

## **MEDIA INVITE**

TO : ALL MEDIA

DATE : 07 November 2012

ATTENTION : NEWS EDITORS/REPORTERS AND PR WIRE

## MEC MCHUNU TO HOLD COMMUNITY MEETING TO DISCUSS DEVELOPMENTS AND ISSUES RELATING TO THE CONSTRUCTION OF ROAD P127

The MEC for Transport, Community Safety and Liaison, Mr. Willies Mchunu will tomorrow (08 November 2012) convene a community meeting in Impendle to discuss developments and issues relating to the construction of road P127.

In July 2012 a meeting was convened with the Traditional Council Leadership, Chairperson Rural Road Transport Committe (RRTF).

Vulindlela, Mayor S. Ndlela (Impendle Municipality), Provincial Legislature Committee (PLC) members and Department of Transport officials. The purpose of the meeting was to create a platform of concerns to be raised regarding the scope of work undertook by the Department particularly from the first to the second proposal

The outcome of the meeting gave clarification to members as to how the upgrade was prioritised. An agreement was thus reached between the Department and the community for an upgrade to be conducted on two roads instead of one. To this effect the Mchunu will therefore head to Impendle to give more clarity to the community and its leadership about the upgrade.

The main Road P127 is located from Impendle to Himeville, falling under the Impendle Local Municipality. The construction of this road is expected to create jobs for the community of Impendle and surrounding areas.

MEC is expected to be accompanied by the local mayor, members of the KZN legislature, local leadership, CRSC, RRTF and the community of Impendle.

## **DETAILS OF THE EVENT**

**DATE:** : 08 November 2012

**VENUE**: Selfontein Sport Grounds (Near Selfontein Primary)

TIME : 09HOO

Media is invited to attend

Ends

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