

**ADDRESS BY THE EXECUTIVE MAYOR OF THABO MOFUTSANYANA  
DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY DURING ARRIVE ALIVE CAMPAIGN IN  
HARRISMITH ON 22 MARCH 2013**

Motsamaisi wa mosebetsi

Majoro wa Phethahatso wa Maluti-a-Phofung, Mme Sara Moleleki

Makhanselara, marena, baruti, bamokgatlo wa di taxi, baeti ba  
bohlokwa, bomme le bontate

Polelo ya Sesotho e re: “Ntjapedi ha e hlolwe ke sebata”. Ha e le e  
nngwe e re: “Letshwele le beta poho”. Mantswe ana a bohlokwa  
haholo bakeng sa ho toboketsa ntlha ya hore boipaballo mebileng ha  
se boikarabelo ba balaola sephethephethe le mmuso fela empa ke ya  
setjhaba kaofela, ekaba bakganni, bapalami le tsona ditaaso.

Bomme le bontate, dipalo-palo di a itshupa hore Afrika Borwa ke e  
nngwe ya dinaha tse nang le palo e hodimo ya batho ba hlokahallang  
mebileng. Ho bile ho utlwisa bohloko hore ka matsatsi a phomolo a  
keresemese yona ena eo re tswang ho yona ke batho ba ka hodimo  
ho sekete ba ileng ba hlokahalla mebileng ya rona ya Afrika Borwa.

Sena ke phephetso e kgolo fela mme e re batla bohle hore re iketse  
ngatana nngwe ho lwantsha koduwa ena. Kajeno ho ya thabisa ho  
bona hore bohle re etelletswe pele ke baruti le dikereke ho tla etsa  
thapedi ho Ramasedi hore a be le mohau ho setjhaba sa hae, mme a  
re pholose ntweng ena eo re shebaneng le yona.

Programme Director, according to the Global Report on road  
accidents compiled by the World Health Organisation, over 1, 2  
million people die on the world’s roads every year and as many as 50  
million are injured. This places an enormous burden to many  
families, who not only have to go through the grieve of losing their

loved ones, but have to endure long-term sufferings as some lose breadwinners while others have to struggle to get medication to those of their families, who suffered long-term injuries.

Ke ka hona e leng thapelo ya ka le nna letsatsing la kajeno ya hore e se e ka Modimo Ntate a ka utlwa dithapelo le dikopo tsa rona tsa letsatsi la kajeno jwalekaha e le mona re tlile bohle ho etsa thapelo le ho thakgola letsholo lena la fihla o phela, ARRIVE ALIVE.

Maikemisetso a rona le boipiletso ba rona ho tloha hona jwale e tlamehile e be bona bo reng, *ha motho le ya le mong a tlamehang ho lahlehelwa ke bophelo ba hae mebileng ya Afrika Borwa*. Bona ke boipiletso bo thata haholo ha o sheba dipalo-palo empa ke dumela hore ha re ka ikemisetse mme ra sebetsa mmoho re ka bona re fokoditse dikotsi tsa mebileng haholo fela.

Ladies and gentlemen, road safety is a shared responsibility. Achieving lasting change in road safety will requires national, provincial and local governments, businesses and the broader community to work together. This means we all need to change the way we think and act in relation to road safety. Our collective task is to build a culture where safety is an inherent part of all decision-making as planners, law enforcers and road users.

Programme Director, as we launch this road safety campaign in our district today, we should also at the same adopt a zero tolerance attitude towards those who break traffic rules, negligent and notorious driving behaviour as well as inhumane driving on our roads. Let those who break the law as they drive through our district be confronted with the mighty arm of the law.

Ho rona bohle re leng baahi ba setereke sa Thabo Mofutsanyana ha re etseng bo nnete ba hore re nka boikarabelo ba rona mebileng ka

ho hlompha melao ya tsela, ho kganna ka boitshwaro bo botle le ho ba le mamellano tseleng.

Ha re duleng re hopola lebelo le hodimo, tahi le ho se ikobele molao wa tsela di a bolaya.

Ke ya leboha.