

MEDIA INVITE

Attention: Eastern Cape Media Houses

08 AUGUST 2019

FINDING COMMON GROUND WITH COMMUNITIES ON DEMARCATION RELATED MATTERS

The MDB delegation will engage the community of Ntabankulu (Alfred Nzo District Municipality, Eastern Cape), with the aim to resolve current challenges experienced by the community members relating to demarcated municipalities.

This follows the demands made by community members of Ward 17 (Ntabankulu) to be moved from Ntabankulu Local Municipality to Umzimvubu Local Municipality. The community members have since staged violent protests to voice their grievances.

One of the Board Members, Ms Namso Baliso and MDB officials accompanied by provincial and local leadership will be visiting the area to engage with the community and share information on demarcation related processes towards finding common ground on resolving the impasse.

Members of the media are invited to the engagement session which will be held on:

Date : Monday, 12 August 2019

Venue: Ntshentshe SPS (Ward 17)

Time : 12:30

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ENQUIRIES

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