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# Provincial Summit on Expanded Public Works Programme (EPWP)

**MAHIKENG MAIL-MAHIKENG:** The North West Department of Public Works and Roads will host the Provincial Expanded Public Works Programme (EPWP) Summit from Thursday to Friday for the EPWP Awards Ceremony and EPWP Summit official programme at The Pearl, Klerksdorp.

The two-day summit will convene under the theme 'Fostering collaborations and partnerships for successful implementation of the Expanded Public Works Programme

(EPWP)'. Best performing institutions will receive awards for the implementation of the Programme, and EPWP participants will be given an opportunity to give testimonies on

the impact of the programme in their lives.

National and Provincial Government structures, including District and Local Municipalities; and various stakeholders that implement EPWP will share their experiences, ideas, challenges and successes in the implementation of the programme.

The objectives of the summit include;

to Provide feedback on the consultations, planning and finalisation of the EPWP Phase 4; to report progress and best practices on the implementation of phase targets and to further educate public bodies about the EPWP recruitment guidelines.

The summit convenes a few months before the start of Phase 5 of the Programme.

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