

Hatcliffe Clinic Maternity Ward Gets A Facelift



Men At Work At The Hatcliffe Clinic Maternity Ward Roof

The Hatcliffe Clinic Maternity ward got a facelift following the combined efforts of Hon Allan Markham

,donours,partners and well wishers. The maternity ward roof renovations project was started by Hon Tongesai Mudambo previous Member of Parliament for Harare North who office before it was completed.

The maternity ward roof which was now as Chinua Achebe would say, “things fall apart” was redone in colourful green IBR sheets, with the help of Mr Nick from Solar World who donated 3 solar water geysers. The roofing sheets and geysers were installed in no time and now the project is already finished.

The labour force that assisted on the project was picked from the local communities that is Hatcliffe Consortium, Baghdad ,Hatcliffe Extension and the from Cooperatives, the idea behind being to keep rotating and having each and every community represented. While the emphasis by the MP is to young people to come up with projects proposals that need funding and he will not rest knocking on all doors to seek the required funding, so as to enable the young people a chance to elevate themselves and avoid being used by politicians for political expediency

Roads Update: Alpes Road to be rehabilitated

Following an outcry by local residents over the dilapidated state of Alpes Road, Harare North residents held a stakeholders meeting with ZINARA representatives. It was noted that ZINARA will rehabilitate a 5km stretch from The Chase juncture all the way down Alpes Road to the Agriculture Research Centre adjacent to Hatcliffe Extension.

The residents agreed to in the meantime to mobilise resources and rubble fill up potholes all the way to Mickey Joe Shops and further down to the Stamps Farm, as a stop gap measure.

Meanwhile the Councillor for Ward 42 Mr E.Ruzani has been pushing for water,waste management and refuse collection from the City of Harare,with the help of Ms Sharon Hook of the Waste Management Department from Miracle Missions. All this work has been done without receiving the Community Deelopment Fund (CDF) from Parliament.

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We are excited to be launching a weekly newsletter Harare North News which gives the residents of Harare North Constituency a platform to share their views and opinions as well as hold their elected officials to account.

This newsletter will report community development issues in a non partisan manner and hope to make the voice of the residents heard by the duty bearers.

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Meet Ward 42 Councillor Mr Elvis Ruzani

Councillor Elvis Ruzani was born on the 5th of June 1985 and attended Rest Haven Primary School, then went to Hatcliffe High and later transferred to Cranborne Boys High. He studied for a Degree in Telecoms and Electronics and is currently doing a Diploma in Law with UNISA.

Ruzani loves working and promoting young people to gain confidence and achieve their

goals. Having volunteered with community based organisations such as YASD that promote youth development through sport, Elvis hope to work closely with young people in the ward. He loves to eat sadza and chicken with vegetables

If you have any burning questions for Councillor Ruzani, do not hesitate to contact him on WhatsApp : +263 774 746 925



Clr Elvis Ruzani

Typhoid scare in Ward 18

By Citizen Reporter

There was a typhoid outbreak scare in Masawi Ward 18 which is under councillor Ian Makoni, the Hon Member of Parliament for Harare North rushed there to provide safe drinking water, assist in isolating and hospitalization of the affected people so as to curtail the spreading of the disease.

The typhoid scare at the community in the neighbourhood of the Shamva Road Tollgate was contained and there was no danger of loss of life even though 6 people were admitted in hospital.

City of Harare department of health were simply fabulous from the moment they were advised of the outbreak in the settlement.

The source of infection was suspected to be either the borehole or the Blair toilets that have been over used. This is under investigation and results of analysis should be out soon.

The attempt to remove the waste in the toilets failed as they have caked up. The waste disposal service team ended up using HTH to sterilize and will do so again every few days until

alternative toilets are installed.

There is need for strategic partnerships to construct new toilets in the community. Dr Chonzi, the City Director of Health, kindly offered to pursue MSF and other partners who may be interested in doing such a project.

The borehole was chlorinated and sealed off for a 24 hour period. Until then the residents were issued water. Thanks to MP Markham for mobilizing support in the form of drinking water for the 52 families affected.



*Hon A Markham visiting the borehole which is believed to be contaminated (L).
Community Health workers addressing the Ward 18 residents (R)*