Duma to meet with traditional leaders in eThekwini to discuss relocation of victims of floods to the land under Amakhosi

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Inkosi Mhlabunzima Maphumulo House: In our historic meetings with His Majesty MisuZulu kaZwelithini last year and in Isandlwana recently, he provided valuable guidance on matters that relates to the use of land under Ingonyama Trust.

In particular, the King emphasized the importance of working with the Zulu Royal Family and the institution of traditional leadership to build decent houses and construct road networks for the people of KwaZulu-Natal.

It is for these reasons we have planned a meeting with Amakhosi aseNdlunkulu under eThekwini Municipality.

The meeting will take place at Archie Gumede Conference Centre, Public Works in Mayville between 14h00 and 17h00.

The meeting will focus on the following:-

- 1. Request and identification of land under Amakhosi to build decent houses for the victims of floods;
- 2. Discussion on relocation of communities living on riverbanks and waterlogged areas to decent land under Amakhosi;
- 3. Formulation of community based plans with the guidance of Amakhosi to mitigate the negative impact of Climate Change;
- 4. Reflection on the construction of roads, bridges and repair of roads and bridges destroyed by recent floods.
- 5. Strengthening of the relationship between both Departments and Amakhosi in eThekwini.

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