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MEC Mazibuko hosts GBV dialogue and reclaiming the night in Sophiatown

The Gauteng MEC for Community Safety, Faith Mazibuko, will be hosting a dialogue, followed by “Reclaiming the night” in Sophiatown, on Friday 11 October 2019.

The purpose of the dialogue is to engage female students in institutions of higher learning and young women in the community, on gender based violence and femicide.

“Reclaiming the night” is a community driven march, where women of all ages stamp their authority and send a message that women have the right to walk the streets at any given time.

Details of the Dialogue are as follows:

Date: Friday, 11th October 2019

Time: 14:00 pm

Place: Trevor Huddleston CR Memorial Centre

Sophiatown

City of Johannesburg

The meeting point for “Reclaiming the night” will be the Oval Stadium, behind Sophiatown Police Station at 18:00. The dress code is Bright Colours.

Media houses interested in covering the event can send confirmations to Hlulani Mashaba on **073 064 5863** or hlulani.mashaba@gauteng.gov.za

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