



# DMISA EXCO AND COUNCIL ANNOUNCED FOR 2018 TO 2020

The Disaster Management Institute of Southern Africa (DMISA) announced its office bearers for 2018 to 2020 at a special council meeting held on 21 September 2018 at the Kopanong Hotel and Conference Centre situated in Benoni in the Gauteng Province. The special council meeting was followed by DMISA's 2018 annual general meeting (AGM). A moment of silence was observed in silent reflection of the lives lost during the past year's disasters. Also noted was the passing of South African Weather Service (SAWS) stalwart and chief forecaster, Dr Eugene Poolman. On a lighter note, congratulations were extended to Erika Swart, who has been appointed as head

of centre for the Ekurhuleni Disaster Management Centre.

**DMISA office bearers for 2018 to 2020**

Mr Mduzuzi Lancelot Nxumalo takes over as president of DMISA from Mr Bafana Mazibuko and Mr Owen Becker was elected deputy president. Mr Pat Adams was re-elected as chairperson of the DMISA Executive Committee (EXCO).

**EXCO for the period 2018 to 2020**

President: Mr M Nxumalo  
Deputy-president: Mr OH Becker  
Immediate past president: Mr BA Mazibuko  
Chairperson: executive committee: Mr P Adams

Additional members: Dr JA Minnie, Ms ESM Tsebe and Ms L Mosotho.

**DMISA Council for 2018 to 2020**

Mr M Nxumalo, Mr OH Becker, Mr BA Mazibuko, Mr P Adams, Dr JA Minnie, Ms ESM Tsebe, Ms L Mosotho, Ms N Solomons, Ms BF Swart, Mr TE Motlale, Mr O Kgole, Ms T Moumakwa, Mr T Khupari Dr J Belle, Ms M Machogo, Ms J-M Strauss, Mr N Rylands, Mr B Ntsebesha, Ms M Gwala, Dr M Reddy, Mr SW Carstens, Mr G Otto and Ms A Bruwer.

Congratulations on those serving for the next two-year period. May the Institute go from strength to strength 🇿🇦



Mr Bafana Mazibuko handing over the presidential chain to Mr Mduzuzi Nxumalo



Mr Mduzuzi Nxumalo, president and Mr Owen Becker, vice president



# TWO GOLD COMMENDATIONS

## AWARDED AT DMISA'S ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Two Gold Commendations were awarded at DMISA's annual conference held in Ekurhuleni in 2018. The Gold Commendations were handed over by the chairperson of the DMISA Executive Committee (EXCO), Mr Pat Adams to outgoing president, Mr Bafana Mazibuko and deputy president, Mr Mduduzi Nxumalo.

### Mr Bafana A Mazibuko

- In commendation of his outstanding service to the disaster management profession and the Institute and in promoting disaster risk reduction in southern Africa
- For his undivided upholding and promoting of the objectives of the Institute
- His unselfish consideration and caring for the wellbeing of his colleagues
- And for the exemplary manner in which he is serving his term as president.

### Mr Mduduzi L Nxumalo

- In commendation of his outstanding service to the disaster management



Mr Pat Adams handing over the Gold Commendations to Mr Bafana Mazibuko and Mr Mduduzi Nxumalo

- profession and the Institute and in promoting disaster risk reduction in southern Africa
- For his undivided upholding and promoting of the objectives of the Institute
- In recognition of his diligent and unwavering contribution to the

- success of conferences
- And for the exemplary manner in which he is serving his term as deputy-president.

Congratulations to Mr Bafana A Mazibuko and Mr Mduduzi L Nxumalo for their remarkable achievement! 🇿🇦



Mr Pat Adams was re-elected as chairperson of EXCO



Mr Bafana Mazibuko, Mr Pat Adams, Mr Mduduzi Nxumalo and Mr Owen Becker



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