

## TSHOLO LEGODI FROM GENERAL WORKER TO ASSISTANT SITE MANAGER



At the age of 44, Tsholofelo Legodi has vast experience in the mining world. Tsholo's remarkable journey in the mining industry started in 2006 as a general worker. "As a young woman I never imagined being in a male dominated industry because back in the days, the mine was only a place for men," she stated.

Tsholo, a single mother of two, ensures that her job is always done efficiently and effectively and she believes that anyone who is determined enough can achieve their goals, no matter their circumstances. She also believes that passion and hard work are the ingredients to achieving success in life.

She describes herself as a hard worker, a leader and a risk taker. Tsholo who is an assistant site manager at Bora Mining Services, says her 15 years in the mining industry has taught her that a good employee is the one who goes an extra mile in doing her job, well mannered, respectful and understands her roles and responsibilities.

Tsholo further mentioned that she is passionate about mining; she gets excited when the target is reached and when safety measures are in place as well as production. She advises women to love their job and never settle for less. "We have been given an opportunity to work in the mine, let us be professional and carry ourselves in a good manner even though we work in male dominated place," she mentioned.

She holds a diploma in Business management, a blasting certificate as well as a mine overseer certificate. She says her journey in the mining industry has taught her to work hard in order to achieve goals. "I wish women can stop depending on men for survival and believe in themselves and work hard," she added. She further stated that challenges are there but not to break anybody but to make one stronger and more experienced.