

Press Release

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INTRODUCTION OF A CONTRACTOR FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE WITPOORT FARMERS PRODUCTION SUPPORT UNIT

As part of reviving the agricultural sector and supporting local farmers, the Honourable Mayor of Lephalale Local Municipality Mayor, Cllr Alpheus Thulare, together with officials from the Limpopo Department of Agriculture visited Seleka Tribal Office to introduce the Unene Murekuri JV contractor to the Traditional Council.

The contractor will be responsible for the construction of the Witpoort Farmers Production Support Unit. The unit which will be situated at Lerupurupung Village will comprise of amongst other things an auction facility, cattle handling facility, crush pans, training hall to be used to train farmers in all aspects of farming and a workshop area for the maintenance of farming equipments. The unit will service farmer in Lephalale and Waterberg District.

The Mayor together with representatives from the Seleka Traditional Council and herdsmen from Lerupurupung, Letlora and community representatives from Thabo Mbeki village concluded the day by visiting the construction site.

The project was warmly welcomed by all stakeholders and the necessary processes and activities will resume.

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