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### MEC YAWA TARGETS LEARNERS FOR CONSTRUCTION AWARENESS CAMPAIGN

North West MEC for Public Works, Honourable Howard Yawa embarks on a week long awareness campaign that commences on Thursday 27 July 2006 to promote the profile and image of the construction sector in an effort to attract new entrants in varying disciplines of the build and construction sectors.

The Campaign in support of the National Construction Week 27 July-3 August 2006 is to be launched formally at the Handover of Father Smangaliso Comprehensive High School on Thursday 27 July 2006 in Winterveldt.

On Friday 28 July, MEC Yawa accompanied by Engineers and Architects from private sector will address Grade 10 learners at Seleje Secondary School in Madibe Makgabana Village outside Mafikeng.

The programme for the week includes a meeting with Engineers, Architects, Quantity Surveyors and Contractors on Monday 31 July 2006, Handover of Reabetswe High School on Tuesday 1 August at Ipelegeng Township near Schweitzer -Reneke and Project Site visits by Grade 10 learners to Matlosana Secure Centre and the Vryburg Hospital on 2 August and 3 August respectively.

The campaign is aimed at giving young learners the opportunity to experience a wide range of exciting opportunities available in today's built environment and construction sector and attract them to the exciting and vibrant construction industry as a promising career destination of choice.

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