

# EXECUTIVE MAYOR PLEASED AS PEOPLE OF THAKGALANE RECEIVE CONSISTENT WATER SUPPLY

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As pronounced during his State of the District Address, Executive Mayor Cllr. Pule Shayi visited Thakgalane village on Friday to monitor Phase 2c of Sekgosese Regional Groundwater Scheme Project

The project has delivered has delivered water direct to 2658 households, creating 36 temporary work opportunities. Nine small businesses also benefitted as subcontractors.



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The Executive Mayor, who was received by the Greater Letaba Municipality Mayor Cllr. Dagma Mamanyoha was satisfied with the progress made. “We are pleased that our people here in Thakgalane will have consistent water supply. We are continuing with our elimination process – **#onecommunityatatime.**”



He applauded the support from the community in the implementation of the project after a representative from the traditional council, Patrick Lebepe told him there were no stoppages during the project implementation. “We are happy with how our people as led by our traditional leaders, the ward councillor supported the project. The community is happy. Labourers were paid on time, and there is no money owed to SMMEs. This is what we want to see in all our projects,” the Executive Mayor said.



Angie Molewa, a resident of Thakgalane 2 hailed the project saying, “We now have water in our homes. I can even install showers when the day I get money. This has been a model project, and I hope all communities can have similar projects.”



With a capital budget of over R500 million, the Municipality will continue to implement water infrastructure projects across the district, including three major projects in the Greater Letaba Municipality. “We have also budgeted R147 million towards Sekgosese Water Scheme project in the 2024/25 financial year. We also have R32 million for Sekgopo Water Reticulation Project, and R15 million is set aside for Rotterdam Manyunyu Project,” the Executive Mayor said during SODA.