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MEC MAKAMU VISITS FAMILY OF FLOOD VICTIM

Ga-Matlala: MEC of Cooperative Governance, Human Settlements and Traditional Affairs, Mr Basikopo Makamu has scheduled a visit to the family of a flood victim at Ga-Rapitsi village, Polokwane local municipality, who drowned while attempting to cross a flooded river.

The arrangements are as follows:

Friday, 29 January 2021

14:00

Ga-Rapitsi, Polokwane Local Municipality

The Executive Mayors of Capricorn District Municipality and Polokwane Local Municipality Cllrs. John Mpe and Thembi Nkadimeng respectively, will accompany MEC Makamu during the visit.

“The provincial government extends heartfelt condolence to the family, relatives and friends. I urge people to exercise caution when they cross rivers or streams where water is above knee-level.”

To date MEC Makamu has been to the areas hit hard by Tropical Cyclone Eloise in the Vhembe district. In due course, he will visit Mopani and Capricorn districts, which also experienced flooding which caused extensive damage to homes and infrastructure.

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