



Team CoGHSTA attending the Strategic Planning Session.

COGHSTA MANAGEMENT STRATEGIZE TO TAKE THE DEPARTMENT TO THE NEXT LEVEL.



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Dr Modjadji Malahlela.**

Management of the Department of Co-operative Governance, Human Settlements and Traditional Affairs (CoGHSTA) attended a Strategic Planning Session from the 17th-19th of September 2024 at Zebula Golf Estate and Spa outside Bela Bela. The three-day session was aimed at according to officials of the Department an opportunity to develop the Departmental Strategic Plan 2025- 2030 and the Annual Performance Plan (APP) 2025/2026. The session was also attended by Members of Organized Labour (Nehawu and PSA) in the Department and representatives from other sector Departments. Speaking during the Session, The MEC for CoGHSTA, Mr Basikopo Makamu said: "The discussions we are having during this session are not just theoretical exercises. They are crucial steps in shaping the future of our Department. The decisions we make here will impact million lives across Limpopo. Therefore, it is imperative that we approach this task with a sense of responsibility, urgency and vision". The

MEC concluded by encouraging the officials in committing to building a Department that is capable, modern, and ethical. "We need to work towards building a Department that delivers on its promises, listens to its people and remains accountable at all times. I have no doubt that with the collective wisdom and dedication in this room, we can chart a course towards a brighter future for all". The meeting wrapped up with presentations from the two Labour Unions NEHAWU and PSA as well as from the National School of Government whose presentation was about the Ethics in the Public Service. Closing the Session Head of Department Dr. Modjadji Malahlela thanked all officials for participating in the session but also urged them to commit themselves to the service delivery mandate of the Department. She also emphasised that focus should be on the three priorities of the 7th administration which are inclusive growth and job creation, reducing poverty and high cost of living and building ethical and capable state.