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Mayor to lead the 67 minutes programme on Mandela Day

On 18 July 2018, South Africans will be taking time off their busy schedules to commemorate the life of the late and former President Rolihlahla Nelson Mandela by spending 67 minutes to help the people in need. Nelson Mandela once said "We must use the time wisely and forever realise that the time is always ripe to do right."

This year, the Executive Mayor, Bagudi Tolo accompanied by Members of the Mayoral Committee, Councillors, CDWs, Acting Municipal Manager, Mr Bheki Khenisa, senior management and community stakeholders will reach out to the community and execute the following programme, in honor of Madiba.

- ✓ Handover of an RDP house which was demolished and reconstructed by #We Care Foundation to a granny who resides with 18 family members. The Foundation will also donate furniture and groceries to the Myeni family.
- ✓ Handover of a replaced asbestos roof with an IBR steel roof to the Bhuda family, stand no. 1593 Ext 5.
- ✓ Grass cutting and trimming of trees at Middelburg District Hospital.
- ✓ Cleaning of streams around OR Tambo (Mathole Park) and Adelaide Tambo Parks in Mhluzi. In Middelburg, the stream around Kees Taaljaard Park will be cleaned whilst in Hendrina, the stream around Eco Park will be cleaned.
- ✓ Donations of gifts to five (5) centres for children with disabilities throughout the Municipality.
- ✓ Donations of gifts to six (6) centres for senior citizens throughout the Municipality.
- ✓ Donations of bio-heat stoves to child headed families to be identified by the Department of Social Development and Child Welfare.
- ✓ Donations of school shoes and bags to Manyano Primary School by Joyous celebrations. These will only be handed over on 25 July 2018 between 10:00-10:30

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Yours sincerely

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