

PICTORIAL REPORT
MPUMALANGA STATE OF THE PROVINCE ADDRESS

Mpumalanga provincial office of GCIS supported Mpumalanga Legislature during the State of the Province Address (SOPA) which was held on 23 February 2018 in Mbombela, delivered by Premier David Mabuza. The main event was held at Government Complex and was attended by dignitaries from all over the country, political parties, media houses, government officials and members of the public. Three satellite venues were also organized for big screen live viewing for three district municipalities; for Ehlanzeni the live viewing was held at Thaba Chweu, for Gert Sibande it was at Msukaligwa and at Emalahleni for Nkangala District.




Communities of Emalahleni afforded the opportunity to watch SoPA and MMC of Finance Cllr Maseko unpacking some major SOPA service delivery, at Nkangala District Satellite Venue.



Communities of KwaZanele afforded the opportunity to watch SoPA at Gert Sibande District Satelite venue and Cllr Lunga Ndebele gave summary of the State of The Province Address in vernacular languages for proper comprehension by older people.

VOX POPS

<p>Respondent: Sihle Mkhwanazi (Lyneville)</p> <p>“In Emalahleni we have many mines and the biggest electricity power station but most of the youth around Emalahleni are not working because of corruption within mines. We always experience electricity power cut without being provided valid reason”</p>	
<p>Respondent: Eunice Mthimunye (Hlalanikahle location)</p> <p>“Am happy that the Premier mentioned that he will fix sewer system around town and our township. Our town is too dirty and sewerage spill everywhere and the municipality is not doing anything about it”</p>	