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New road for the Chaneng community

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<p>Ticker symbols: JSE: Imp LSE: Ipla ADRs: Impuy</p> <p>www.implats.co.za</p>	<p>Impala Platinum (Impala) proudly handed over a road to a local Rustenburg community on 29 April 2010. Paul Dunne, an Executive Director of Impala's holding company Impala Platinum Holdings Limited (Implats), together with representatives from its Stakeholders Engagement department officially handed over the Raphukubjane road to the Chaneng community in a function attended by among others Kgosana Joel Setshwane from Chaneng and Councillor S. Modibedi from Chaneng from Royal Bafokeng Nation, Lucian Paulik from the Royal Bafokeng Administration (Town Planning) and some members of the Executive Committee of Kgotla ya Chaneng (The Royal Bafokeng Nation).</p> <p>The construction of the road, which runs across the Blairgowrie section in Chaneng, is an Impala project aimed at improving the socio-economic situation of the community within the mine lease area. The project was identified by the community in conjunction with the Royal Bafokeng Administration section responsible for infrastructure. The road, linking sections of Chaneng to the main access road from Boschoek and Sun City, was constructed by a Chaneng-based joint venture company, Dimakatso and Bayvi Construction which is 90% black-owned. The project created 60 temporary jobs during the construction period, 50% of which were filled by local labour.</p> <p>At the hand over Paul Dunne admired the beautifully paved road and praised the excellent work done by the project team. Rosina Tshose, the General Secretary of the Executive Committee of the Chaneng Kgotla cut the ribbon to mark the official opening of the Raphukubjane road.</p> <p>Photo caption 1: Paul Dunne, Executive Director of Implats and Rosina Tshose, the General Secretary of the Executive Committee of the Chaneng Kgotla, cutting the ribbon during the official opening of the Chaneng road.</p> <p>Photo caption 2: Some of the members of Chaneng community listening to speeches during the opening of the road.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">[ends]</p>
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