



# **MEDIA ADVISORY**

## DWS to hold a media briefing on progress made on Emfuleni Water Project

11 October 2020

The Department of Water and Sanitation's (DWS) Acting Director-General, Mr Trevor Balzer, will on Monday, 12<sup>th</sup> of October 2020, address the media on progress made at the Sedibeng Regional Sewer Scheme intervention project to deal with the protracted challenges posed by spillages of raw sewage into the Vaal River and within the community.

The briefing will also focus on plans to expedite the intervention work to ease pollution and enable the advancement of the Sedibeng Region's social and economic growth and development.

Preceding the briefing, Mr Balzer and team will engage relevant stakeholders with a view to strengthen the inclusive and coherent programme of the Department to see its intervention work through to its successful conclusion.

#### Members of the media are invited as follows:

Part one (stakeholder engagement)

Date: Monday, 12 October 2020

Venue: 27 Frikkie Meyer Boulevard, Vanderbijlpark

Time : 10:00 - 13:00

### Part two

Date: Monday, 12 October 2020

Venue: 27 Frikkie Meyer Boulevard, Vanderbijlpark

Time : 13:30

For RSVP, please contact Mr Hosia Sithole on 082 723 2442 or SitholeH2dws.gov.za or Mr Khulekani Ngcobo on 082 723 6030/ Ngcobok@dws.gov.za

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