



MEDIA ALERT

URGENT ROAD CLOSURE

BRIDGE COLLAPSE ON P177

29 December 2025

Location: P177, [Between R33 and N17, Carolina to Chrissiesmeer]

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

ATTENTION: All Media Houses

A significant structural failure has occurred on the P177, where a bridge has collapsed, leading to an urgent road closure in both directions. This incident poses serious safety risks, and local authorities are on-site to assess the situation and provide necessary emergency services.

Key Details:

- Nature of Incident: Bridge Collapse
- Affected Area: P177, [Between R33 and N17, Carolina to Chrissiesmeer]
- Road Closure: Immediate closure in both directions; please avoid the area.
- Public Safety: Motorists are advised to stay clear of the area until further notice.

Alternate Routes:

[All road users are advised to use the Carolina / Breyten road to Chrissiesmeer until advised accordingly.

Updates:.

The MEC for Public Works, Roads and Transport Mr Thulasizwe Thomo together with the team of Engineers will visit the site on the 30th of December 2024 at 14h00.

Ends.

For more information please contact Mr Bongani Dhlamini on 0792936515