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### NORTH WEST TO HOST EPWP OVERSIGHT VISIT

The North West Department of Public Works is hosting a Provincial Oversight Visit by the Portfolio Committee on Public Works as from 8- 9 June 2005.

The objective of the two- day oversight visit by the Multiparty Parliamentary delegation of the National Assembly is for the committee to be briefed on:

- Monitoring, co-ordination and implementation of the Expanded Public Works Programme(EPWP) across provincial departments, local and district municipalities
- The Process of translating the Community Based Public Works Programme(CBPWP) to EPWP
- The financial allocations of the EPWP and financial aspects of the projects to be awarded to emerging contractors
- Community development Workers
- Municipal infrastructure grants
- Provincial Asset register and the disposal of unutilized properties

On Thursday morning the committee visits Project sites and hosts an EPWP Imbizo for contractors, ward councillors, municipalities and beneficiaries of the EPWP in the Central region as from 14H00-16H30 at the Embassy Hall(Next to the International School of Southern Africa), William Dick Street, Mafikeng.

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