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JRA Regional Mandela Day Engagements Boost Service Delivery

Annually, citizens across South Africa and globally celebrate the birth of Nelson Mandela on 18 July, by giving 67 minutes of their time to acknowledge his sacrifice and commitment to South Africa's liberation from the apartheid struggle. Organisations nationally mobilise to commit 67 minutes and more towards various social responsibility engagements to aid the disadvantaged.

In 2017, Johannesburg Roads Agency's (JRA) regional depots will embark on various activities within their respective environments to boost service delivery. Activities will range from donations to activities that improve the living conditions within the region.

Listed below are the activities per region.

Region and Venue	Mandela Day Engagement
Region A Allanridge Secondary & Primary, Tsosoloso, Kaalfontein and Umqele Secondary Schools	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Allanridge Secondary & Primary: clear silt, copy painting of stop signs, humps and pedestrian blocks. Tsosoloso and Kaalfontein Secondary: copy painting of stop signs, humps and pedestrian blocks and re-erect signs. Umqele Secondary: construct new speed humps, clear silt, erect speed hump, signs and carry out new road marking.
Road Surfacing Department, Region B & Region F Maintenance Team: Vrede Dorp	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tar Patching, skoffelling, cleaning of KI's and deep patching of service roads on Stilte Road.
Region C: Sagewood Road in Braamfischerville in Soweto	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Painting of local nursery school classrooms and establishing a shaded play area.

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<p>Region D:</p> <p>Sizwele School for the Deaf on Jonas Moabi Street at Dobsonville</p> <p>Taupedi School for the Disabled on Hlaphi Street at Tladi.</p> <p>Adelaide Thambo School for the Physically Challenged on Diokane Street at White City Jabavu in Ward 35</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sizwele School: Paint pedestrian crossing, 8 parking bays for teacher and visitors and erect three stop signs. • Taupedi School: Grading of the school grounds • Adelaid Thambo School: Construction of the pathway for wheelchair users, repairing existing concrete footway and painting of 10 parking bays for teachers and visitors
<p>Region E:</p> <p>Norwood Depot – Bomboni Shelter For Abused Women 3710 Corner of Andrew Radebe and Martin Mabitsela Street, Extension 8</p> <p>Zandfontein Depot - Itlokomeleng Old Age Home in Section 2 in Alexandra. 141 on 8th Avenue between Josias Madzunga and 7th Avenue.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bomboni Shelter: Repair 40m2 of paving and road marking on parking bay • Itlokomeleng Old Age Home: Road marking on parking bay, pedestrian crossing, repair of subsided paved drive way, repair stormwater structure and clear stormwater pipes that leads into the Nobuhle Mens Hostel.
<p>Region G: Villa of Hope Children's Home in Nancefield</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Patch work, repair of speed humps and skoffelling.

About the Johannesburg Roads Agency (JRA)

The JRA is a City-owned agency responsible for the maintenance, repair and development of Johannesburg's road network and storm water infrastructure, including bridges and culverts, traffic lights and signage. The organisation is committed to providing quality roads that are accessible, safe and liveable for our communities.

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