



SEDIBENG DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY

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Sedibeng presents State of the District & Honours its residents through Mayoral Awards

The Sedibeng District Municipality will once again take its residents in confidence on state of its affairs through the State of the District Address to be presented by the Executive Mayor of the Sedibeng District Municipality, Councillor Mahole Simon Mofokeng.

The presentation of the Sedibeng State of the District Address will be followed by the Mayoral Awards Ceremony to confer awards to persons and/or Institutions that have contributed to the District's growth and development or who have rendered meritorious services involving a high degree of dedication and sacrifices which are of lasting benefit to the residents of Sedibeng in various many ways.

During this year's State of the District Address, the Executive Mayor will discuss progress made on service delivery commitments and future plans within the District in the previous financial year, Growth and Development Strategy (GDS), Integrated Development Plan (IDP) & the Budget for 2013/2014 Financial Year.

He will further expand on issues such as job creation, water & related matters, the significant improvement in public lighting with energy efficient lighting, road constructions, housing, infrastructure developments, a variety of electricity, sewer and water upgrade projects which are also to be undertaken in the 2013/2014 Financial Year and many other new developments which are in the pipeline.

The details are as follows:

Date : Wednesday, 29th May 2013
Time : 15:00 to 17:00 (for the State of the District Address & **18:00 for the Mayoral Awards**)
Venue : Vereeniging Civic Theatre

The State of the District Address - 2013 will be viewed by the people of Sedibeng through satellite broadcast venues to be set throughout the District. All interested members of the public and their Organizations are advised to be part of this important process by viewing the State of the District Address through satellite broadcast at venues which are as follows:

- **Saul Tsoetsi Sports Complex in Sebokeng, in Emfuleni;**
- **Sharpeville Community Hall in Emfuleni,**
- **Salvation Church in Midvaal, and**
- **Heidelberg Town Hall in Lesedi.**

In addition, the State of the District Address can be watched live from home on your DStv Decoder for FREE. In order for your decoder to receive the live broadcast of this event simply call us during office hours or *SMS the following information:

1. Account holders name
2. Contact number
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6. Telephone: 016 450 3009
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