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EAST AND WEST HESLERTON COMMUNITY CELEBRATES SUCCESSFUL LAND CLAIM SETTLEMENT

On Monday 12 September 2016, the KwaZulu-Natal Department of Agriculture and Rural Development together with the Commission of Restitution of Land Rights, officially handed over financial compensation to the community of East and West Heselton in Osizweni, Newcastle.

Over R28 million was paid out to 254 families who were dispossessed of their homes and land.

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MEC Themba Mthembu together with Amajuba District Municipality Mayor Clrr Musa Ngubane and KZN MPL Mrs Phumzile Cele handing over a voucher to Mrs Sbongile Mashaba

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