

Opening Remarks by TLM Mayor, Cllr Midah Moselane during Stakeholder Outreach Programme on Digital Migration, 13 July 2018 at Kumba Cinema Hall, Thabazimbi at 10:00

Programme Director

The Deputy Minister of Communications, Mme Pinky Kekana

The Executive Mayor of Waterberg District;

Fellow councillors;

All stakeholders present here today;

Ladies and gentlemen;

Dumelang!!!!Good morning!!!!

My role today is to welcome all of you who made time to grace this important Stakeholder Outreach Programme on Digital Migration as part of this year's Imbizo Focus Week. A special word of welcome to our Hon. Deputy Minister of Communications, Mme Pinky Kekana and thank you Deputy Minister for visiting Thabazimbi and its stakeholders.

To all our Stakeholders present here: Let us use this opportunity to listen to the message as it will be outlined by the Deputy Minister of Communications as some of them are from the **State of the Nation Address** and the **Broadcasting Digital Migration** project.

Ladies and Gentlemen; This Imbizo Focus Week comes as the country celebrates the centenaries of Nelson Mandela and Albertina Sisulu. The centenary celebrations of these two icons have a significant impact in bringing diverse South Africans together. Few days from now, we will be celebrating the birth of our former President, Nelson Mandela. Let us all do the right thing in honouring him with dignity.

As I welcome you all, let me call on all of us to work in harmony for the benefit of our communities and our country at large. I wish you fruitful discussions in this Stakeholder Engagement Programme.

I thank you.