

## MAYOR MEETS FARMING COOPERATIVE

The Mayor of the Greater Tzaneen Municipality, Councilor Gerson Molapisane today met with the Board of the Farmers Business Cooperative (FABCO) at the cooperative's headquarters in Nkowankowa as part of his 100 DAYS in office programme. The parties discussed a range of issues affecting emerging farmers and agreed to cooperate in a number of initiatives to assist the local farming community unlock opportunities for broader economic growth.

Agriculture is currently the backbone of the economy of the Greater Tzaneen Municipality and employs thousands of people. GTM is also a major producer and exporter of a number agricultural produce such as avocados, tomatoes, mangoes and bananas.

The parties are scheduled to meet again for further discussions.



