





#### Rt. Hon, Sheriff F.O Oborevwori

**Chief Benjamin Elue** 

# **Oborevwori has shocked Deltans through project delivery - Elue, ex-Deputy Gov**

#### By Felix Ofou and Norbert Chiazor

Former deputy governor in the Chief James Ibori administration, Chief Benjamin Elue, has described the governor of Delta State, Rt. Hon. Sheriff Oborevwori, as a broadminded administrator who governs beyond tribal or cultural boundaries. Chief Elue, a major Anioma political leader who spoke in an interview with **DELTA REVEALED** at his Obior country home in Aniocha North Local Government Area said Governor Oborevwori has fostered unity among the different ethnic groups in the state through inclusive leadership. He noted that the governor's one year in office was characterized by consultations with critical stakeholders in the affairs of the state, while ensuring equitable distribution of development projects.

The former deputy governor emphasized that Oborevwori's actions as governor were inclined to promoting social harmony in the state, giving all the constituent units and nationalities a sense of belonging and oneness.

"His Excellency, Rt. Hon. Sheriff Oborevwori's footsteps are noteworthy. So far, he has governed with the interests of all Deltans at heart. He has not left any section behind. "We need peace and unity in our state. The governor acknowledges that Delta is diverse. But more importantly, he recognises that the people are one. "Oborevwori also has humility in him. I remember during his recent thanksgiving at Asaba, he personally stood with bowl in his hand to receive



church offerings.That was humbling. He didn't feel too big as governor. By my close watch of his activities, generally, he is a respectful administrator. A good leader is a humble leader.

"I encourage him to remain focused and dedicated in the service of Deltans. The people across the state desire development in all facets of life. The task before him is enormous. But we are confident that he has all it takes to succeed. "As Speaker of the State House of Assembly, he brought stability and progress where most of his predecessors could not hold the legislature together. He is doing well as governor. He must continue with such firmness of resolve and commitment", Elue said.

## Isoko happy with development efforts of Oborevwori - Amadhe

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Oyede PDP pledges support for LGA candidates

The Grand Patron of Isoko Development Union (IDU), High Chief Iduh Amadhe, says the people of Isoko are happy and satisfied with the development efforts of Delta State Governor, Rt. Hon. Sheriff Oborevwori, since he assumed office a year ago. Assessing the performance of Governor Oborevwori, while speaking in an interview with DELTA REVEALED, Chief Amadhe noted that the administration had made visible impact in Isokoland. He said several towns and villages particularly witnessed appreciable infrastructure development in both Isoko North and Isoko South local government areas. According to Chief Amadhe, "Governor Oborevwori has paid due attention to Isoko with the ongoing construction of the Emevor-Orogun road, Isoko Ring Road and rehabilitation of Umeh bridge "We are satisfied with the work on the Isoko section of the Asaba-Ughelli Highway covering many of our communities "Three new faculties - Basic Medical Sciences, Health Science and Pharmacy have been approved by the governor at Delta State University of Science and Technology, Ozoro. The significance of the faculties and inherent courses to the health needs of the people make the governor's gesture worthy of commendation "Recently, the Isoko nation experienced the foundation laying ceremony of the School of Health Technology at Ovrode in Isoko North. This signaled an important development in boosting our health care sector. We are excited because the institution would groom healthcare professionals who are sought after not just in the state but all over the world" Chief Amadhe who is a member of Delta State Elders and Advisory Council said the development initiatives of Governor Oborevwori were not peculiar to Isoko as numerous communities across the state had been impacted positively with social infrastructure . He urged support from all quarters and expressed optimism that the "the governor's development plan as encapsulated in the M.O.R.E Agenda would improve the general well being of Deltans".



#### High Chief Idu Amadhe FG should reduce its 52% share of FAAC to fund rehabilitation of failed federal roads, says Aniagwu

With many federal roads in Delta State and other states in parlous state, Mr. Charles Aniagwu, Commissioner for Works (Rural and Riverine Roads), has called on the Federal Government to reduce the whopping 52 percent allocated to it by the Gederal Accounts Allocation Committee (FAAC). In the alternative, more money should be ploughed to states so they can take over the maintenance and rehabilitation of dilapidated federal roads dotted across the country. Aniagwu made the call during the inspection of federal roads being rehabilitated by the Delta State Government. "We are hoping and pleading with the Federal Government to take proper responsibility of maintaining federal roads because the reason the Federal Government has as much as 52 percent of revenue allocation is because it is reasoned that the Federal Government has lots of responsibilities. "Of course, it is often said that to whom much is given much is also expected. So we do hope that the Federal Government sheds their load and the revenue they take or retain the revenues they take at the same time take responsibility for the reasons that revenues are given in that proportion."

He explained decision to intervene on several Federal Government roads across the state was informed by the desire to enable Deltans and other Nigerians have unfettered access to parts of the state to convey goods and services. He who frowned at the state of federal roads in the state, saying Governor Sheriff Oborevwori was determined to complete the road as an alternative to the failed Umutu/Eku Road, another federal highway. Flanked by the Chief Press Secretary to the Governor, Sir Festus Ahon, and Functioning Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Works (Rural and Riverine Roads), Engr. Solomon Aghagba, he said; "We are intervening to ensure that our people have alternative routes to commuting, pleading with the Federal Government to fastrack the reconstruction of the Agbor-Abraka-Amukpe road. Aniagwu inspected ongoing rehabilitation and reconstruction of the old Umutu-Abraka-Eku road at Abraka in Ethiope East Local Government Area of the state. "Although the road has been awarded by the Federal Government and work has started from the Amukpe end, we just hope that they increase the speed and even though they are not able to dualise completely let them work on one lane so that our people can commute well on that corridor. "We have always intervened on Federal roads. The Ughelli-Asaba Expressway that we are constructing is a federal road but we are building it because it serves our people and it serves Nigerians.

The people of Ovede community in Isoko North Local Government Area have thrown their weight behind the Peoples Democratic party (PDP) ahead of the forthcoming local government elections in the state. They made the declaration when some members of the Labour Party (LP) and Social Democratic Party (SDP) in the area decamped to the PDP. The member representing lsoko constituency in the House of Representatives, Honorable Jonathan Ukodhiko, represented by Pastor Sunday Elueni as well as the member representing Isoko North Constituency in the state House of Assembly, Honorable Bernard Odior, stated this during a stakeholders meeting and sensitization programme held at the Ovede Community Town Hall. They said the massive attendance at the meeting indicated the good support the PDP enjoyed in the community especially during elections asserting that the people had spoken with one voice which resonated throughout Isoko North ahead of the July 13 local government elections. They lauded the people for their support during the 2023 general elections, urging that the support should be replicated in local council

elections as the PDP under Governor Sheriff Oborevwori is poised to do more for Delta through dedicated and focused leadership. The immediate past Chairman of Isoko North Local Government, Deacon Christian Iteire, while commending the people enjoined them to redouble their support for the PDP to ensure that the party had a landslide victory not only in the community but in the state, stressing that the PDP was the party to beat in the local Government elections.

Deacon lteire said that the PDP was committed to making life better for the people, stressing that Governor Oborevwori was ready to take the state to a higher pedestal after surpassing the expectations of many people in his first year in office. They commended the Labour Party and Social Democratic Party decampees for returning to the PDP as the party would accommodate them even as he assured them that they would not be treated differently but would be accorded the same privilege accorded other PDP members. Others who spoke at the occasion include Dr. Paul Owhe as well as Hon. Christian Abeh said the people of Oyede had remained great supporters of the PDP and the turnout was a clear testament of the party's popularity in the area.

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# Escravos deep seaport as game change

In a season of economic gloom orchestrated by Federal **Government's controversial** policies, a bright light is about to illuminate the landscape. **Mercury Maritime Concession** Company, the lead promoter of the \$27.29 billion Escravos Deep Seaport Industrial Complex (ESIC) **Project in Warri, Delta State, has** announced approval and revalidation of the project from the Delta State Government. The final investment decision was taken following the approval by the Delta State Government to lease 31,000 hectares of land at **Escravos, to MMCC, to host the** entire ESIC project. Although the ESIC project commenced in 2019, approval for the lease of the 31,000 hectares by Delta State is a key re

quirement for its continuation.

Another investment hurdle scaled is the review of provisional approval earlier granted in **November 2020 by the Federal Ministry of Transportation to** MMCC, to develop the project and the reviewed ministry's confirmation letter of August 2023. The JVP aims to develop the land into a deep seaport, crude oil refinery, gas complex, free trade zone/industrial park, Independent Power Plant (IPP), airport and nature conservation park, among others. The concession deal is to be increased to 99 years from the initial 50 years for the ESIC project to secure funding from EDIB International Ltd under the Build, **Own, Operate and Transfer** (BOOT).

The project will also include 45km of coastal roads and 150km of rail line that would connect the existing Warri-Ajaokuta-Itape railway and 600km of marine network. Although a similar project is also in the works in Akwa Ibom State, while the Lekki facility is already on stream, experts believe the Escravos Deep Seaport holds a special attraction. Located almost at the equidistant point of Nigeria's 853 km coastline, it offers a viable alternative route for the business community. In effect, business people in the Eastern part of the country will consider it a more logistic and cost effective alternative to Lagos ports. For the rest of the South South, South West and Middle Belt, it will be a welcome option to congested Lagos ports. The pivotal role of **Delta State Government towards** the realisation of the initiative is commendable even if the impact of the project ultimately transcends the state. More importantly, the project will cement the Delta's status as the prime maritime state with existing four albeit grossly under utilised ports in Warri, Burutu, Sapele and Koko. Given **Governor Sheriff Oborevwori's** outlook on infrastructural development, the business community will be confident that the state will provide every requisite support for EDIB **International Limited of Hong Kong** to fast track the ploughing of the huge financial resource required to get the project to fruition. For the teeming Delta youths, it bodes well for the future. Thousands of direct jobs will be generated when it comes on stream with many more indirect jobs on the cards.

# Oborevwori's proactive steps in oil and gas sector

#### By Daniel Bayagbon

Within his first year in office, Governor Sheriff Oborevwori has facilitated programmes and activities aimed at deepening gas utilization. The change in status is exemplified by the following statistics:

\*Delta State is now an active player in the National Gas Expansion initiative \*Crude production has significantly improved because of the relative peace in the state.

\*Youth restiveness has been curbed to the barest minimum.

Employment opportunities have increased in the oil and gas sector. Inclusively, host communities have also witnessed appreciable development with oil companies executing projects as their corporate social responsibility in the various host communities. Remarkably, Delta State has witnessed zero protests or dispute that result to shut down, across the upstream, mid and downstream oil and gas sector. In Oborevwori's one year in office, Delta State won the Ms Nafisa Aliyu Haruna Award for the "Safest and Most Peaceful State for Oil and Gas Investments in Nigeria in 2024" at an award ceremony sponsored by the Federal Ministry of Petroleum Resources, Abuja. Delta State Oil and Gas Ministry, saddled with the responsibility to over sea the ministry, proactively averted an intending shutdown of Otumara Flow Station in OML 43, operated by Shell Petroleum Development Company Ltd in Warri South West Local Government Area of Delta State over Petroleum Industry Act (PIA) fallout which could have cost Delta State 20,000/bpd of its production quota, is one of the many proactive steps taken in the period under review

The Ministry of Oil and Gas has also successfully resolved over 10 years ownership tussle and claim to Well 9-Owhe Field in OML 30, operated by Heritage Operational Services Ltd between Otor-Owhe and Olomoro communities in Isoko South and Isoko North local government areas of the state. The Ministry of Oil and Gas has also successfully brokered a free gas supply arrangement by Heritage Energy Operational Services to the plant for the next two years on completion. Other proactive measures carried out in the industry include the improved stability in the petroleum products' supply chain in Delta State with the swift resolution of a dispute within the Petroleum Tanker Drivers Union (PTD).

The Ministry was also instrumental to the peaceful composition of the PTD (NUPENG) leadership in Delta State. After an unsuccessful entry amidst ownership claim to the area by over seven communities, the Ministry of Oil and Gas has successfully midwifed engagements to allow for the drilling of KURI Well 2 in Kuri Field (Makaraba field area) operated by SHN Energy Ltd which is near completion. Resolution of an over 10-year industrial dispute involving the Udu/Ughelli South and North OML 34 Host Community Workers Association and NPDC ND Western. The swift intervention brought about 100% increase in the salaries and welfare packages for the Host Communities' staff.

The Resolution of OML 26 AMT operated Pipeline Surveillance dispute involving Jeruvie Nig. Ltd./Ozoro Monarch and the Ikpide family of Ozoro kingdom in Isoko North LGA. Resolution of the PIA implementation logjam between Egbema and Chevron Nig. Limited.

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The Ministry facilitated the successful setting up of a Host Community Development Trust (HCDT) to engender peace and harmony between all stakeholders.

In several unsuccessful attempts by PAN OCEAN, the Ministry successfully facilitated the implementation of the PIA and setting up of the HCDT in OML 147 cluster operated by PAN OCEAN Nig. Ltd: This is to mention but a few of Governor Sheriff's Stewardship in the oil and gas sector in Delta State. Governor Sheriff Oborevwori has thus far raised the bar in the oil and gas sector in Delta State, not only in establishing a peaceful state but reflecting across the country.



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## The divine connection to Oborevwori's odyssey

By Funkekeme Solomon

When Plato, the fifth-century BCE philosopher, made the timeless pronouncement that "the beginning is half of the whole", he may have had Rt. Hon. Sheriff Francis Orohwedor Oborevwori, Governor of Delta State, in mind. Today, many people, especially watchers of politics in the state consider the series of victories recorded at various levels of the courts as a pointer to the fact that there is something unusual that borders on the divine about Oborevwori's political trajectory. But his rise and ability to defeat and overcome all obstacles on his path began long before now. It started with his emergence as Speaker of the Delta State House of Assembly in 2017.

It was a classical case of winning against the run of play. Arrayed against him were not just his rivals but the numerous political heavyweights aligned with his rivals. To the consternation of all and against all permutations, Oborevwori prevailed on May 11, 2017, after the then Speaker, Rt. Hon. Monday Igbuya, was impeached.

The victory at the House of Assembly was more remarkable than what lav ahead for him. As a first termer, Oborevwori never reckoned with becoming Speaker of the House. However, his intrinsic gualities became manifest when the mantle of leadership fell on him. He is a man with exceptional leadership qualities and strong character without the elements of greed, corruption and selfishness. His innate inclination to operate an open-door policy, transparent, responsible and accountable leadership endeared him to many.



**Rt. Hon Funkekeme Solomon** 

It was no surprise when the entire House unanimously re-elected him Speaker, a development that remains unprecedented in Delta. But it was not entirely a surprise. The transparency he demonstrated in leadership created a harmonious relationship in the House as members and staff saw themselves as equal stakeholders in the task to make the legislature take its pride of place among the three arms of government while promoting peace, harmony and synergy between the Legislature and other arms. When Oborevwori eventually came in contact with our father in the Lord, Papa David Oyedepo, he received the prophetic declaration that despite the travails that will come his way, God has anointed him to become the governor of Delta State. At that time only the spiritually discerning could read the handwriting on the wall. To me, his emergence as Speaker was more meaningful. One of the few to read the divine script was Senator Dr. Ifeanyi Arthur Okowa,

then governor of Delta State and himself a child of grace. And he then promptly threw his hat into Oborevwori's corner of the ring. When Bishop Oyedepo made his prophetic declarations on Oborevwori, he made it clear that the path to the manifestation of his prophesy is strewn with thorns and numerous obstacles. As so it turned out to be, even beyond any other person seeking election into public office had ever had to go through. The tribulations came mainly by way of judicial harassment and outright lies about his credentials. From the pre-primaries litigations through screening by the Independent National Electoral Commission (INEC) through the election and even after, Oborevwori has had to contend with legions of litigations that always ended at the apex court - the Supreme Court. The outcome was always the same victory for Oborevwori. After repeated failed bids to undo him, his rivals failed to realise the divine imprimatur in Oborevwori's trajectory. In his attitude, he defies conventions, in his series of victories at the polls and the courts, he defies logic. After about 19 years of serving in several key government positions beginning in 1996 as a councillor in 1996, Oborevwori was made to fit the bill of the leader Delta State wants at this time.

In 2015 when he came to the Delta State House of Assembly as a rookie lawmaker, nobody could have imagined that just two years later, he would be elected Speaker of the House reputed to be one of the most vibrant in the country. From that point, it was like Deltans had found pure gold and propelled him way beyond his dreams.



## Chiazor thanks Oborevwori, PDP for nominating Idumuje indigene as Aniocha North Vice Chair

The Executive Assistant to Delta State Governor on Media and former chairman, Nigeria Union of Journalists (NUJ) Delta State council, Comrade Norbert Chiazor, has expressed gratitude to Governor Sheriff Oborevwori and the People's Democratic Party (PDP) for the nomination of an Idumuje Unor indigene, Lady Nneka Dibie, as Aniocha North Vice chairmanship candidate in the July 13 local government elections. Comrade Chiazor gave the commendation while addressing members of the press at the PDP campaign rally, where Idumuje community trooped out for their daughter,

### Aniocha South inaugurates campaign council

Adopting the theme "Victory is Assured", Hon. Paschal Adigwe and Chief Nath Igbadi have been unveiled as Chairman and Director-General respectively as Aniocha South PDP last week inaugurated its campaign Council ahead of the July 13, 2024 local government elections in Ogwashi-Uku. In his welcome address, the PDP Aniocha South LGA chairman, Prince Mike Okwufulueze, urged all party faithful to work assiduously for totally victory of the party. Mr Okwufulueze presented the incoming chairman, Pastor Jude Chukwunwike and his running mate, Miss Patricia Adolue.

Also speaking leader of the PDP in Aniocha South, High Chief Chris Agbobu, said the gatherin of all stakeholders in the party shows a comprehensive victory awaits. He therefore encouraged all and sundry to feel absolutely free to contribute positively in achieving the expected collective victory of the Peoples Democratic Party, PDP. The Chairman and Director General of the campaign council,

Lady Dibie and Hon. Emma Chinye, Aniocha North chairmanship candidate. He also noted the foresight and magnanimity of Governor Oborevwori in supporting women across the state to contest strategic offices in the local government elections, scheduled for July 13 ,2024. Chiazor assured that Idumuje-Unor community would give 100 percent votes to the PDP in the LG polls. He noted that Idumuje clan comprising Idumuje Unor, Idumuje Ugboko and Aniofu had consistently supported PDP in all democratic elections since 1999. Chiazor who had been in the vanguard to assert and consolidate the strength of the PDP in the community,

Hon. Paschal Adigwe and Chief. Nath Igbadi were also unveiled. They pledged to put in their very best for the optimum and overall success of the party. Hon. Isaac Anwuzia, the member representing Aniocha South in the Delta State House of Assembly and the General Adviser of the council pledged to have a very brilliant outing once again in the polls. The same opinion was echoed by the Hon. Joan Onyemaechi, the LGA mother figure popularly called Ada Anioma.

From one Leader to the other, the popular refrain was "Victory is Assured."

An elated Hon. Pastor Jude Chukwunwike could not hide his profound gratitude to the Almighty God and to the entire audience within the arena and beyond. He promised that "I and my team are challenged by the massive support of all our people across the three clans and I promise to do more for the betterment of the entire people of Aniocha South as a whole." said the party had eminently recognized Idumuje with a vibrant Councillorship candidate, Nnamdi Okonkwo, and a disciplined vice chairmanship candidate in Nneka Dibie.

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Chiazor (Centre), Flanked byChinye PDP Aniocha North Chairmanship candidate and Vice - Chairmanship candidate,

#### **Palliatives distribution enters 3rd phase** By Ghene Igbogidi

The third phase of the distribution of palliatives to local government areas across Delta State has reached areas not covered by the earlier phases of the exercise. Olorogun Jaro Egbo KSC, State Coordinator, Delta State Palliative Distribution Committee and PDP Chairmanship Candidate, Ughelli North Local Government Council in the July 13 council elections, disclosed this while featuring in the current affairs programme, "DELTA TODAY".

He stated that the distribution which commenced last week, is being coordinated effectively and efficiently and that all 25 councils have been covered from the DAPA Warehouse, Ibusa, Oshimili North LGA. Olorogun Jaro said the administration of Governor Sheriff Oborevwori prioritises the welfare, wellness and well-being of its citizens and so the distribution of the Delta State Palliative Grains and others to residents which is aimed at bringing succour to the vulnerable is been handled and coordinated by reputable personalities in all the councils in the state, adding that the exercise is being conducted with adherence to due process, transparency, deligence, commitment, dedication and fairness.

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# Oborevwor meeting the needs of the people, says Okpe monarch

The Orodje of Okpe Kingdom and **Chairman Delta State Traditional Rulers** Council, HRM Maj-Gen Felix Mujakperuo, Orhue I, has said Governor Oborevwori knows the needs of the people and bringing Julius Berger to work in Delta is a 100 percent demonstration that he wants to change the narrative in terms of infrastructure. "Road construction costs a lot of money and it is important to note that with all these roads the governor is doing, he has not borrowed a dime", the revered Orodje stated. The monarch spoke during a visit of the Commissioner for Works (Rural and Riverine Roads), Mr Charles Aniagwu at his Palace in Orerokpe, Okpe Local Government Area of the state. At the inspection of the ongoing construction of Esezi Road dualisation project at Orerokpe, the Monarch said the Oborevwori administration has delivered several landmark projects across the state

### Guwor, Salutes Dein Of Agbor At 47, Describes Him As Great Monarch

Speaker, Delta State House of Assembly, Rt Hon Emomotimi Dennis Guwor, has felicitated with the Dein of Agbor kingdom, HRM Benjamin Ikechukwu, Keagborekuzi 1, as he marks his 47th birthday anniversary. Rt Hon Guwor, described the Dein of Agbor as a great king whose approach and style of royalty has given so much visibility to the traditional institution, not only in Delta State but the nation at large. The Speaker's goodwill message to the Agbor Monarch on 47th birth anniversary is contained in a statement by his Chief Press Secretary, Mr Nkem Nwaeke and made available to newsmen in Asaba, the Delta State capital. Guwor stated that the birth anniversary is a celebration of life and leadership, even as he look forward to many more years of peace and progress in Agbor kingdom under his guidance. "Your Majesty, on behalf of the Honourable Members and staff of the Delta State House of Assembly, I extend warm felicitations to you on the occasion of your 47th birthday anniversary.



He is using the resources of the state to do all these not only in my kingdom but across the state. "We appreciate him and we will continue to pray for him because what he has for this state he cannot accomplish within four years. So we will continue to pray for him so that he will do eight years to enable him accomplish his plans for the state." On disturbance of contractors on project sites, the monarch said there is a policy in his kingdom against such nefarious acts, adding, "I have a policy in my kingdom that you cannot disturb government projects because if you do that development will not come to the community. "Aside that, there is a law banning 'Deve' in Delta State and before I became the traditional ruler when they were building a road to my community people wanted to disturb the contractor and I used soldiers to arrest them to make sure they don't disturb the contractor.

#### WUEDA intensifies de-silting of blocked drains in Warri, Uvwie, environs By Dennis Otu

In continuation of its flood control efforts in its mandate areas, the Warri, Uvwie and Environs Special Area Devt Agency, WUEDA, has intensified the de-silting of blocked drains on many streets including Apala and Fani Kayode streets in Okumagba Layout of Warri, to open up the channels for free flow of rain water so as to avoid heavy flooding and its negative implications. WUEDA's engineers, led by Engr. Obruche Okeme who defied the heavy rains, were on ground to ensure that the de-silting exercise was thoroughly carried out towards achieving maximum results. The joints between gutters that were blocked by solid wastes and concrete were opened up, while entrances leading to residential premises and shops blocked with concrete, were all cleared to allow free flow of flood water.0ther areas being attended to include Ekpan towards the expressway, Ugborikoko and Refinery Road where WUEDA has embarked on an aggressive clean-up exercise by de-silting drains and evacuating the debris from the drainage channels, as well as sands and weeds from the sides and kerbs of the road. Graders were used to scrape the sands and weeds from the road sides into waiting trucks; the weeds on the kerbs were also removed to give the road the face lift it deserved, in line with the MORE Agenda of Governor Sheriff Oborevwori.

The WUEDA DG, Hon. Godwin Ejinyere and his team of engineers were on ground to supervise the ongoing massive clean-up exercise that has lasted for about a week now since the public holidays, promising to replicate same in other parts of the mandate areas of the Agency. The Director General of WUEDA said the exercise was the Agency's ongoing efforts at de-flooding all flood-prone parts of the Metropolis. He said he had earlier led the technical team of WUEDA to ascertain the flooding situation in many areas, and discovered that some drains were badly blocked by wastes dumped by careless residents. Prince Ejinyere said Governor Sheriff Oborevwori was fully prepared to take Warri, Effurun and their environs beyond their lost glories through the instrumentality of WUEDA, stressing that the Agency would not compromise on that mandate. He disclosed the Agency's plan to construct a storm water drainage channel from Apala Street through

Peggy Hotel by Airport Road to link the Phase 3 of the Warri-Uvwie flood control project that had been awarded, to further de-flood the area. Hon. Ejinyere urged residents of the area and other parts of the 0il City to watch over cleared drainages to ensure that nobody dropped wastes into them, to forestall repeated blocking of the drains. He charged residents to support WUEDA's flood control efforts by clearing the drains in front of their shops, houses, and offices, moreso, now that the Nigeria Centre for Disease Control, NCDC, has declared a cholera state of emergency in parts of Nigeria.

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### **ON THE MOVE**



L-R Hon, Onyemaechi Joan, Hon Pastor Jude Chukwunwike (Chairmanship candidate) Chief Chris Agbobu and Hon, Pascal Adigwe during the inauguration of Aniocha South Campaign Council in Ogwashi-Uku





PDP Chairmanship candidate for Bomadi, Hon Dagodi Andaye, inspecting rehabilitation of road project initiated by him ahead of July 13 LGA election



## Delta LGA Polls: Isoko North PDP campaign flag off



Delta LGA Polls: Okpe PDP, flags off campaign with prayers, Visits His Royal Majesty, The Orodje of Okpe Kingdom





Delta LGA Polls: Warri- South West PDP campaign flag off