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2016 Elections gets a nod



South Africans came out in numbers to cast their votes in the 2016 Local Government elections.

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overnment is pleased with voting during the 2016 Municipal Elections, which proceeded well.

About 26 million South Africans who registered cast their votes in the 22 612 voting stations situated nationally. This is the fourth local government elections.

President Jacob Zuma said the elections are an indication that South Africa is one of the countries in Africa that is leading in democracy.

"I am
pleased our
country is a
demonstration of how democracy should
w ork,"
said

President Jacob Zuma casting his vote.

the President after casting his vote.

Minister of Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs Minister Des Van Rooyen also congratulated the Independent Electoral Commission (IEC) for delivering yet another election.

"Government applauds the youth, especially the first time voters, for their commitment towards advancing our demo-cracy," said Minister Des Van Rooyen, who is also the chairperson of the Inter-Ministerial Committee (IMC) on Elections.

Over 75 000 police members deployed at polling stations ensured that elections were held in a safe environment.

Government has encouraged all citizens to work together with those elected to public office to strengthen

local government.

Chief Electoral Officer of the IEC Mosotho Moepya said the country should be proud of the achievements.

First-time voter, Israel Mnisi from Soshanguve in Pretoria, said he was excited to cast his vote.

"I have long been waiting for this moment, it's exciting, now I know that I have voted for my community to get better service delivery," he said.

Another community member, who was excited about the day, was Martha Thusi from Soweto who said voting is about honouring the past and reaffirming the country's democratic future.

"I could not just sit and not vote. We might have challenges as a country but after 22 years of freedom a lot has been done. In my area for example we have most of the basic services. We have schools, clinics, libraries and shopping malls," she said.

Her only wish was that the new councillor continues with the delivery of services.

Despite these, Thusi acknowledged that there were still challenges facing local government but was also of the view that voting is more effective than service delivery protests.



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Voting in numbers

- Over 73 million ballot papers were printed.
- 4 649 unique ballot papers representing political parties and independent candidates.
- A record of 200 parties and 61 014 candidates contested the Municipal Elections. This was approximately 65 percent more parties and approximately 12 percent more candidates than the previous municipal elections held in 2011.











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Indlela elula yokufumana iinhlahla

Nonkululeko Mathebula

maSewula Afrika azazifumanela iinhlahla "ngendlela yemitjhini ye-ATM" kunokuya emakhemisi.

Lo kumphumela wetjhebiswano hlangana nomNyango wezamaPhilo neHlangano engaSebenzeli iNzuzo i-Right To Care.

Nanyana ingakahlonywa ngokusemthethweni iKoro yesiManjemanje yokuNikelwa kweeNhlahla (i-PDU) kodwana sele isebenza esi-Bhedlela i-Helen Joseph, e-Alexandra eseJwanasbhege kunye nesibhedlela i-Steve Biko Academic esisePitori.

Umnqopho wethekhnoloji etja le kunciphisa imijeje emide, kukwenza ngcono ukulethwa kwezenzelwa netjhejo lezamaphilo lezinga eliphezulu.

Nagade akhuluma nebakwa-Vuk'uzenzele evakatjhweni lakhe esiBhedlela i-Helen Joseph, u-David Molele, osebenza ngemitjhinyana yamarobothikhi – nesekelo ekusetjenziweni kwe-Right-e pharmacy, wathi umtjhini lo uzakuphelisa nemiraro evame ukuba khona kezo-kutlolisa nokuphatha.

"Lelihlelo lamukelwe ngethabo ngilabo ekhe balisebenzisa ukufikela gadesi ngombana linciphise isikhathi sokulinda iinhlahla emazikweni wezamaphilo wombuso.

'"IRherhweli lehlise isikhathi sokulinda iinhlahla

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ngemizuzu ehlangana neli-15 ukuya kema-20 begodu lokho ngikho esikufunako," kwatjho u-Molele.

I-PDU isebenza njengomtjhini webhanga oyi-ATM. Ukuze iingulani zifumane iinhlahla zazo, kufanele zizitlolise ehlelweneli ukuze zikwazi ukusebenzisa isisetjenziswesi. Zizakufumana ikarada elifana nelebhanga. Nazifuna "ukukhupha" iinhlahla zazo iingulani zizakufaka ikarada emtjhinini we-PDU, zigandelele iNomboro Eyifihlo bese zikhetha iinhlahla umuntu azifunako erhelweni leenhlahla abatlolelwe zona.

Ngokuka-Molele, umnqopho kukwenza bona ekugcineni ihlelweli lifumaneke eendaweni ezinjengeenthabathaba zeentolo nemizileni yamateksi kwenzelelwe bona iingulani zifumane iinhlahla ngendlela elula.

IRherho lokusetjenziswa kwe-ATM sele likhona e-Alex Plaza ese-Alexandra, esiThabathabeni seenTolo zeNdofaya ese-Soweto kunye ne-Diepsloot.

Indlela etja yokufumana iinhlahla le izabenzela ubulula abantu abafumana imitjhoga yeNgogwana yeNtumbantonga (i-HIV).

Nagade akhuluma mhlapha kuKhonferensi yeNtumba-



I-PDU izakusiza iingulani ngendlela elula yokufikelela itjhejo lezamaphilo lezinga eliphezulu.

ntonga yePhasiloke e-Durban, uNgqongqotjhe wezamaPhilo u-Aaron Motsoaledi uthe iSewula Afrika iraga ihlelo lokwelatjhwa kwe-HIV elingelikhulu ephasini loke.

Isibalo seengulani ezilatihwako sikhule ukusukela een-400 000 ukufikela eengidini ezi-3.4 esikhathini esimatjhumi amathathu weminyaka. Nanyana kunjalo, isibalo sabasebenzi bezamaphilo solo asandi

ukwenzelela bona sikhambisane nesidingo sesibalo esikhulako seengulani, lokho kubangela ukuphelelwa mumusa kweengulani zigcine zingathobeli ngefanelo imileyo yokuselwa kweenhlahla.

UNgqongqotjhe u-Motsoaedi wathi, "Kuqakathekile bonyana samukele woke amagadango azokwenza bona kube lula ebantwini ukuragela phambili nokwelatjhwa".

Ukukhambelana kommongo wamathambo kuvuselela ithemba

Noluthando Mkhize

-Leukaemia yatjhugulula ipilo kaSibongile Mkhwanazi (oneminyaka ema-21) ngokungakalindelwa eminyakeni emihlanu eyadlulako.

Bekahlala nonina e-Kroonstad, eseFreyistata lokha nakahlahlutiwako

"Ipilwami yatjhuguluka msinyana. Ngasuka ekubeni litlawana eliphilileko ngatjelwa bonyana nginobulwele obubulalako.

"Gade nginamathuthuva ebusweni, athoma ukuvuvuka. Lokhu kwenza bona umma afune isizo ngomzamo wokungelaphisa. Ngaphelelwa mamandla neemfundo zami zaphazamiseka bengalisa nokuya esikolweni."

Ngemva kokuhlahlutjwa kwafunyanwa bonyana uSibongile une-*Leukaemia* walala esibhedlela iinyanga ezisithandathu. Wasele aphelelwe lithemba.

"Gade ngizizwa ngihlukile kabanye abantwana esikolweni sethu kwaba budisi kimi ukubona umma ezwa ubuhlungu obungaka."

Qobe mnyaka ukuhlahlutjwa

kweenkulungwana zamaSewula Afrika kuveza umphumela we-*Leukeamia*, ekuyikankere yeengazi eyayingumabulala.

Amalanga la i-Leukaemia yelatihwa ngepumelelo ekhulako. Umbono lo ngewakaDorhodere Guni Goolabo umPhathi oyiHloko yeSikimu seSizo lezokweLatjhwa sabaSebenzi bomBuso (i-GEMS).

UDorh. Goolab wathi u-kwenziwa ngcono kweenhlahla zekankere kufikelele ezingeni eliphezulu ngendlela yokuthi i-*Leukaemia* namanye amalwele wekankere yeengazi awasathathwa njengesigwebo sentambo.

UDorh. Goolab wathi, "Amazinga wabasindako ku-acute lymphocytic leukaemia, ekuyikankere evamileko ebantwaneni akhulile ukusukela kumaphesente amathathu ukufikela okungasenani kama-90% eminyakeni ema-40 ngesizo lomtjhoga okhethekileko njengokufakelwa ummongo wamathambo, ekusiza ukuhlwengisa amaseli wekankere emzimbeni wesigulani.

USibongile uya qobe ukuyokuhlolwa begodu abodorhorhodere nonina bamnikele ithemba lokuphila.

"Mhlapha abodorhodere bangitjele ukuthi bafumene umuntu onikele ngommongo wamathambo, yeke balungiselela umzimbami ukuhlinzwa."

Ebantwini abanengi abaphethwe yi-*Leukaemia* indlela yokusinda kufumana iseli yommongo wamathambo.

Kulapho iinhlangano ezifana ne-Sunflower Fund zisiza khona. I-Sunflower Fund iyiHlangano engaSebenzeli iNzuzo ezibophelele ekukhuliseni iRejista yokuNikela ngoMmongo wamaThambo yeSewula Afrika ngokubuthelela iimali ezitlhogekako ukubhadela iinhlahlubo zamathitjhu.

Ukufumana abantu abakhambelanako ngamaseli wommongo wamathambo kuphasi khulu; kungaba mumuntu munye kabazii-100 000.

Kungebangelo i-*Sunflower* Fund isebenzela ukukhuthaza woke amaSewula Afrika ukuthi

azitlolise kuRejista yokuNikela ngoMmongo wamaThambo. Ukuzitlolisa lokhu kurejista le kulula begodu umuntu udoswa isampula yeengazi ukuhlola bonyana angaba mnikeli wommongo wamathambo okhambelanako ukusiza isigulani ngokuzako.

USibongile wakhuthaza woke amaSewula Afrika ukufumana ilwazi nge-*Leukaemia* ukuze bakwazi ukuphulukisa amaphilo.

"Ngikhombela woke amaSewula Afrika ukobana azihlomise ngelwazi mayelana ne-lukeamia khona bazakukghona ukuphulukisa amaphilo wabanengi."

Nawufuna ilwazi elinabileko, dosela inomboro yasimahla ye-Sunflower Fund ku: 0800 121 082 ukuze ube mnikeli, namkha uvakatjhele ubunzinzolwazi ku:

* Imibiko engezelelweko ivela kuSikimu seSizo lezokweLatjhwa sabaSebenzi bomBuso.

www.sunflowerfund.org.za.

Uthi bewazi nje?

- Kufuneka kwaphela amakhezwana amabili weengazi ukuthi uzitlolise njengomnikeli.
- Ukunikela ngamaseli wommongo wamathambo akusese buhlungu ukudlula ukunikela ngeengazi.
- Kutlhogeka bona ube neminyaka ehlangana neli-18 nema-50 ube nobudisi obungaphezulu kwamakhilogremu ama-50 nawuzakuba mnikeli.
- Amathuba wokufumana umnikeli kuba mumuntu munye hlangana nabazii-100 000.
- Umuntu munye hlangana namaSewula Afrika azii-100 000 uzakufunyanwa ane-*leukaemia*.
- I-Leukaemia maseli azibuyelelako ngobunengi abulala amaseli anepilo ajayelekileko abomvu, angamhlophe namaplathelethi bese abangela umzimba ube buthakathaka.

Iinkumba Ezingezelelweko Zomphakathi we-Etwatwa

Nonkululeko Mathebula

bahlali be-Combiza Extension 35 Et-∎watwa, esiphandeni beenkumba ezikarisako.

Amalanga wokuhlala emitlhatlhaneni nemakamurweni wangemva aqatjhiswako aphela lokha uMeyara ophumako kaMasipala weDorobha le-Ekurhuleni uMhlonitjhwa Mondli Gungubele neLunga leKomiti kaMeyara yezokuHlaliswa kwabaNtu u-Aubrey Nxumalo banikela ngeenkumba ezima-70 kubahlali bendaweni le. Nakethula ikulumo yakhe ekunikelweni kweenkumba wathi iinkumbezi ziyakarisa begodu zizakunikela abahlali isithunzi.

"Thina sibaphathi kilelidorobha sisabalalisela iinkumba ezitjezi ebantwini abatlhogako nabalungelwe kuzifumana njengengcenye vehlelo lethu lokunikela ngeenkumba.

Wathi, "Sihlela ukwakha ezinye iinkumba ezizii-8 000 ekupheleni komnyaka lo weemali begodu sikhuthaza abanikazi beese-Ekurhuleni, babanini nkumba abatjha ukuthi benze iindawo zabo zihlale zihlwengile begodu ba-

> "Njenganje ngihlala ngekumbenami ngokuthula ngaphandle kokutshwenyeka bona kuzakwenzekani ngepahlami nange izulu lingana."

ngangezeleli ngemitlhatlhana ngemva".

Iinkumba zinamakamura wokulala amabili, ubuhlambelo nephunyana elivulekileko nendawo yokuphumulela. Indawo etja le izakuba neendlela ezisindiweko, igezi, ihlelo leendlwana zamanzi, amaphaga wokuzigedla, amaziko wefundo



yabantwana nokufikeleleka eenthuthini zomphakathi njengamateksi namarenke.

Omunye wabazuzi ngu-Petrus Mashego (oneminyaka ema-45) obegade ahlala emtlhatlhaneni isikhathi esiminyaka ema-22 edluli-

Wathi, "Ngithabe khulu, kusese libhudango kimi. Njenganje ngihlala ekumbenami ngokuthula ngaphandle kokutshwenyeka bonyana kuzakwenzekani ngepahlami nange izulu engcono. lingana".

UNxumalo watjela bakwa-Vuk'uzenzele bonyana isenzwesi sikhambisana nokuphumelelisa isibopho sikarhulumende.

UNxumalo wathi, "Nasikhethelwa ukuphatha emakhethweni karhulumende weendawo zemakhaya ngomnyaka wee-2011 senza isibopho ebantwini bekhethu bonyana izinto zizokutjhuguluka kube nepilo

UNxumalo wathi "Sakhe iinkumba ezingaphezu kwama-300 e-Combiza kanti kusazokwakhiwa ezinye zinikelwe eendaweni ezihlukileko ngedorobheni. Lokhu kuletha isithunzi sasafuthi ebantwini bekhethu".

Wangezelela ngokuthi kutjhejwa qangi abantu abalupheleko, abakhubazekileko nebemizi etlhogonyelwa bantwana. 🛚

linkumba Ezakhelwe Abantu be-Thoyane

Thandeka Ngobese

bantu bemizi eyadinywa amathuba ngaphambilini ekuMasipala weVulamehlo KwaZulu-Natala bahlala eenkumbeni ezikarisako ngesizo lomNyango wezokuHlaliswa kwaBantu waKwaZulu-Natala.

Iphrojekthi yeenkumba ezizii-R161 yabantu be-Thoyane yanikelwa nguSomkhandluwezokuHlaliswa kwaba-Ntu nemiSebenzi yomBuso u-Ravigasen Pillay. Iinkumba eziyi-1 500 ziyingcenye yeHlelo eliDephileko loku-Thuthukiswa kweeNdawo zemaKhaya elinqophe ukulwisana nokusalela emva kwetuthuko, ukufumaneka kokugoma, ukutlhayela komsebenzi, umtlhago nabo boke ubudisi bezehlalakuhle obukhambisana neendawo zemakhaya.

Omunye wabazuzi uNtombizonke Maphumulo (oneminyaka ema-52) watjela bakwa-Vuk'uzenzele bonyana bekangasebenzi begodu angakghoni ukuzakhela ikumba.

Wathi, "Ngimbelethi okhu-



UMeyara kaMasipala weVulamehlo uMhlonitjhwa u-Thabani Dube noSomkhandlu wezokuHlaliswa kwabaNtu nemiSebenzi yomBuso u-Ravigasen Pillay banikela ngekumba kuNtombizonke Maphumulo.

lisa abentwana ayedwa, onabantwana abathathu nomzukulu. Boke abasebenzi kanti omncani usesikolweni. Siphila ngemali yesibonelelo sabantwana. Sithokoza urhulumende ngokusipha ikumba ehle nenesithunzi".

USomkhandlu u-Pillay wathi urhulumende wesifunda wakhe iinkumba ezingaphezu kwee-800 000 ukusukela ngomnyaka we-1994 bekwavulwa namathuba weenkumba azii-80 000 ngeentandi ezifakelwe umthangalasisekelo.

Wathi, "Siyazi lapha sibuya

"Bengihlala nginebhudango lokuba nekumba enesithunzi ngelinye ilanga."

khona begodu sazi kuhle bonyana sinqophephi. Urhulumende lo unehlelo begodu uzibophelele ukuphumelelisa ihlelweli ngokuzeleko". Wangezelela ngokuthi i-Thoyane Rural Housing Development Project itjengisa ukuzibophelela kukarhulumende ekuletheni iindawo zokuhlala ezinzinzileko.

Wathi, "Eminyakeni emithathu ezako, ukufikela kewee-2019, sizibophelele ukuvula amathuba weenkumba asigidi sinye emindenini efaneleko esemadorobheni nemakhaya.

Sinenye iphrojekthi ebizwa i-Vulamehlo Ward 5 and 7 Rural Housing Development Pro-

ject. Iphrojekthi le yeengidi ezimakhulu ama-R215 izakusiza abantu abaziinkulungwana ezi-2000 emawadini la amabili."

Omunye ozuzileko nguNomvula Nzimakwe (oneminyaka ema-47) watjela bakwa-Vuk'uzenzele bonyana ibhudango lakhe liphumelele. "Bengihlala nginebhudango lokuba nendlu ehle ngelinye ilanga. Ngihlezi endaweni le emtlhatlhaneni iminyaka elitjhumi. Nalinako gade ngilala emanzini. Umfulelo woke bewunethela. Sithokoza urhulumende ngekumba le ezokuletha isithunzi emndeninami" walathisa bunjalo.

I-Thoyane Rural Housing Development Project yavula imisebenzi engaphezu kwama-400

UMeyara kaMasipala we-Vulamehlo, uMhlonitjhwa uThabani Dube wathi urhulumende ugcina iinthembiso zakhe.

Wathi, "Boke abantu abafaneleko bazakufumana izindlu. Lesi sigaba sokuthoma sephrojekthi kanti isigaba sesibili siyeza naso njengokutjho kukaSomkhandlu".