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MEDIA ALERT

MEC MEYER TO DELIVER MOST ANTICIPATED 2026/27 BUDGET FOCUSED ON JOBS, EMPOWERMENT & EXPANDED INVESTMENT

Tomorrow, KZN Public Works and Infrastructure MEC, Martin Meyer, will deliver his 2026/27 Budget Speech. This is the most anticipated budget coming from the department, as it takes a completely different approach, one which prioritises jobs, citizens, communities, skills development, women empowerment, and upliftment of the marginalised.

The budget comes in the backdrop of extensive consultation of various stakeholders, including ordinary community members, financiers, contractors, developers, among others.

The budget also comes as the department has made significant strides in eliminating corruption, reducing irregular expenditure from R700 million to zero, and clearing backlogged projects by as much as 82% in a period of just two years.

Tomorrow, MEC Meyer will also make a number of significant announcements.

Members of the media are invited, and there will be an opportunity to engage with the MEC after delivering his budget speech.

Details of budget event as follows:

Date: 17 July 2026

Time: 12.45pm

Venue: KZN Provincial Legislature, Pietermaritzburg

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