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## **Media Advisory**

## 23 October 2023

## MEC SIPHO HLOMUKA TO ISSUE MORE THAN 440 APPOINTMENT LETTERS TO NEWLY RECRUITED EMPLOYEES AS PART OF S'THESHA WAYA WAYA

As part of S'thesha Waya Waya campaign, the KwaZulu-Natal MEC for Transport, Community Safety and Liaison, Sipho Hlomuka, will tomorrow (Tuesday, 24 October 2023) issue appointment letters to more than 440 new employees of the Department.

The majority of these new employees are Road Worker Aids who have been employed in various districts to assist with road maintenance.

Essentially, the cohort of new employees will assist the Department to build internal capacity to respond to damages in infrastructure caused by the changes in weather patterns.

Of these new recruits 241 are from the infrastructure unit, 54 forms part of the administration support and 146 forms part of the enforcement fraternity, which is much needed for the October Transport Month and in preparation for the Festive Season Safety Plan.

S'thesha Waya Waya is a provincial government job creation campaign.

Since it was launched in June 2023, government has showcased a number of interventions aimed at fighting unemployment.

Recently, government issued out more than 200 new recruits who have been employed as Road Traffic Inspectorate Trainees.

They have since started training on the 1st October 2023.

Details for the issuing of appointment letters:

DATE: 24 OCTOBER 2023

VENUE : PIETERMARITZBURG CITY HALL

TIME : 11h30

Ends.