

MEDIA ADVISORY

DWS MEDIA TOUR TO GAMKA DAM IN BEAUFORT WEST

02 September 2019

The Department of Water and Sanitation (DWS) in Western Cape will have a media tour to Gamka Dam in the Beaufort West Local Municipality on Thursday, 05 September 2019.

The media tour is aimed at showcasing water situation of the Central Karoo in particular the Beaufort West town, as a result a devastating drought that hit Western Cape in 2015.

While good rains have fallen in some parts of the province, Gouritz River catchment remains a concern.

Members of the media are invited to cover the tour as follows:

Date : 05 September 2019

Venue : Gamka Dam (Beaufort West)

Time : 11h00

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