

**GISSA MPUMALANGA
MEMBER'S MEETING & AGM
16 March 2011**

The Geo-Information Society of South Africa (GISSA) Mpumalanga Region will be holding the first Members Meeting, together with the Annual General Meeting (AGM) of 2011 on 16 March 2011 in Nelspruit.

The goal of GISSA Mpumalanga is to have members actively involved in our region, to share information on the fast expanding GIS technology and new ventures for the future in our various fields according to our members' needs. This is an opportunity for members to present on their projects and companies activities within Mpumalanga.

Regional feedback regarding activities and finances of GISSA Mpumalanga will be given to members during the AGM. Members will also have to opportunity to elect new committee members for 2011.

All members, interested individuals and groups are very welcome to this exciting meeting. Each year we focus on a variety of themes and seeing that the GIS field is so diverse and ever-changing our theme for this meeting is:

“Geo-sustainable development for Mpumalanga”

The **Venue** and **Program** details are as follows:

Venue:	Ehlanzeni District Municipality, Disaster Management Centre Room 10, Nelspruit
Date & Time:	16 March 2011 at 9:00 for 9:30
Target Group:	Geo-information professionals, GIS Service/Solution providers, GIS Software Vendors, GIS Special Interest Groups, NGOs, Government Organisations, and everyone with an interest in Geo-information usage.
Time	Presenters
9:00 – 9:30	Registration and tea
9:30 – 9:40	Welcome (Francois Koegelenberg – GISSA Mpumalanga Chairperson)
9:40 – 10:40	Lightning Talks (5 min presentations)
10:40 – 11:00	GISSA Mpumalanga feedback on 2010 and election of new GISSA Mpumalanga Committee (Francois Koegelenberg – GISSA Mpumalanga Chairperson)
11:00 – 11:30	TEA
11:30 – 12:30	Subdivision of agricultural land & Municipal SDF – Jan Venter (DARDLA) Using Open-Technologies to power a Web GIS for the Mpumalanga Department of Public Works, Roads & Transport – Glenn Mullet (Lidwala) Mapping agriculture in Mpumalanga – Francois Koegelenberg (DARDLA)
12:30+	LUNCH
Fee:	R50 for Teas & Lunch (Free for Paid up GISSA members)

Please confirm your attendance via email (mpumalanga@gissa.org.za) or fax to 086 615 7224 by **14 March 2011**