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MEDIA STATEMENT

Bloemfontein Water supply systems at 54.3%

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According to a weekly dam levels report by the Department of Water and Sanitation (DWS), Bloemfontein water levels are stable this week compared to last week a stable water situation in Bloemfontein. The summary of water supply systems in the City of Roses in Bloemfontein Metro is currently at 54.3% as compared to last week's 55.1%. During the same period last year, the water levels were at a low of 23.2%.

The Welbedacht Dam feeding Caledon River is at 87.5%, whereas Knellpoort Dam feeding Rietspruit maintained 70% level it recorded last week.

Gariiep Dam slightly decreased from 75.9% last week to 75.4% this week. Vanderkloof Dam also declined to 64.3% compared to last week's 75.9%

Fikapatso Dam supply Namahadi in Phuthaditjhaba remained at 32.7% this week, same as last week. this week.

The department wishes to remind water users to continue saving water as the country approach winter seasons.

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