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Highlights

Themba lethu Development, Department of Co-Operative Governance and Traditional Affairs (CoGTA) -Eastern Cape, Department of Public Works and the National Economic Development Labour Council (NEDLAC) visited the Community Work Programme (CWP) exit strategy Poultry project in Amahlathi CWP site. The purpose of the visit was to showcase brilliant work done by CWP and further lobby NEDLAC to support interventions needed in CWP.

The delegation also visited sites of useful work activities at a school.



AM AHLATHI CWP SITE VISIT



The delegation that conducted the CWP Amahlathi Poultry project in the Eastern Cape on the 14th of February 2019. Delegation also visited a school in Amahlathi to witness the useful work activities done by CWP

SMALL ENTERPRISE DEVELOPMENT AGENCY TRAINING



On the 19th to the 21st of February, the partnership of Themba lethu Development, CoGTA Eastern Cape and Small Enterprise Development Agency (SEDA) conducted a Train-the-Trainer skills development course.

This course targeted CWP participants and ordinary members of the community in Amathole District Municipality and Buffalo City Metropolitan.



AGRARIAN REVOLUTION PROGRAMME IN THE EASTERN CAPE



Engagements with Traditional Leaders of Mount Ayliff on the implementation of the Agrarian Revolution project in Umzimvubu Local Municipality on the 8th of February 2019. This project is funded by the Department of Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs (CoGTA).



THUMA MINA GOOD GREEN DEEDS PROGRAMME LAUNCH IN THE EASTERN CAPE



On the 8th of March, Themba lethu Development, National CoGTA, Eastern Cape CoGTA, Presidency, Department of Public Works, Department of Environmental Affairs, Buffalo City Metro and other partners in Community Development launched the "THUMA MINA GOOD GREEN DEEDS" Programme. This is a programme aimed at mobilizing communities to participate in environmental management and conservation. The programme is also designed to create thousands of environmental jobs for the youths around the country.

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LIMPOPO

COMMUNITY WORK PROGRAMME – MAMPURU B SUGAR BEANS FARMING PROJECT



PROFITABLE BOER GOAT FARMING

Through funding from Ditholwana Tsa Rena, Thembaletu Development is implementing a project to support 5 co-operatives in Mogalakwena Local Municipality of Limpopo to transform from subsistence indigenous goat farming to profitable Boer goat farming. Each of the 5 co-operatives is supported with a starter pack that comprises of 20 female and 1 male Boer goats, goat pen infrastructure, feeding equipment, stock feed, medicine, training and technical support.

To date, three co-operatives that have completed the construction of pens and are complying to all requirements, have received their Boer goat stock which is already in the first breeding cycle.



LIMPOPO

THUMA MINA GOOD GREEN DEEDS PROGRAMME LAUNCH



On the 29th of March, Thembaletu Development, National CoGTA, Limpopo CoGHSTA, Department of Environmental Affairs, Capricorn District Municipality, Polokwane Local Municipality and other partners in Community Development launched the “THUMA MINA GOOD GREEN DEEDS” Programme. This is a programme aimed at mobilizing communities tom participate in environmental management and conservation. The programme is also designed to create thousands of environmental jobs for the youths around the country.



NORTH WEST PROVINCE

PHASE 2 PROFITABLE BOER GOAT FARMING



On the 7th of March 2019, over 100 farmers from all the 106 villages of Taung converged at the Community Hall for the project advocacy workshop.

It is on this day that the initial stages of screening prospective project beneficiaries started. The project beneficiaries are mainly females and youth.



Zenzele Itereleng NPC granted additional funding for Thembaletu Development to implement phase 2 of the Profitable Boer goat farming in Greater Taung Local Municipality under Dr Ruth Mompoti District Municipality in the North West province. Phase 2 of the project came after the successful implementation of phase 1. During phase 1 of the project, 5 co-operatives were each supported with 20 female Boer goats and 1 male goat. Phase 2 sees the additional 5 mainly women owned co-operatives receiving similar support and with all the 10 co-operatives earmarked for commercialization.

The project commenced with the stakeholder engagement workshop that was held on the 6th of March in Taung. Stakeholders comprised of ward councilors, Municipal officials and officials from the Department of Agriculture.

GAUTENG PROVINCE

Environmental Management and Conservation in Sedibeng District Municipality



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT SERVICE

Thembaletu Development is implementing Johannesburg Water funded project on Community Engagement and Social Development. Progress has moved to informal settlements such as Zamimpilo, Cathrada and Holomisa where focus is on educating communities on hygiene, sanitation and proper disposal of grey water.



MOZAMBIQUE

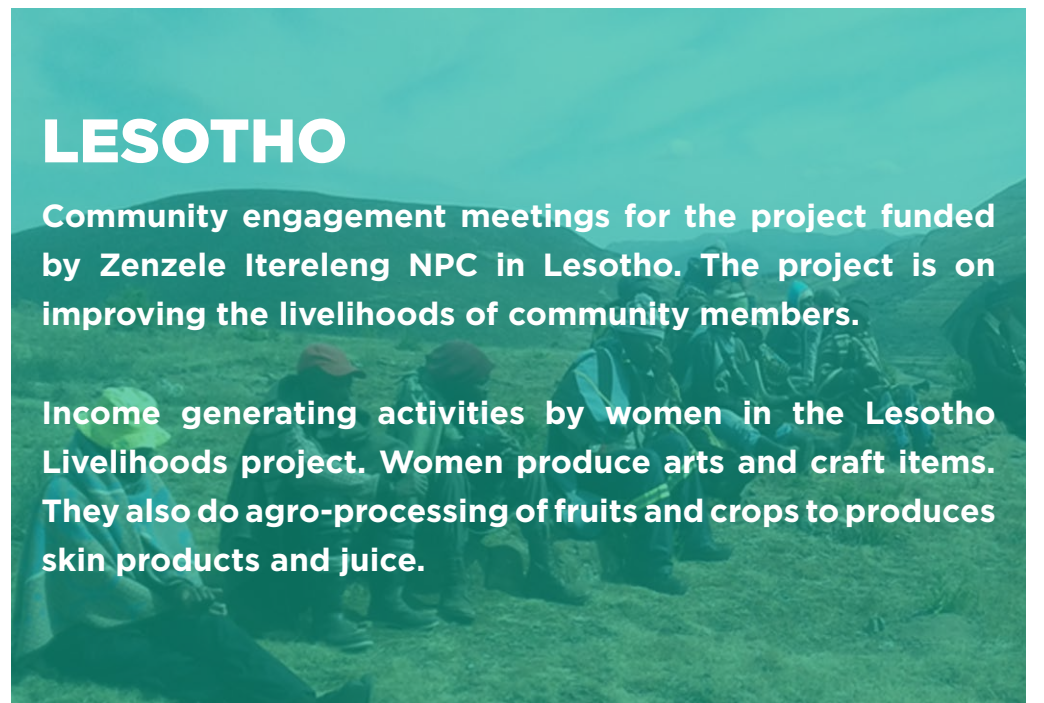
AngloGold Ashanti funded a project in Mozambique, implemented by Thembaletu Development. The project is designed to improve health services in both areas of Nhancutse and Chicumbane in Mozambique with aim to bring intervention reduces the rate of new infections of TB and HIV. The programme targeted Mine Workers; Ex -Mine Workers; their families and communities they come from.



LESOTHO

Community engagement meetings for the project funded by Zenzele Itereleng NPC in Lesotho. The project is on improving the livelihoods of community members.

Income generating activities by women in the Lesotho Livelihoods project. Women produce arts and craft items. They also do agro-processing of fruits and crops to produce skin products and juice.



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