

Mokgadi Mpya



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Mokgadi Mpya is a 29-year-old entrepreneur and young farmer from Bochum Dilaeneng, Limpopo. She is the founder of **Ditlou M Investments**, a farm dedicated to plant and poultry production, producing fresh, high-quality vegetables such as spinach, beetroot, onions, and tomatoes, alongside poultry.

Mokgadi serves street vendors, tuck shops, households, and events, ensuring her community has access to nutritious and affordable food.

Mokgadi's passion for agriculture was inspired by her mother, a celebrated farmer recognised multiple times by the Department of Agriculture. Trained in plant and poultry production through AgriSETA, Mokgadi has built her farm from the ground up, starting with small batches of vegetables and chickens in 2021. Her professional journey combines lessons from hospitality, catering and mechanical engineering, giving her a unique perspective on operational excellence and customer service.

Being part of the **Metropolitan Collective Shapers** programme has equipped her with business knowledge, confidence and discipline to grow sustainably. Mokgadi now approaches every short-term goal as a step toward her long-term vision: building a model farm that empowers young farmers, inspires her community and leaves a legacy of innovation, sustainability and excellence.

Outside of farming, Mokgadi expresses her creativity through writing song lyrics, a personal outlet that reflects her passion and perseverance. Her guiding mantra is: "True success grows where passion and perseverance meet."

Ditlou M Investments is more than a farm. It's a family legacy, a community partner and a platform for inspiring young people to pursue agriculture and sustainable growth.

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