

# NEWS BULLETIN

## NORTH WEST NEDLAC COMMUNITY CONSTITUENCY PROVINCIAL WORKSHOPS PROGRAMME

The seventh leg of the Nedlac workshop was held at Mmabatho Palms Hotel in Mafikeng, North West on the 26th of November 2021.

“The purpose of this platform, at this provincial level, is so that our constituency members can interact with leadership of our partners: National Lotteries Commission (NLC), National Development Agency (NDA) and Proudly South Africa. We expect that you will take this information for your own organisations and engage communities and see what opportunities there are. The leadership of our partners are here to interact, please ask them questions and engage them fully. This workshop will culminate into a national conference for policy position and strategy to say we are the only voice that represents the CSO sector and this will be the forum and structure where all interests of CSOs are advanced. We urge you members, to also interact amongst yourselves and work together and claim your rightful place of representing CSO and networks to move your province forward” opened Mr Skumbuzo Mpanza, a national representative of the Nedlac Community Constituency.

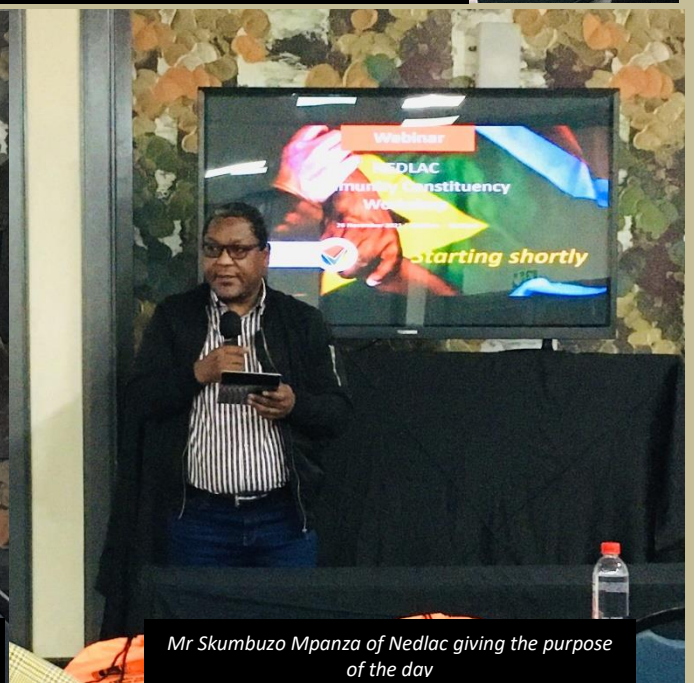
The workshop was well attended and all the Nedlac legs were represented by their leadership. The leadership have pledged to form their own district and provincial structures that will work together to minimize the challenges they face in the province which include working in silo's and state of fragmentation, preference in the awarding of funding and opportunities and so on.



Delegates of NEDLAC that represents various community sector groups



Mr Xolile Brukwe, NDA Head of Stakeholder Relations presented the CSO Partnership Model which will culminate into formulation of a Council



Mr Skumbuzo Mpanza of Nedlac giving the purpose of the day



Mr Ben Morule of the NDA OCEO responds to questions from the delegates. Next to him is Mr Lawrence Bale of the Nedlac Community Constituency



NLC North West Provincial Manager, Mr Keorapetse Sofelena presents on NLC funding model

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