

Subtrop Transformation Summit
19 June 2019, Ingwenyama Sports and Conference Resort, White River

PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME

Registration fees (VAT incl.): _ Subtrop Association Members: R230; Non-members: R290

08:00 **Registration**

09:00 **Opening and welcome**

Subtrop Chairman. Kosie Eloff

Session 1

Opening Address

LS Monareng, HOD, Mpumalanga DARDLEA

Outlook: Shaping the food system to deliver jobs

Speaker TBA

Blended financing for agriculture

Elder Mtshiza, DAFF

Tea Break

Session 2

Practical insights on successful mentorship

Ernest Mukhawane, Elohim Farm

Successful smallholder farmer study groups

Namadsavho Sikhapha, Limpopo DARD

Greening Mpumalanga with Fruit Trees

Dr Maanda Dagada, Mpumalanga DARDLEA

Discussion panel

Lunch

Session 3 Chairman

Transformation initiatives in the red meat industry and Agri-SA's role in transformation

Dr Pieter Prinsloo, Agri SA

A profitable large scale avocado enterprise

Speaker TBA

Community / Commercial farmer partnerships

Speaker TBA

Discussion panel

Tea Break

Session 4. Chairman

Hoedspruit Hub- training and development for a better future

Speaker to TBA

Systems and support for sustainable smallholder production

Speaker to TBA

Discussion panel

17:00 **Closure**

18:00 **Dinner**
