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## Media release

### STLM Clean Wetlands Day

In a continued effort to raise awareness and encourage environmental sustainability, the Environmental and Solid Waste Management Department will be visiting schools to teach learners and the community about cleaning of wetlands in encouraging the community to contribute to environmental sustainability.

Steve Tshwete prides itself as the greenest Municipality in Mpumalanga. Recent awards that recognize greening initiatives by the municipality includes the Arbour City Awards, the Mail and Guardian's Editor's Choice Award, Greening the Future Awards 2016 and the 2016 first runner-up for the greenest local municipality in South Africa. Steve Tshwete emerged as the first runner-up for the Arbour City Awards in 2016.

The municipality invites the community to join in cleaning and learning about wetlands in the following areas.

**Venue: Ever Primary School**

**Date: 01 February 2017**

**Time: 09:00**

**Venue: Elusindisweni Primary School, Mhluzi**

**Date: 02 February 2017**

**Time: 09:00**

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Yours sincerely

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