



EDITION 4
5 to 9 AUGUST 2024

THIS WEEK IN TSHWANE

Important things to know

01

CITY TACKLES ILLEGAL CONNECTIONS IN MAMELODI

This week, the City of Tshwane successfully removed illegal connections at the Mamelodi R3 and R4 Reservoirs.

Illegal connections pose serious risks, including damage to infrastructure and loss of revenue for the City. Therefore, it's important for the City to act by removing unauthorised connections to restore and ensure the efficiency of the Metro's water infrastructure.

Residents are encouraged to report illegal connections to the City on 012 358 7095/7096.

02

OVER 500 STREET LIGHTS FIXED IN ONE WEEK IN REGION 3

This week, our teams have worked on the ground in Sunnyside and the surrounding areas in Region 3 to fix street lights, prune trees, cut grass and mark roads.

Most impressively, more than 500 street lights were fixed in the past week in Sunnyside, Arcadia, Colbyn and surrounding areas.

03

ANTI-CORRUPTION PROCUREMENT PORTAL

The City launched a new e-Commerce and Procurement (e-CP) portal that will digitise and automate supply chain management processes. This is a key step in our continuous work to root out corruption from within the system.

A notable feature of the portal is the contract management function, which implements robust performance tracking to check that suppliers are delivering on their contract terms, failing which, both the contractor and the contracting department will be held accountable.

04

REBECCA STREET CREMATORIUM ON TRACK TO REOPEN

On Monday, 5 August 2024, the Deputy Mayor, Cllr Nasiphi Moya, visited Rebecca Street Crematorium in Pretoria West, accompanied by several community members who had raised concerns about the non-functional state of the crematorium for a year.

Following the oversight visit, we are pleased to inform residents that Rebecca Crematorium is on track for reopening in December 2024.

We want to thank residents for your patience during this period.

05

HEALTH ROADSHOW

Over the next seven weeks, the City will host a series of health roadshows in selected communities across all regions of Tshwane with the aim to bring health services closer to communities.

This is a first for the City, saving residents queuing time at health facilities by bringing a basket of health services to residents in one go. Health services offered will include the following:

- Screening for non-communicable diseases, such as blood sugar and blood pressure, immunisation and vaccination
- Screening and awareness in relation to tuberculosis (TB)
- Screening and awareness in relation to substance use and referrals
- HIV counselling and testing, treatment literacy and antiretroviral (ART) initiation and re-initiation
- Health awareness of sexually transmitted infections (STIs)

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