipality is currently hosting 157 interns.

Again, 10 Finance Interns appointed for a period of three years are currently undergoing training on Municipal Finance Management Programme to empower them to exit the programme fully competent so as to be employable in the local government sector.

KSD Municipality has also partnered with the Eastern Cape Community Training College aiming to open access to career growth in employees in the semi-skilled and unskilled levels, more especially those with no formal education. As part of an exit strategy to employees soon to retire. Skills programmes offered are as follows: beading, sewing, computer literacy skills.

The skills programmes offered by the community college range from General Education and Training Certificate (GETC) which is aligned with NQF level 1 qualification, formal programmes are from AET L1 TO AET L4 including basic oral where a need arises.

Furthermore, employees who currently do not possess matric / senior certificate will be included in this programme through completing Amendment Senior Certificate (ASC) Programme at NQF level 4. The College would also offer other skills interventions including sewing, end user computing etc. There will be two learning centres in Mthatha main offices and Mqanduli Satellite Office.

The municipality has further partnered with DUT and has applied for LGSETA funding targeting 100 learners originally from KSD.

We are proud of all these achievements by the institution, as a lot remains in the pipeline as our focus among other crucial areas is the finalisation and construction of the Vidgiesvile logistics hub, the new coffee bay town development, the small town revitalisation of Mqanduli, Ngangelizwe township revitalisation, the Buwa precinct (sprigg street) improvement programme among a few key interventions that are intended to boost economic development, as we seek to turn around the fortunes of the Municipality and also create a skills base for the economy.

We are indebted indeed and very grateful to the dedicated KSD Municipal staff whose hands are on the deck and are displaying unparalleled commitment under trying times because of the outbreak of Covid 19.

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KSD TO BUILD 580 HOUSES IN VARIOUS WARDS

This is the beauty that awaits many areas of KSD which will benefit on the massive roll-out of the RDP houses as from November 2021



VUYO NOMOYI

The Department of Human Settlements unblocked six housing projects that were blocked during their construction. KSDM has been appointed as the implementing agent for these housing projects.

The unblocking of these projects was initiated by a business plan signed between KSD and the Provincial Department of Human Settlements in November 2020, making available a budget of R32 million for the financial year 2021/2022.

On Monday, the 11th of October 2021, KSD Executive Mayor, His Worship Councillor Nyaniso Nelani visited Mahlangu Village in Ward 22 and Zidindi Village in Ward 25 to introduce three contractors, two contractors appointed for the Mahlangu project; SNZN construction for 117 units and Shota Holdings for 113 units to fast-track the building of houses within 12 months.

The areas to be covered are Mahlangu komkhulu/ Ntilini, Kovoti, Sekileni, Zihagu, Jeleveni, Upper Phahla and Gxwalibomvu.

This news of planned housing project for Mahlangu was well-received by its residents, as they have been long waiting for this.

The 3rd contractor appointed for the Zidindi project is Abenguni Contractors, for 105 units and the duration of the project is 12 months. The projects will commence towards the end of November 2021 and will provide job opportunities to the local communities.

Here is the list of all the various areas to benefit from this massive rollout of RDP houses:-

1. New Payne 300 (72)
2. New Payne 200 (53)
3. Mahlangu 350 (260)
4. Willow 200 (63)
5. Zidindi 300 (105)
6. Ntshabeni 200 (27).

Speaking at New Payne on the 14th of October 2021, when he was introducing Vitsha Trading, the contractor appointed to build 72 houses at New Payne, KSD Executive Mayor, Councillor Nyaniso Nelani said, "KSD has been entrusted by the Department of Human Settlements to build these houses because it has capacity to do this job successfully and the fact that KSD inspires to be a Metro in 2026 played to our side".

Soon, 300 residents from Maydene Farm will be given their title deeds as the proud and official owners of their houses. Unganyebelezeli, kusazosetyenzwa!!!!



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PREMIER'S INTERVENTION HOUSING PROJECT....

Names of Mahibe recipients:- Ms Ntombekhaya Mxenge, Ms Nomathamsanqa E, Gengelele, Mr Vuyoletu Gengelele, Ms Nogcinile Sitonga, Ms Nolindile Gabuza and Ms Nokomityi Nqolongo

Names of Qokolweni recipients:- Ms Nongamile Mbena, Ms Christina Vuyiswa Mathinjwa and Ms Norah Nozipho Katwa- STORY BY ZIBELE LIMANI, NCEBAKAZI NIKELO, BALISA MTIZA AND VUYO NOMOYI



One of the houses that touched the Premier's heart at Mahibe, ward 34



Premier's Intervention House



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PREMIER'S INTERVENTION HOUSING PROJECT



MEC for Human Settlements, Ms Nonceba Kotsiwe handing over house keys to Ms Ntombekhaya Mxenge while Minister of Small Businesses, Mrs Stella Abrahams-Ndabeni and KSD Exec Mayor, Cllr Nyaniso Nelani look on

On the 19th of May 2021, the Honourable Premier, Mr Oscar Mabuyane visited Tabase Administrative Area during the By-Elections for Ward 34 and identified 5 destitute families living in dilapidated mud structures in Mahibe village. Having seen those dilapidated mud structures, he could not stand that eyesore situation in which the 5 families were living under, he then implored the MEC of Human settlements, Ms Nonceba Kotsiwe to speedily build them houses and the MEC obliged though she ended up building 8 houses after the Portfolio Head of KSD Human Settlements, Ms Thobeka Mtirara added 3 destitute families from Qokolweni village.

It was jubilation and ululation from the recipients as they received their fully furnished houses with groceries but furnishers and groceries were sponsored. Premier apologised to the community of Mahibe for not being part of the handing over ceremony as he had another official commitments. But there is no doubt that wherever he was, he was a happy man as his promise has been fulfilled. In fact, he is a man of his words, as this promise also fulfilled another promise he made at Qokolweni, ward 35 in August 2020 when he was handing over a house to a destitute family there. He said no more will the construction of houses for the destitute families will take a long time but 3 months will be enough for the construction of these house. The 5 houses from Mahibe took exactly 3 months to complete. Indeed, dignities have been restored to the vulnerable and marginalized people of Mahibe. Government has proven that it is the government of the people, working for the people!! Note that each house is valued at R170 000, what a gift!!



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NORWOOD INTERNAL STREETS REFURBISHMENT



1ST AVENUE, NORWOOD

VUYO NOMOYI AND BALISA MTIZA

On the 11th of February 2021, KSD delegation descended to Norwood, ward 8 conveying good news for the community of Norwood. After many years of distress and uncertainty, they were informed that all the internal streets which were in a bad condition will be refurbished. Surely this news brought a sigh of relief to them as those unwanted and unnecessary trips to the spares because of wearing off of their tyres will be no more. More details about this project are listed below:-

- More than R39 million has been set aside for this project
- Project started from the April 2021 and it will be completed on March 2022
- SMMEs are set to benefit from this project and as we speak, tender applications have been issued to the SMMEs
- 12 Local people have been employed in this project



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REFURBISHMENT OF CALLAWAY INTERNAL STREETS AND EAGLE STREET IS IN PROGRESS



BALISA MTIZA

When KSD delegation led by the Portfolio Head of Infrastructure, Councillor Nombulelo Sibeko visited the community of Callaway with the good news of the refurbishment of the internal streets, they probably thought that it was just a lip service. Little did they know that we mean business and what we promise to do, we do it! Right now, heavy machines are excavating and levelling at Callaway street.

Projects of this nature always bring about job opportunities for the locals and SMMEs and this project is no exception. 30 local people have been employed and 2 SMMEs will get a slice of the cake.

The 10 months project is set to be completed on may 2022. Yes, R16 million is well-spent on restoring the dignity of our people.



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WARD 21 AND 22 ELECTRIFICATION PROJECTS

KWAJALI ÈLECTRIFICATION IN PROGRESS



NCEBAKAZI NIKELO

King Sabata Dalindyebo Municipality is rolling out a massive electrification programme in its various wards. These are ongoing efforts in addressing electrification backlog particularly in Mqanduli area. Approximately 1230 households will be electrified with a tune of R29 million.

About four contractors are dispersed around nineteen (19) villages to undertake this mammoth task. These villages include Gxididi, Phelandaba, Mandlovini, Xhwili, Kwanxele, Matyeni, Lower Manyisana, Jali, Qadini, Thungwana, Mahlungulu and Link area. Some of the wards which are not yet electrified have been installed solar panels as a temporary measure till they are due. The programme has created much needed job opportunities as a minimum of 60 local people have been employed.

“This is in line with government commitment of ensuring that every community have got access to electricity in order to improve their lives.” said the Executive Mayor, Cllr Nyaniso Nelani.

Our government spends R40 000 to electrify a single household so you can imagine how much money spent for R1230 households! This is a show of government commitment towards the restoration of the people’s dignity.

The project commenced in July 2021 and is set to be completed in February 2022.



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HIGBURY WATER TREATMENT PLANT...



HIGBURY WATER TREATMENT PLANT



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HIGHBURY WATER TREATMENT PLANT

UNDERGROUND WATER RETICULATION



ZIBELE LIMANI

The need for water is so huge in KSD and the surrounding areas such that the Municipality working together with the O.R, Tambo District Municipality and the Department of Water Affairs saw it prudent that a second Water Treatment Plant be built hence we have witnessed the construction of Highbury Water Treatment Plant in addition to Thornhill Water Treatment Plant. This plant will feed a water reservoir also built in Highbury and the reservoir in question will supply Highbury and the surrounding areas which include areas from Mhlontlo and Nyandeni Municipal jurisdictions. Here are details for this water treatment plant:-

- A tune of R460 million has been spent on the construction of Highbury Water Treatment Plant.
- 57 local people were employed for this project and 6 SMMEs also benefited on this project and 4 of which were from Highbury
- Project started on November 2018 and it was completed on December 2020.
- The government is not yet done with the development in Highbury, 2 more water related projects are planned for this area. The second one will start from January 2022 to January 2024 while the third one will start from January 2023 to December 2024.

There is no doubt that water woes in the above-mentioned areas will be the thing of the past,



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CONSTRUCTION OF KHALALO ACCESS ROAD IS IN PROGRESS...



HEAVY MACHINERY BUSY CONSTRUCTING THE ROAD IN KHALALO WHERE NO ONE EVER IMAGINED THAT THERE COULD BE A ROAD



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CONSTRUCTION OF KHALALO ACCESS ROAD IS IN PROGRESS...



PROGRESS MADE TO ADDRESS LACK OF ACCESS ROAD IN KHALALO. KHALALO WILL NEVER BE THE SAME AGAIN



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CONSTRUCTION OF KHALALO ACCESS ROAD IS IN PROGRESS



VUYO NOMOYI, BALISA MTIZA AND ZIBELE LIMANI

More than R15 million is set aside for this project and 30 locals will get employment. This is good news for the people of Khalalo as they have been struggling to get services due to the lack of access roads. A lot of work has been done to address the challenge of the lack of access road for Khalalo residents in ward 21. The nine month project started from May 2021 and it will be completed in February 2022. As a norm in the project of this nature, SMMEs are not left out, they always get a slice of the pie. Five SMMEs will benefit from this project.

Access roads are enablers and catalytic by nature and the availability of this development will unlock other developments in the area of Khalalo. Services that could not be rendered due to the lack of access roads, now will be rendered.

When the Municipality visited Khalalo in May 2021 to introduce a contractor, the Khalalo residents probably thought that this development is just one of those dreams that will never be fulfilled but now that they see the work done they are holding their heads high, oozing with confidence as their dignity has been restored.

So far, the Municipality is pleased with what it has achieved for the people of KSD and it is more determined to do more for its people. Those people who are yet to taste the benefits of services rendered, please do not lose hope, we will definitely set our feet in your areas bringing good news of service delivery. You are not the outcasts of the Municipality, you are part of the family and family takes care of its members.



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KSD HANDS OVER 87 HOUSES TO DESTITUTE FAMILIES



MEC of Human Settlements, Ms Nonceba Kotsiwe (wearing traditional attire with a black doek) is flanked by the recipient of the house from left, Mrs Xoliswa Krexe-Mtirara and from right by KSD Exec. Mayor, Cllr Nyaniso Nelani, KSD Hon. Speaker, Cllr Thandeka Maqoko and Chief Bhovulengwe Mtirara – Story by VUYO NOMOYI, BALISA MTIZA AND ZIBELE LIMANI



MEC Kotsiwe handing over Title Deed to Mrs Xoliswa Krexe-Mtirara

The collaboration between KSD and government departments is yielding good results. This massive development is the product of those collaborations. The government does not shy away or renege from its promise of providing decent houses for the disadvantaged people.

One must be dearly loving you if he/she can give you a free house to the value of R170 000. This is what your government is doing for you. So you can imagine how much money spent to build 87 houses for free!!!

Surely, Matyengqina from ward 32 is rejoicing and appreciating this gesture from the caring government. One of the recipients, Mama Xoliswa Krexe-Mtirara couldn't contain her tears when she was given the keys to her fully furnished house.



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HAND OVER OF INDUSTRIAL SEWING MACHINES AND SEWING MATERIAL AT MDENI, WARD 34



Second person from left, Portfolio Head of Rural Economic Development (RED), Cllr Nontyatyambo Gcingca flanked by the recipients during the handover of 6 Sewing Machines to a Mdeni Traditional Group in ward 34– Story by VUYO NOMOYI

On the 20th of September 2021, KSD delegation descended to Mdeni village at ward 34 to hand over 6 sewing machines which include 2 Industrial Sewing Machines, 2 Domestic Overlocker Sewing Machines and 2 Singer Machines, to a Traditional Group. As if that is not enough, the Municipality further gave this group 50 meters of caps material, 50 meters of Isishweshwe material and 50 meters of Imibhaco material.

There is a lot of work to be done by this group as they pledged to be busy with the local production of masks and the abundant material calls for them to roll up their sleeves and design and make beautiful traditional attires. Yes, this will lead to the alleviation of poverty in that area.

Supplementary feed for horses was also donated to the local horse racing club. These initiatives are aimed at boosting the local economic development.

We just cannot forget to applaud for this department for its initiatives to boost local economic activities. Still on that, on the 15th of October 2021, the Department handed over 74 Gazebos to the Mthatha hawkers selling at Madeira and Sprigg Streets. Mqanduli will also be given a sizable number of gazebos on the 25th of October 2021.



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STAKEHOLDERS CONSULTATION: MUNICIPAL BYLAWS



Special Programmes Unit and Social Services Portfolio Head, Cllr Zukisa Gana handing over a wheelchair to the beneficiary during the Municipal By-Laws to regulate vulnerable groups at Mthatha Stadium

NCEBAKAZI NIKELO

King Sabata Dalindyebo Municipal Council has recently adopted the Children's Home By-law, Elderly Home's By-law, and Youth Development By-law. Following the adoption of the afore-mentioned by-laws, the municipality, accordingly, is required to embark on an aggressive public participation process to solicit public inputs and comments from all the relevant stakeholders within our jurisdiction.

The objective of the by-laws is to assist in the regulation, support and promote compliance to reduce the greater levels of vulnerability. The By Laws as indicated above will manage and ensure that there is adequate support for the Children Homes, Elderly Homes and Youth Development programmes.

The proposed by-laws are also intended to clearly define the role of the municipality with regards to vulnerable groups and strengthens the relation between the municipality, stakeholders, and communities. Moreover, the by-laws will inform the policies and strategies of Social Services and Special Programmes Unit.

A first session has been convened to gather inputs from affected stakeholders, communities and more public engagements are planned to reach as many stakeholders as possible.



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RECOGNITION OF 100 POLICE DEPLOYED AT BITYI



Sitting from left in the podium– MEC of Safety and Liaison, Mrs Weziwe Tikana-Gxothiwe, His Majesty, King Buyelekhaya Dalindyebo and KSD Exec. Mayor, Cllr Nyaniso Nelani– Story by BALISA MTIZA

Following numerous cries from Bityi residents in Mthatha about high rate of crime and stock theft in their area, SAPS deployed 100 Police Officers to curb crime by doing patrols. Since the team has been deployed at Bityi and surrounding villages, there is a decrease in crime and stock theft.

SAPS recognized 100 Police Officers whose hard work and commitment have immensely contributed to fighting crime and lawlessness in Bityi. King Sabata Dalindyebo Executive Mayor, Cllr Nyaniso Nelani joined hands with SAPS, Abathembu King, His Majesty, King Buyelekhaya Dalindyebo and EC MEC for Safety and Liaison, Mrs Weziwe Tikana-Gxothiwe to recognize police contribution to the fight against Stock theft, house robbery and murder in Bityi area.



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KSD HERITAGE CELEBRATION



Itheko elikumila kunje asilotheko ngaphandle komngqungo wesintu!!
Kurhal'obengekho



Phambi kokuba sibe ngabasebenzi siqala ngokuba sisizwe. Isizwe esiyaziyo imvelaphi yaso siyazazi apho siya khona kwaye sinelifa esingalishiyela abantwana baso. Elethu iliffa sisinxibo sethu sobuthina



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KSD HERITAGE CELEBRATION



'Nathi njengamadoda siyayazi lento, siyazazi uba singoobani', utsho uMnu Bongani Mfazwe

'Sinxiba kanje kwaNtu kwaye siyazingca ngobuthina', utsho uNkosazana Nomawabo Sinama



Umama uXoliswa Momoza (oneqhiya ebomvu) enikezela ngeziphho kwabaphumeleleyo!! Theko asilotheko ngaphandle kweziphho



Abaphumeleleyo eMadodeni



Abaphumeleleyo kooMama– Ukusukae ekhohlo– Ms Thembakazi Nkosiyane, Viwe Matiwane noVuyokazi Mpumza

'Work and no play makes John a dull boy', itsho intetho yamangesi. Nathi aphe-KSD siyayazi lonto!!! Umsebenzi onemveliso ngumsebenzi ohlaziyekileyo nochulumancileyo. Yilonto minyaka le sisoloko sibhiyozela inyanga yamagugu ethu (Heritage Month). Nyaka ngamnye ngenyanga yamagugu ethu singuMasipala sibekela bucala usuku lokubhiyoza, nalo unyaka khange wohluke silubhiyozele olu suku saluvanga ngobumbeje-mbeje besinxibo sethu sesintu nezidlo zethu zesintu ezimuncisintu-pha. Ndithi okumqa, sigwampa, mvubo sizitika ngako ngolusuku lukhethekileyo. Ábasebenzi bethu asibafundisi umsebenzi kuphela kodwa sibafundisa nangemvelaphi yabo, bazazi uba bangobani besiyaphi. Isizwe esingenamvelaphi, ayisosizwe eso. Nakunyaka ozayo ssobesikhona sisenza esidume ngazo, sijoyine ungasali ngemva!!! Zemkinkomo magwalandini!!!



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KSD HERITAGE CELEBRATION

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PICTORAL EVIDENCE FOR CLEANUP CAMPAIGNS



ROADMARKING IN MADEIRA STREET



INSPECTION OF BOTH FORMAL AND INFORMAL BUSINESSES IN THE CBD (MADEIRA STREET)



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PICTORAL EVIDENCE FOR CLEANUP CAMPAIGNS

MQANDULI



INSPECTION OF BUSINESSES AT MQANDULI



PICTORAL EVIDENCE FOR CLEANUP CAMPAIGNS

MQANDULI



CONDEMNED STUFF- EXPIRED FOOD FROM SHOPRITE



ROADMARKING DONE IN MQANDULI

The Municipality in its pursuit to have clean towns, it has embarked on utilising Kigali Model at KSD. From time to time Kigali City in Rwanda put aside special days for Clean-up Campaigns in which all citizens stop doing anything and focus on cleaning their town.

KSD, as it is also busy with pursuing a Smart City initiative, has adopted this Kigali Model which focuses on making our towns clean by so doing attracting investors to our Municipality. The two clean-up campaigns held by the Municipality were a success and also shown us some challenges we are faced with..

The non-compliance by businesses from both of our towns, Mthatha and Mqanduli calls for a radical implementation of our Bylaws which are in the processing of gazetting and once that has been achieved, we will not tolerate non-compliance from any business within our jurisdiction. We noted with concern the businesses not abiding with safety laws set for businesses and we will decisively deal with those transgressions. We also urge business owners to ensure that their business licences are up to date.



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HERO'S WELCOME: MR MIHLALI XHOTYENI

KSD Exec Mayor, Cllr Nyaniso Nelani with the man of the moment, Mr Mihlali Xhotyeni after he has given him a brand new Laptop and the Certificate of Recognition for his record breaking triumph on 4 x 100M Relay



The 18 year old from here at Mthatha, Mr Mihlali Xhotyeni has put KSD and the country on the map after an outstanding triumph on 4x100M Relay, breaking a record of 38.61, writing his name with 38.51 record in the World Athletic U20 held in Nairobi, Kenya on August 2021. The young student from Mthatha High School was honoured at Mayfair Hotel by KSD Municipality in the presence of his mother, Ms Nelisa Xhotyeni, representatives from O.R. Tambo DM, representatives from DSRAC, and representatives from Link Pharmacy and other community members of KSD. He was pampered with gifts by all the mentioned institutions.

The young man said that this victory is just the beginning of the good things to come and further thanked KSD, O.R. Tambo District Municipality, DSRAC and Link Pharmacy for honouring him with this event. On the other hand, KSD Executive Mayor said he is proud of Mhlali and further urged him to show a good character at all times, as the whole camera is on him.

The Executive Mayor further urged the sport fraternity to integrate its efforts and revive sportsmanship among the young people as it is the only way for these young people to make a living and stay clear from drug abuse. 'SITHI NTINGA NTAKANDINI UNGANQANDWA NAZINKWENKWEZI!!!!'



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