

110%GREEN team prove that cycling is the transport solution for the future



The Premier of the Western Cape, Helen Zille kicked off the second instalment of the Better Together Cycle Tour on Saturday, 27 October 2012. This time the cyclists made their way through the Overberg and Cape Wineland regions which included Villiersdorp, Rawsonville, Bonnievale, Ashton, Robertson and finally Worcester.

The 110%GREEN Better Together Cycle Tour coincided with National Transport month and was aimed at encouraging citizens to use alternative transport options which would help lower carbon emissions and lead us to a more carbon neutral environment. The Premier's cycling team was made up of most Provincial Cabinet members and they were joined by fellow cycling enthusiasts such as the Bicycle Empowerment Network (BEN), the Cycle Tour Trust, Cycling SA as well as Western Cape Government employees who work on the Shova Kalula project, Safely Home, EMS and the 110%GREEN campaign.

The team handed over numerous bicycles to schools and neighbourhood watches as well as engaging with local businesses about the importance of helping to establish the Western Cape Province as the Green Economic Hub of South Africa.

In order for the Western Cape to grow the 110%GREEN campaign, we need to encourage everyone we know to support the campaign by visiting the Facebook fanpage or by tweeting and using the hashtag #110Green. The interactive Facebook fanpage allows for individuals, flagship projects and businesses to network and post how they are making a positive contribution by pledging to **COMMIT** to going green, to **ACT** on ways and means to live in a sustainable way and to make an **IMPACT** on our economic growth and ultimately to develop a more sustainable future for the Western Cape. Help build awareness about the 110%GREEN campaign and let us work together to build a flourishing green economy. Visit: www.facebook.com/110%Green.

Bringing the Newest and Greenest technologies to you

The 2Wise2Waste team of the Department of Environmental Affairs and Development Planning invites you to this year's exciting **Resource Efficiency exhibition**.

This year's theme is 'Buy Green' and the exhibition will showcase environmentally friendly, resource efficient products along with the latest green technologies. Come and visit the exhibition and join us as we all make the change to go green.

DATE : Thursday, 22 November 2012

TIME : 9:00 till 14:30

VENUE: Department of Transport and Public Works, 9 Dorp Street, Cape Town.



Please contact us if you wish to share your green living story. E-mail us at Better.Together@westerncape.gov.za