

Media Statement

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CLLR BUSISIWE MODISAKENG STATEMENT OF CONDOLENCES ON THE MURDER OF SEDIBENG MUNICIPAL MANAGER, MR STANLEY KHANYILE

Sedibeng District Executive Mayor, Cllr Busisiwe Modisakeng learnt with shock and sadness about the sudden passing of the Municipal Manager, Mr Stanley Khanyile.

Khanyile was shot and killed in Meyersdal by unknown suspects on Saturday, 3 October 2020. He served as Sedibeng District Municipal Manager from 1 June 2017 until his sudden murder. "The brutal and inhumane murder of Mr Khanyile has left a devastating pain and sudden loss to the family of Sedibeng District Municipality and its stakeholders," says Cllr Modisakeng. The circumstances surrounding his murder are under investigation.

The Executive Mayor encourages anyone who may have witnessed the incident or have any information that could lead to the apprehension of the suspects to contact their nearest police station or to call the Crime Stop number 08600 10111.

She further continued that "I humbly urge that we provide the Khanyile's family and friends the much-needed space and support during this dark and trying time for their loss and grief and to ensure that Mr Khanyile receives a dignified send-off."

"We extend our deepest condolences to the family, friends and his colleagues," concluded Cllr Modisakeng.

His contribution will be sorely missed in the local government community.

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