



# THABAZIMBI LOCAL MUNICIPALITY

CLOSING REMARKS BY TLM MAYOR, CLLR TUMISANG JACOB  
"MAGUZUMELA" PILANE DURING THE TLM IDP/BUDGET/PMS  
2025/2026 REP FORUM

DATE : 14 MAY 2025  
VENUE : NORTHAM LAPA  
TIME : 13:00

Programme Director, our Speaker Cllr Dingaan Sebata,  
All Councillors present here,  
TLM Management team  
All Stakeholders present here,  
Ladies and Gentlemen

As we draw this vital forum to a close, I want to take a moment to express my heartfelt gratitude to each of you for your active participation and insightful contributions. Your engagement today has reaffirmed our shared commitment to building a brighter future for our municipality.

We gathered here to discuss our Integrated Development Plan, budget priorities, and performance management system for the 2025/2026 period. The ideas and perspectives shared in our discussions will play a crucial role in shaping our strategies and initiatives moving forward.

I want to highlight a few key takeaways from today's session:

**Collaboration is Key:** The input received reflects the diverse needs and aspirations of our community. It is evident that collaboration between stakeholders, residents, businesses, and government, is essential to create solutions that are effective and inclusive.

**Accountability and Transparency:** It is vital that we maintain a high standard of accountability and transparency in all our dealings. Your call for greater visibility in our budgetary processes will guide our efforts to improve communication and keep you informed every step of the way.

As we move forward, let us harness the momentum generated here today. I encourage each of you to continue engaging with your communities and providing feedback as we finalize our plans. Your insights are invaluable, and we are committed to making them a cornerstone of our development agenda.

Thank you all for your valuable contributions and engagement today. It is clear that our collective efforts towards enhancing our community have yielded significant insights and proposals. This dialogue is crucial as we continue to shape our Integrated Development Plan (IDP) to reflect the needs and aspirations of all our residents.

I would also like to take this opportunity to acknowledge the success of the recent community public participation sessions held in all wards. These sessions have provided a platform for valuable input and have strengthened the bond between the municipality and its citizens. Your active involvement is essential in driving meaningful change, and we are committed to ensuring that every voice is heard in our planning processes.

Let us carry the momentum forward, working together to turn our shared vision into reality. Thank you once again for your participation and dedication to our community's future.

I thank you