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MEC Mosupyoe to Attend Public Hearings on the Expansion of the OR Tambo SEZ

Ms. Morakane Mosupyoe, Gauteng's MEC for Economic Development, Agriculture and Environment, will attend tomorrow's public hearings on plans to expand the OR Tambo Special Economic Zone to include the Tshwane Automotive Hub in Silverton. The project is aimed at attracting investment by automotive component manufacturers and turning Tshwane into a world-class automotive city. The hearings, which will take place tomorrow at the Nellmapius Library and Community Hall, are hosted jointly by Trade and Industry Minister Ebrahim Patel, MEC Mosupyoe and Tshwane Mayor Steven Mokgalapa.

The establishment of multi-tier SEZs forms of part of Gauteng's six apex economic priorities, and is aimed at stimulating the city region's re-industrialisation and creating industrial infrastructure. Minister Patel gazetted his intention to approve the project last month.

The details of the hearings are as follows:

DATE: Tuesday, 15 October 2019

TIME: 09:30

VENUE: Nellmapius Library and Community Hall, 201 Lesedi Street, Pretoria

The media is invited to attend the hearings and report.

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