



**Message of Support Cllr Ayanda Ndlovu on the occasion
of the Handover of R30 000 Sponsorship to Sawpits
Primary School**

**12 October 2016 – 09h00
Sawpits Primary School - KwaMakhutha**

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- Programme Director,
 - KwaZulu-Natal Treasury Department HOD, Mr Simiso Magagula,
 - Santam Niche Manager, Ms Pamela Ramagaga,
 - Principal of Sawpits Primary School,
 - Members of the School Management Team,
 - Members of the School Governing Body,
 - Stakeholders and partners,
 - Speakers in different topics,
 - Educators and learners,
 - Distinguished guests and dignitaries,
 - Ladies and gentlemen,
 - All protocol observed,

Sanibonani!

It is with great pleasure that I join you to celebrate this occasion on behalf of eThekweni Mayor, Her Worship Cllr Zandile Gumede.

Ladies and gentlemen, let me begin my address by expressing my sincere gratitude to Santam for the sponsorship. Also, thank you to the KwaZulu-Natal Treasury for facilitating this sponsorship which will ensure that this school enjoys a good supply of water.

EThekweni Municipality welcomes and supports this public-private partnership because it puts the wellbeing of our children first.

Ladies and gentlemen, education is a societal issue. This means that all of us, whether public or private sector, have a role to play in building the future.

That future can only be solid and sustainable if all sectors join hands and work together in achieving one vision. That vision is investing in education to mould our future leaders of tomorrow. This is a task that government cannot achieve alone.

Today's occasion also highlights the importance of public-private partnerships. As government, we would like to strengthen the co-operation with Santam so that we continue to transform our communities.

Thank you!