



DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

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WINTER WARMER INITIATIVE 2014

With temperatures set to dip again in the coming weeks and the winter far from over, the MEC for Social Development will ensure that the basic and immediate humanitarian needs of children and people working and living on the streets are addressed by giving them the gift of warmth.

The Winter Warmer Initiative was launched by the National Department of Social Development and is aimed at ensuring that vulnerable children and adults do not bear the brunt of winter. The MEC will be providing these homeless people on the streets of Polokwane, with blankets and food through an existing soup kitchen in the city. The same initiative is also taken to other towns in the Province where the homeless issue presents itself.

You are hereby invited to cover the provincial part of this initiative, with the handing over of blankets and food by the MEC, as follows:

Date: Monday, 21st July 2014
Venue: Anglican Church Soup Kitchen
Cnr. Biccard and Jorrisen Streets
Polokwane
Time: 17:00

End.

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