

## **STATE OF THE MUNICIPAL ADDRESS (SOMA) 2023**

The Mayor Cllr Meriam Molala delivered the 2023-2024 State of the Municipal Address at Lebowakgomo, Civic Centre Hall, on Wednesday, 31 May 2023, to provide an overview of the current state, progress, challenges, and future plans of the municipality.

In her address, she focused mainly on the overview of the municipality's financial position, budget, and fiscal management.

1. Assessment of the municipality's service delivery, including infrastructure and waste management.
2. Updates on community development initiatives, such as spatial planning, and indigent program within the municipality.
3. Economic development plans, job creation efforts, and support for local businesses.
4. Environmental sustainability and conservation efforts within the municipality.
5. Governance and administration updates, highlighting achievements, challenges, and efforts to improve transparency and accountability.
6. Priorities, goals, and plans for the upcoming year, focusing on key areas of development and improvement of the municipality.

“Motho ke motho ka batho