



Media Advisory

To all media

05 August 2019

Deputy Minister Hlongwa to celebrate women's month

The Deputy Minister of Mineral Resources and Energy (DMRE), Ms Bavelile Hlongwa (MP) will host Women's Month Community Outreach Engagements in support of the National Women's Month from 6-10 August 2019 in the North-West Province. The engagements are aimed at promoting career and economic opportunities within the minerals and energy sector. The engagements will further promote the health and safety of women in mines as well as their meaningful participation in the sector. The Deputy Minister will also conduct a symbolic electrification switch on programme in the Bojanala District Municipality.

Members of the media are invited to join the Deputy Minister at the following scheduled activities:

1. Outreach programme on careers and economic opportunities in the mining and energy sector

Date: Tuesday, 6 August 2019

Venue: University of North West, Potchefstroom Campus

Time: 15:00

2. Round Table discussion with Women in the Mining Sector

Date: Tuesday, 7 August 2019

Time: 13:00

Venue: Royal Bafokeng Stadium

3. Outreach Programme on economic opportunities in the mining and energy sector; health and safety in the mining sector

Date: Thursday, 8 August 2019

Venue: ATKV Buffelspoort Conference Centre

Time: 13:00

4. Electrification switch-on

Date: Thursday, 8 August 2019

Venue: Buffelsfontein, Madibeng local Municipality

Time: 16:00

5. Electrification switch-on

Date: Saturday, 10 August 2019

Venue: Ikemeleng phase 1 & 2, Rustenburg Local Municipality

Time: 09:00

6. Mine Health and Safety Workshop

Date: Saturday, 10 August 2019

Venue: Rustenburg Civic Centre

Time: 10:00

To RSVP for the aforesaid engagements, please contact the following persons:

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