Title	iDEP Infrastructure Delivery Platform
Organisation	Department of Infrastructure Development, Gauteng Province
Innovation	The Infrastructure Delivery Platform (iDEP) is a 5-point integrated ecosystem consisting of the following: • The Project Readiness Matrix facilitating the effective and efficient delivery of infrastructure projects. • PRM Infrastructure Governance Lab (IGL) which is the PRM enforcement compliance component including consequence management for both internal staff and Contractors. • PRM Turnkey Rescue Contractors which is a panel of service providers to resolve the problem of project liquidity and cash flow which affects project performance as it relates to contractor's procurement, payment of SMMEs, Sub-Contractors and Employees. • PRM Multidisciplinary Infrastructure Team which is an internal multidisciplinary team comprising professionals, inspectors, artisans and other trades that plays the role of quality assurance, monitoring and technical oversight by conducting continuous site inspections to verify quality of the work completed. iDEP allows for customisation of the needs of the department and is low on maintenance as there is internal capacity to provide functional and technical support.
Impact	iDEP has had positive impact in the following areas: • Issues pertaining to land availability are addressed upfront at portfolio planning so that they do not have impact on the implementation phase. • It has enabled more robust budget estimates and proactive budget management. • It has enabled Client Departments to be more thorough in preparing the I-AMPS and ensure that all the critical compliance issues in the planning phase are adequately addressed. • It has improved the quality of the C-AMP. • It has provided a more structured approach to assessing the readiness of projects to ensure effective implementation. • It has ensured that bulk infrastructure (electricity, water and sanitation) is considered in infrastructure projects before implementation. • It has ensured proactive risk management and facilitates informed decision-making. • Project delays are minimised and there is transparency within the infrastructure delivery processes.