

Tshikonelo Village Erupts in Celebration as Thovhele Mphaphuli Receives Official Recognition.

Songs, dance, and jubilation filled Tshikonelo Village as Limpopo CoGHSTA MEC Mr. Basikopo Makamu joined Premier Dr. Phophi Ramathuba to officially hand over a Certificate of Recognition to Thovhele Tshimangadzo Nelton Mphaphuli as Senior Traditional Leader. In an inspiring address, Thovhele Mphaphuli pledged to serve his people with unwavering dedication, placing community development at the heart of his leadership. He expressed a strong commitment to driving progress and tackling the social ills affecting the community, while working towards a brighter and more prosperous future for all. The occasion marked not only a celebration of tradition and leadership, but also the beginning of a renewed vision for unity, development, and transformation under the leadership of the newly recognized Senior Traditional Leader.



Thovhele Tshimangadzo Nelton Mphaphuli received his certificate of recognition as Tshikonelo Senior Traditional Leader by Limpopo Premier, Dr. Phophi Ramathuba on 18 July 2026.



MEC Basikopo Makamu during the inauguration of Thovhele Tshimangadzo Nelton Mphaphuli of Tshikonelo Traditional Community.



Thovhele Tshimangadzo Nelton Mphaphuli showing his certificate of recognition as Tshikonelo Village's Senior Traditional Leader.



As part of the celebrations, Thovhele Tshimangadzo Nelton Mphaphuli joined the local Tshikona group as they danced during his inauguration as Tshikonelo Traditional Community's Senior Traditional Leader.