

**PROJECT: 20 TOWNSHIPS ROADS
IMPROVEMENT PROJECT FOR
JOHANNESBURG REGION**

Client: Gauteng Department of Infrastructure
Location: Soweto, Johannesburg, South Africa
Description: Roads Improvement in Soweto Region

THE PROJECT:

Blue Quartz International Consulting Engineers and Project Managers was appointed by the Gauteng Department of Infrastructure for the Roads improvement in the Soweto Region. The project was an **Expanded Public Works Programme (EPWP)**, which focuses on skills development. It is one of Government's programmes aimed at alleviating poverty and provide income through temporary work for the unemployed.

THE APPOINTMENT:

We were appointed as Civil, Structural and Project Construction Managers for the upgrading of various roads in Soweto. The project was divided into three (3) phases. Widening of 4km of Bolani Road, Jabulani, Soweto, from Koma Street to Emdeni Bridge including the upgrading of Stormwater Infrastructure. The Construction of Sidewalks and the Widening of an existing culvert bridge at km 2, 42, and various roads in Thulani and Doornkop townships.

OUTCOME:

The Project was completed to the client's requirements, time frames and cost. Training and skills development programmes were successfully implemented. The community as a whole has benefitted and women in particular have participated in all aspects of the project roll-out.

