



## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

### **Minister Mchunu and Lebalelo Water User Association to launch project aimed at improving water provision in Sekhukhune District, Polokwane, and Mogalakwena Local Municipalities**

24 October 2022

Minister Senzo Mchunu together with the Lebalelo Water User Association CEO Bertus Bierman will launch a multi-billion Rand Olifants Management Model (OMM) which is aimed at enhancing the delivery of water provision in the Sekhukhune District, Polokwane and Mogalakwena Local Municipalities in Limpopo.

The Olifants Management Model Programme is a collaboration between Commercial Water Users, represented by the Lebalelo Water User Association and Government.

The programme aims to achieve synergy between the public and private sector and in doing so, improve socio-economic growth through the cost-effective provision of potable for domestic use, and bulk raw water for economic activities including mining and related activities which will be through infrastructure to defined areas in the Limpopo Province.

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

##### **Venue one: Sod-Turning at Steelpoort**

**Date** : Thursday, 27 October 2022  
**Venue** : Spitskop Pump Station  
**Time** : 09:00- 10:00

##### **Venue two: Community Engagement**

**Date** : Thursday, 27 October 2022  
**Venue** : Ga-Malekana Tribal Authority, Limpopo  
**Time** : 10:00- 13:00

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