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COGHSTA MEC Mr. Basikopo Makamu to Visit Storm Disaster Areas

Lepelle Nkumpi Municipality, Limpopo — The MEC for Co-operative Governance, Human Settlements and Traditional Affairs (COGHSTA), Hon. Basikopo Makamu, will conduct an on-site visit to assess the impact of the recent severe weather on communities in the Lepelle Nkumpi Municipality.

Date of Visit: October 29, 2024

Briefing Session: 10:00 AM

Site Visit: 11:30 AM

Location: Lepelle Nkumpi Municipality

MEC Makamu will be joined by PMT members, MMCs, and management from both Lepelle Nkumpi Local Municipality and Capricorn District Municipality, along with ward councillors.

Affected Villages Include:

- Mashite (Ward 25)
- Nkotokwane
- Lehlokwaneng
- Tswaing
- Lesetsi

Context:

The recent storms have inflicted significant damage, with over 200 homes impacted and numerous electrical poles and cables downed. The purpose of the visit is to:

- Assess the extent of damage to infrastructure and homes
- Engage directly with affected communities
- Identify immediate support needs

For Inquiries:

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We look forward to your participation in this crucial assessment and response to support our communities in need.

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