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## Media Statement

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### **City of Johannesburg and Lions Rugby Union team up to elevate Greater Emirates Park Precinct for exciting sporting events**

The City of Johannesburg, in partnership with the Lions Rugby Union, stadium management, and key stakeholders, are joining forces to revamp the Greater Emirates Park precinct ahead of upcoming sporting spectacles.

This collaborative effort underscores a shared commitment to urban revitalisation and aesthetic enhancements, aimed at creating an inviting atmosphere for residents and visitors alike.

The forthcoming Netball Super League and the highly anticipated Rugby Match between the Springboks and the All Blacks are shining examples of the city's dedication to hosting top-tier events that not only celebrate sportsmanship but also drive positive economic growth. By placing a premium on smooth traffic flow and a pristine environment in the precinct, the City of Johannesburg is laying the groundwork for a seamless and unforgettable experience for all attendees.

The proactive measures taken during the recent site inspection and the meticulous planning for the upcoming events underscore the city's unwavering pursuit of excellence and its reputation as a premier hub for sporting activities. Through close collaboration with stakeholders and tapping into the expertise of stadium management, the City of Johannesburg is primed to deliver a memorable and world-class event for all participants.

This press release serves as a testament to the city's passion and steadfast commitment to hosting exceptional sporting events at Greater Emirates Park, solidifying its standing as a leading sports destination. Regular updates will be shared with the public on various interventions undertaken at the precinct.

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