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MEC Makamu focuses on Bulk Water and Sewage Projects Completion in the Province.

The MEC for the Limpopo Department of Co-operative Governance, Human Settlements and Traditional Affairs (CoGHSTA), Mr. Basikopo Makamu has this week prioritised the oversight of bulk water and sewage projects in the Province.

MEC Makamu conducted oversight visits to engineering projects in Section F, Greater Giyani and Masakaneng, Elias Motsoaledi Local Municipalities consecutively to address challenges of Water and Sanitation in communities.

In 2021, the Department appointed a Service Provider to conduct Geotechnical Investigation, Design and Install Engineering Services (Water and Sewer Reticulation, Grading of Roads, Fire Hydrants and provision of House Connections) in Section F, Greater Giyani Municipality. The project has created job opportunities to 21 residents and will benefit 365 households upon completion.

During his visit to Elias Motsoaledi Local Municipality yesterday (19 February 2025), it was reported that the 899 identified sites in Masakaneng Township are all serviced with water and sewage pipelines with only prepaid water meters awaiting to be installed.

The Projects in Masakaneng afforded 102 community members employment opportunities and MEC Makamu has expressed his excitement on the immense progress of the project.

“The positive progress of this project is a clear indication of the commitment and interest both the District and Local municipalities have in providing quality services to the people,” said Makamu on the projects in Masakaneng.

As MEC Makamu continues to conduct oversight visits to projects he encourages collaboration among service providers, local councillors and other stakeholders. “Working together is essential for the benefit of the communities we serve,” said the Makamu.

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