



MEDIA ADVISORY

Deputy Minister Seitholo to assess the state of water pollution in Limpopo

18 June 2025

The Deputy Minister of Water and Sanitation, Sello Seitholo, will be in Limpopo this coming weekend, 20-23 June 2025, on an oversight visit to assess the contamination of watercourses and progress of water supply intervention projects in the Waterberg and Mopani District Municipalities.

The visit forms part of the ministry's commitment to address water pollution and efforts to address water supply challenges in the country. In Waterberg District Municipality, Deputy Minister Seitholo will conduct inspections of several projects in Mogalakwena Local Municipality including problematic waste treatment plants as well as some households affected by malfunctioning sewer systems. In Mopani District Municipality, the Deputy Minister will look into sand water extraction projects around Greater Giyani Local Municipality.

The inspections will be conducted alongside meetings with both local and district municipalities, Lepelle Northern Water as the provincial water board and implementing agent to some of the projects, and other role players in the water and sanitation sector - this as the ministry tries to find solutions to some of the longstanding issues around service delivery.

Members of the media are invited to attend and cover as follows:

Date : Friday, 20 June 2025.

Venue : Dooringdraai Dam, Mogalakwena

Time : 09h30

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Date : Saturday, 21 June 2025

Venue : Sekhiming, Greater Giyani

Time : 09h50

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