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## COMMUNICATIONS

### MEDIA ADVISORY

TO: ALL MEDIA  
DATE: THURSDAY, 1 OCTOBER 2015  
ATTENTION: NEWS EDITORS, REPORTERS AND PR WIRES

### **MEC MCHUNU TO LAUNCH ANNUAL OCTOBER TRANSPORT MONTH IN UMBUMBULU**

THE KWAZULU-NATAL MEC for Transport, Community Safety and Liaison, Mr. Willies Mchunu, will officially launch the provincial October Transport Month programme in Umbumbulu, south of Durban tomorrow, Friday, the 2<sup>nd</sup> of October 2015.

The launch will take the shape of a prayer for road safety; peace and stability in the taxi industry as well as mark the beginning of a multi-million Rand construction of main road P740 in Umbumbulu.

Various stakeholder groups, including taxi council SANTACO, bus operator council, KWANABUCO, Freight association, bikers, the Interfaith from different denominations, Amakhosi, councillors as well as members of parliament will be part of the launch.

MEC Mchunu believes that having put much needed efforts to contain the taxi conflicts, prevent and reduce road accidents; it was critical that all stakeholders played their respective roles.

Mchunu will also outline programmes for the rest of the month, focusing on service delivery across roads, transportation, traffic management as well as road safety.

#### **Details of the launch:**

**Date: Friday, 2 October 2015**

**Time: 09h00**

**Venue: Umbumbulu Sports Complex, near Tobi Primary School**

**Members of the media are invited to cover the launch.**

Ends.

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