

NW TO BUILD ITS OWN TRAFFIC COLLEGE

Scores of potential traffic officers are in Mpumalanga training as traffic officers. But this will come to an end very soon as the North West Provincial Government plans to have a college of its own.

The Executive Council approved a proposal for the establishment of a traffic training college in the province. Speaking after the Exco meeting, MEC Sello Lehari said the provincial department of

Community Safety and Transport Management is entrusted with the responsibility to ensure that it deals with all administrative requirements that will pave the way for the introduction of the college. "The details thereof will be communicated to the public once due processes would have been followed and finalised by the responsible department," said Lehari.

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New vehicles for safety

NORTH West MEC for Community Safety and Transport Mokgantsang Motlhabane yesterday handed over new vehicles to traffic officials as part of the launch of February Safety Month. The department handed over 20 new vehicles, which will be used to cover rough terrain.

"All districts received five vehicles and LVDs come in handy for stations servicing villages, townships and small dorpies. These vehicles are to be used to increase traffic officers' visibility, ascertain free flow of traffic and ensure safety in urban and rural areas of Bokone Bophirima," said Motlhabane. - African News Agency (ANA)

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