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MATLOSANA NEW RESCUE VEHICLES WILL SAVE MORE LIVES

MEC Wendy Nelson and Dr Motlhabane officially handed-over two rescue vehicle on 10 June 2016 in Khuma during Setsokotsane service delivery. The rescue vehicles brought hope and joy to the people of Matlosana. Matlosana Fire and Rescue Center have been operating with only one rescue vehicle to provide service to its four areas

The response vehicles are fully equip with Jaws of Life – equipment used cut cars when people are trapped in the rakages during accidents, stabilizing, cribbing and air bags. The cars are Toyota Hilux and Toyota land Cruiser. The rescue vehicles will increase the response time and will save more lives. In her remarks MEC Nelson said that she believe the Fire and rescue personnel will handle the cars with care and take the necessary responsibility.

The two rescue cars will complement the one car assigned to motor car accidents. The three rescue vehicles will be distributed equitably; one at Orkney, Hartebeesfontein and the other will remain in Klerksdorp. We believe motor accidents vehicles will reduce complaints that were received during the Mayoral imbizo.

Community members are requested to have this information ready when they are reporting an accident. Name, address, what is involved in an accident, is anybody trapped. Response time depend on the distance the cine of accident for example, from fire station to tower mall can take about 5 minutes. Service paid according service to the type of equipment that have been used in a cine.

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