

**MEDIA ADVISORY**

All Editors and Reporters

20 May 2026

**PREMIER DR PHOPHI RAMATHUBA TO PROVIDE FEEDBACK TO THE MAJA COMMUNITY ON THE SUSPECTED FOOD POISONING INCIDENT**

The Premier of Limpopo, Dr Phophi Ramathuba, will on Wednesday, 20 May 2026, visit the Maja Tribal Council in Lepelle-Nkumpi Local Municipality to provide feedback to the community following the suspected food poisoning incident that occurred during a funeral gathering in Ga-Maja.

During her visit to the surviving patients at Lebowakgomo Hospital on 22 April 2026, Premier Ramathuba assured the community that the matter was receiving urgent attention and that government would return to the community to provide feedback once the investigation process had been concluded.

The community engagement session is scheduled as follows:

Date: Wednesday, 20 May 2026

Venue: Maja Tribal Council, Polokwane Municipality, Capricorn District

Time: 11h45

End/

For media enquiries, contact:

Thilivhali Muavha

Premier's Spokesperson

066 011 7034

Dexter Mohale

Acting Provincial Government Spokesperson

082 902 1545

Issued by the Office of the Premier