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## Water and Sanitation Forum members discuss water issues

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Members of the Mtubatuba Water and Sanitation Forum, together with officials from the Department of Water and Sanitation in KwaZulu-Natal (DWS KZN), convened a meeting to address water and sanitation issues affecting the community of Mtubatuba North of KwaZulu-Natal, on 02 October 2018.

The Mtubatuba Forum was established to address water and sanitation issues affecting communities, enhance service delivery and provide a platform to share education and awareness campaigns in the sector.

The Secretary of the Mtubatuba water and sanitation Forum, Ms Zandile Mthethwa, indicated that the forum came at the right time as it will assist to improve water service delivery in various wards within Mtubatuba.

"We aim to assist communities in terms of reporting water and sanitation challenges and ensure that issues pertaining to service delivery, particularly those experienced in the sector are dealt with effectively," said Bheki Ngubo, a DWS official attending the meeting.

Some of the issues discussed included, the recognition of the forum by other relevant structures within Mtubatuba; strengthening of the relationship between the forum and ward councilors and participation from the local municipality in order to ensure water issues are attended to.

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