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MEC MAJUBA KICKS OFF BUDGET CONSULTATION PROCESS

The Mpumalanga Provincial Treasury today commenced the three-day Medium Term Expenditure Committee (MTEC) hearings, which will involve departments and public entities.

The 2025 MTEC engagements are part of the structured budget planning cycle, and are framed in the context of the National Medium Term Expenditure Framework (MTEF).

The Medium Term Expenditure Framework is a rolling three-year budgeting and planning instrument that enables government departments and public entities to align their resource allocations with the Province's Medium Term Development Plan (MTDP).

The 2025/26 Mpumalanga Provincial Budget, tabled by MEC for Finance Mr Bonakele Majuba in June 2025, was underpinned by three strategic priorities, which are:

- inclusive economic growth and job creation,
- reducing poverty and the cost of living, and
- building a capable, ethical, and developmental state.

MEC Bonakele Majuba said these budget hearings are a critical milestone in the formulation of the 2025/26 adjustments budget as well as the 2026/27 – 2028/29 provincial fiscal framework.

The MTEC hearings will assess how departments and public entities are progressing against the priorities and how their estimates for 2026/27–2028/29 will consolidate the gains made in the current fiscal year towards the Province's five-year Plan.

The Provincial Treasury is committed to fostering a culture of evidence-based planning, fiscal prudence, and ensuring that every rand spent makes *Mpumalanga a Province That Works for All.*

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