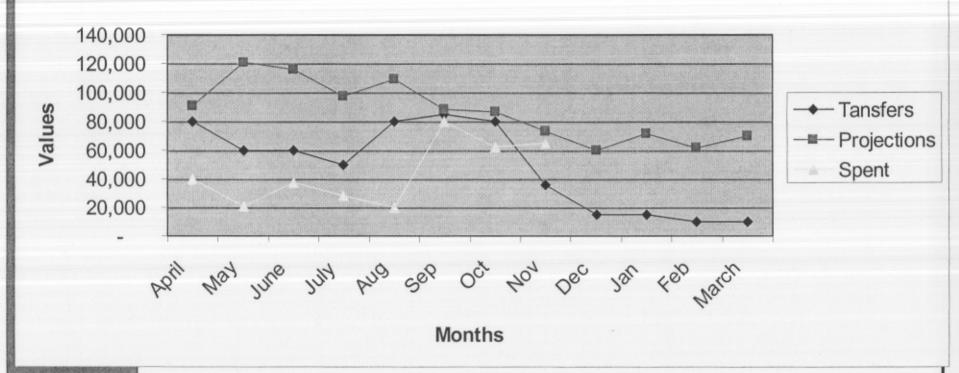
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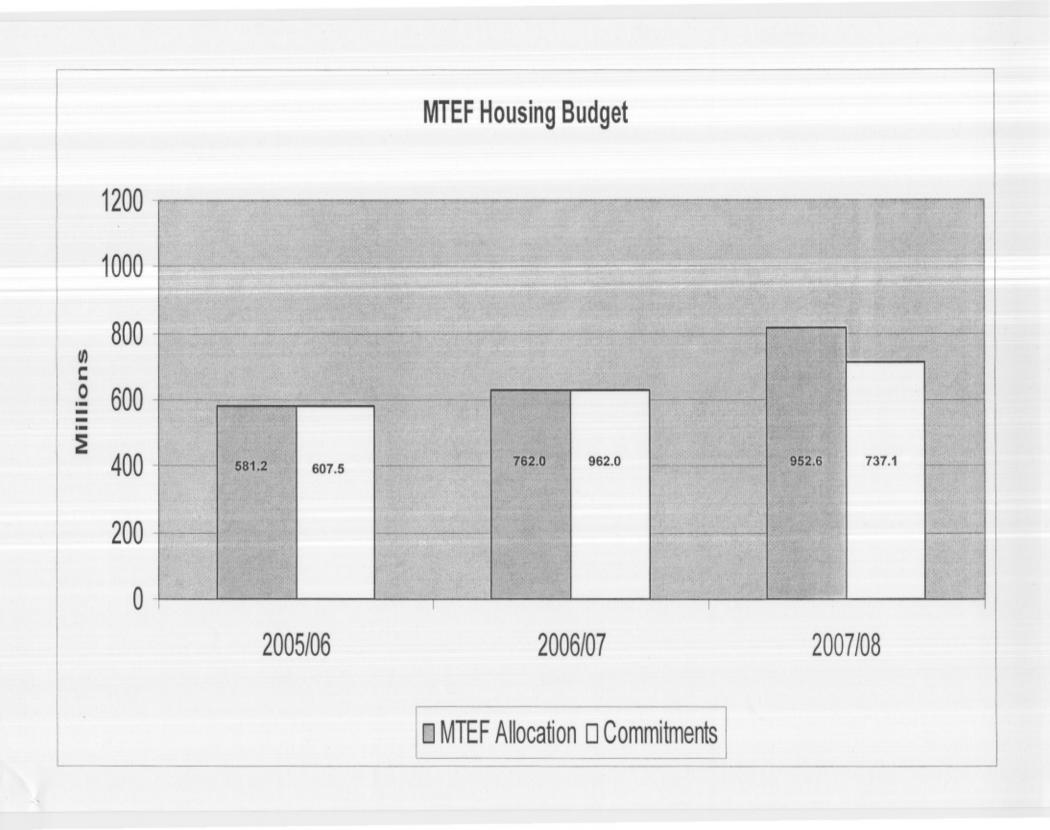


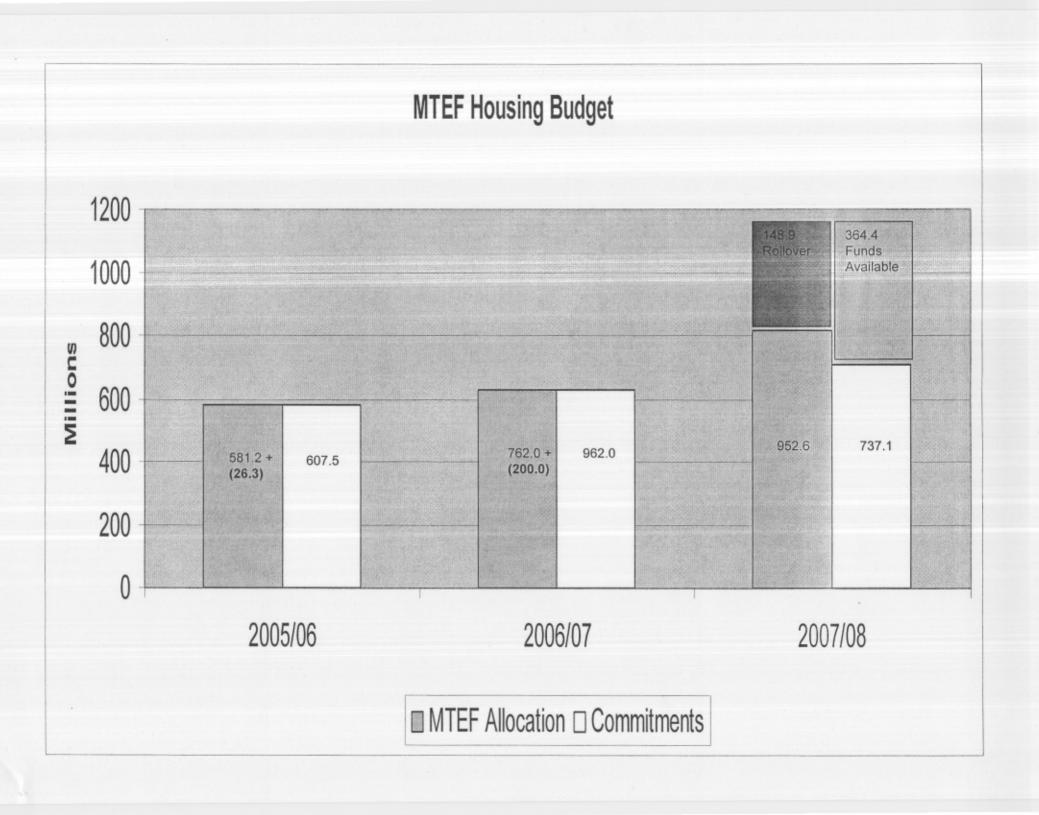
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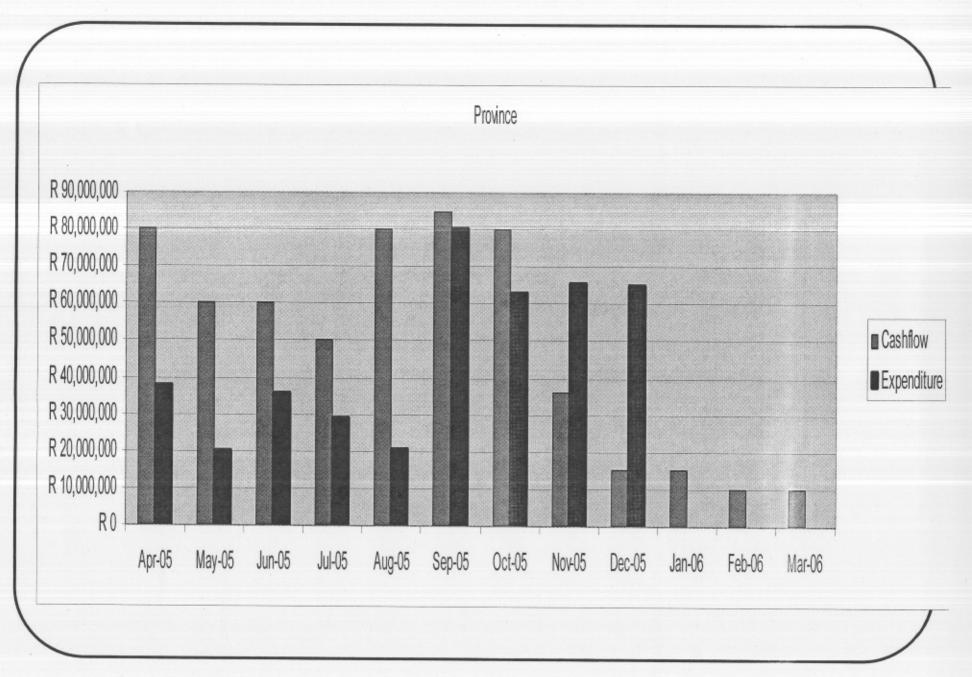
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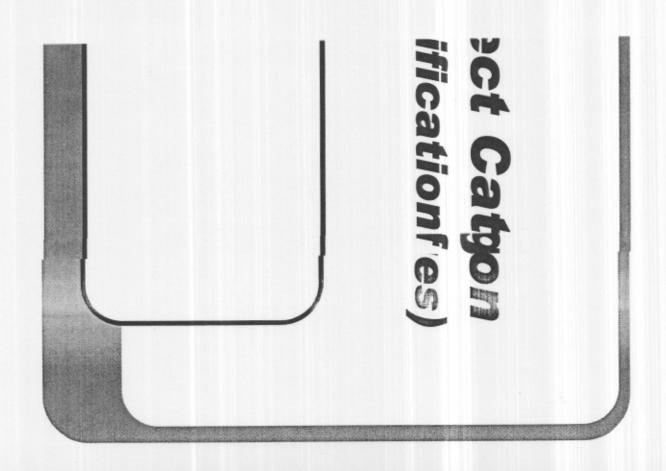


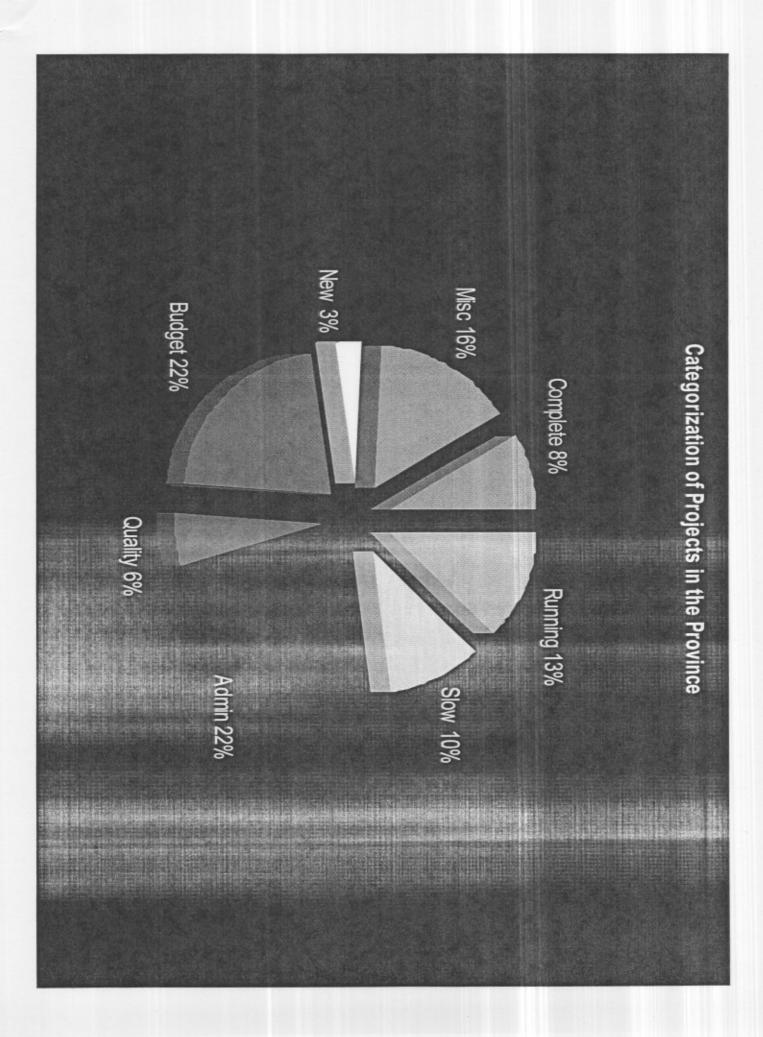


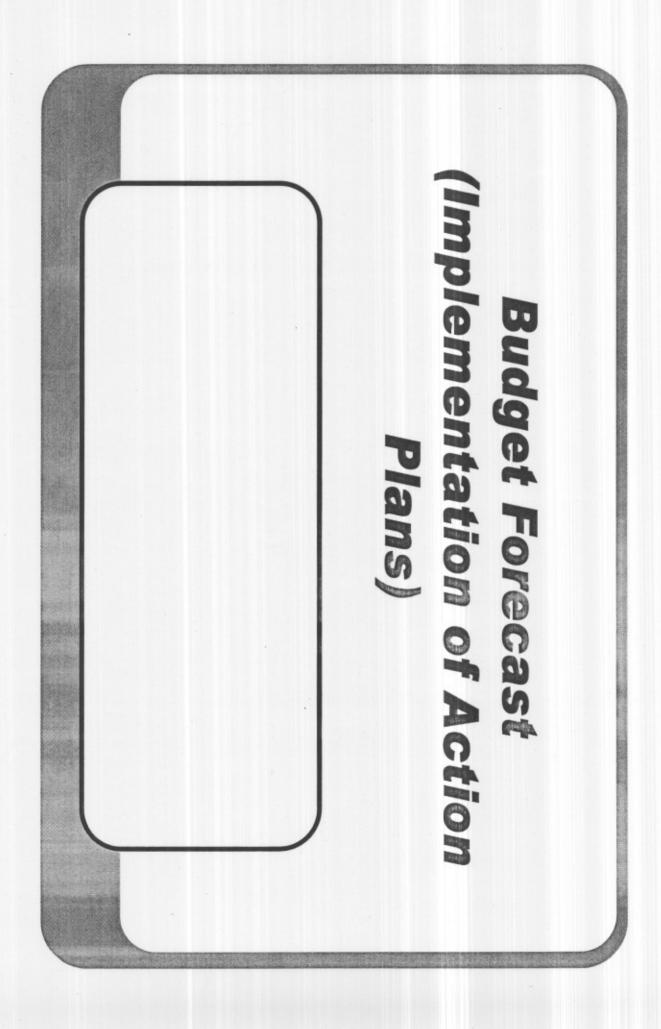


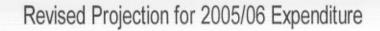


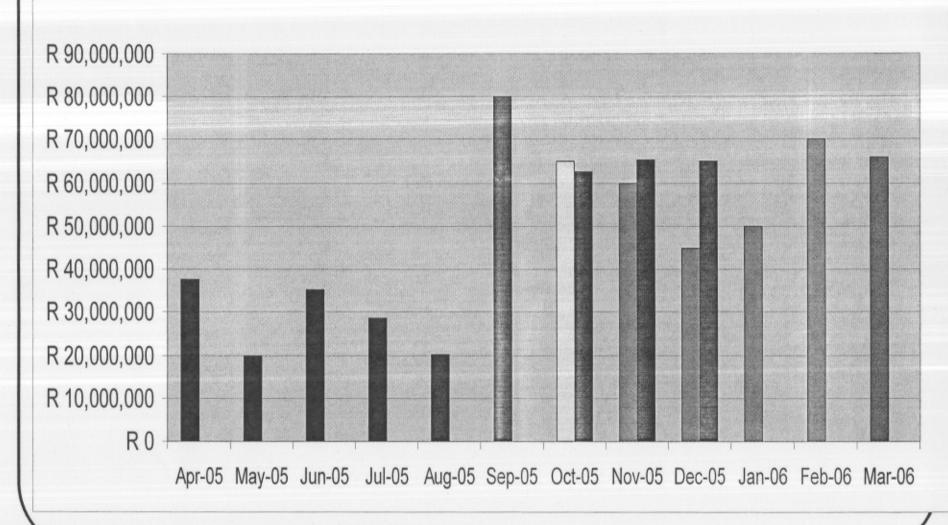












COMMUNICATION

- MuniMEC
- Housing Outreach Programme
- Housing Support Teams
- Pressure Points one-on-one visits to municipalities
- Departmental Project Managers working closely with municipalities
- Joint meeting with National and Municipalities
- Ongoing Workshops with municipalities
- Joint meeting scheduled with municipalities participating in BNG Pilot Programme
- Consumer Education

- Policy Communiqué compiled and circulated to all stakeholders in housing.
- Provincial policies developed and approved for implementation on unblocking of blocked projects, and collapsing of subsidy bands
- Approval of submission by National Housing on Kei Rail project for beneficiaries not qualifying for housing subsidies.
- Approval of blocked projects by TET and MEC to meet projected expenditure.

- Upgrading of Informal Settlements: Nelson Mandela Metro Municipality-Soweto-on-Sea:
 - Advanced progress w.r.t. to developing the destination area for dedensification/relocation. An amount of ± R20m has been spent to date
 - Initial feasibility study conducted
 - Co-operative agreement to be signed between three spheres of Government during February 2006
- Upgrading of Informal Settlements: Buffalo City-Duncan Village
 - Interim Business Plan approved.
 - De-densification/Relocation process has commenced. A total number of 500 houses are at various stages of completion at Reeston.
 - A total number of 142 families have since be relocated to Reeston
- Upgrading of Informal Settlements: ADM- Mbashe Municipality-Elliotdale
 - Project identified as a Rural Pilot Project (Only one of two identified in South Africa)
 - Interim Business Plan to be finalised during February 2006.

- Capacity Building Programmes for Clientele held i.e.
 - Consumer Education Workshop
 - Emerging Contractor Workshop
- Measures to address Quality Problems taken i.e. At Gariep Municipality; meetings have been held with municipality and developers where developers were thereafter written and given an ultimatum of rectifying shoddy work or face the law

- The same brief was extended to Elundini Municipality
- Outreach programme with pressure point areas i.e. OR Tambo District Municipality and KSD Local Municipality

- Expenditure to-date: 72,5% (± R422m out of R581m allocated + R26m which is a rollover funding)
- Appointment of 18 Project Managers,
 24 Clerks of Works, Local
 Government Consultants and Interns

CHALLENGES

- INVESTIGATIONS
- UNFUNDED PRIORITIES
 - EMERGENCY HOUSING (R 180m)
 - RECTIFICATION PROGRAMME
 - BLOCKED PROJECTS (R182m)
 - NEW APPLICATIONS (R 2,3bn)

