

**WELCOMING ADDRESS DELIVERED BY THE HONORABLE  
MAYOR CLLR ZUKISWA NDEVU DURING WELLNESS DAY IN  
KWABHACA ON THE 24<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2021.**

Madam Speaker

Executive Committee Members

Chief Whip and Whippers

Councillors

Traditional Leaders

Municipal Manager and Senior Management

Media Houses

Government Officials

Ladies and Gentlemen

I greet you all in the wonderful name of Jesus Christ. Amen

**Ladies and Gentlemen;** Today I stand before you as a custodian for employee productivity. I'm also humbled to see many Councillors who have dedicated this day towards their own well-being.

This is one of the many mandatory Municipal health programmes that ought to develop and maintain healthy, dedicated, responsive and productive employees within the public service, who can add value to the Municipality.

The Corporate Services Department has got a mission, which is to build and maintain a healthy workforce for increased productivity and excellent service delivery.

This means that individual participation in the wellness day, provides you an opportunity to engage in activities that bring meaning and value to daily living.

The strategic partnership that we have established with the Department of Health, since the dawn of COVID-19 has been very prudent in many ways.

Because of this partnership we are now able to observe a moment for our own well-being. It is not every day that we get the opportunity to check our BMI, Cholesterol, High-Blood Pressure, TB and many other ailments that I have not made mention off.

Fellow Councillors, I plead with all of you to please make use of this opportunity. Amongst us, we have medical aid schemes that are here for your own benefit. We also have financial advisors on site that are here to assist with your financial management especially when it comes to your pensions.

Should you have any enquiries on services that might not be rendered or available here today, please do make it a point to visit the HR department for further assistance on the matter.

With that said, allow me to welcome you all here today and trust that you will all make the most out of it.

I thank you.

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Delivered by the Honourable Mayor,  
Cllr Zukiswa Ndevu