

MEDIA ADVISORY

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Minister of Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs (CoGTA), Dr Zweli Mkhize, will deliver the keynote and Executive Mayor Ekurhuleni Metropolitan, Cllr Mzwandile Masina, will officially open the gathering of about 200 Municipal Managers, Treasuries and CoGTA officials who will be in attendance. The Forum will for the first time enable the minister to engage the accounting officers who are at the coalface and are integral part of ensuring that municipalities function effectively.

The members of the media are invited as follows:

Time & Date: 09h00, 12 -13 November 2018

Venue: New Council Chambers, Ekurhuleni Metropolitan Municipality

Germiston Civic Centre, Cnr Cross and Queen Street, GERMISTON

Gauteng Province

The National Municipal Managers Forum is set to discuss policy agenda of local government and matters affecting Municipal Managers; and will reflect on the outcomes of the recent ITU Telecom World 2018 which deliberated on preparation for 5G, deployment of broadband infrastructure and implications for municipalities. The Forum is a network and a platform for sharing good practices and showcasing municipal achievements and most importantly, addresses vulnerabilities and difficulties that constantly challenge the sector.

Media who wish to attend the forum should kindly forward their details to, Email: smbambato@salga.org.za

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