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NARD 46th AGM: Odey Reaffirms Governor Otu Administration's Commitment to Healthcare

...Resident Doctors Commend Otu's Healthcare Reforms, Welfare Initiatives and Efforts to Strengthen Health Institutions.



Cross River State Deputy Governor, Rt. Hon. Dr Peter Odey, has reaffirmed the commitment of the administration of Governor

Bassey Edet Otu to strengthening healthcare delivery and improving the welfare of medical professionals across the state.

Odey stated this on

Tuesday when he received a delegation of the Nigerian Association of Resident Doctors (NARD), led by its outgoing National President, Dr



Mohammad Usman Suleiman, at the Deputy Governor's Conference Room, Government House, Calabar.

The Deputy Governor said the Otu administration had deliberately prioritised the health sector as a critical component of its People First agenda, stressing that the government would

continue to implement policies and programmes aimed at improving access to quality healthcare.

Odey assured resident doctors and other health professionals that the Governor Otu-led administration would continue to implement policies and programmes designed to create an enabling and conducive

environment for medical professionals to practise and build their careers in Cross River State.

He said the government was committed to improving conditions of service, strengthening healthcare institutions and addressing factors that could contribute to the



"Japa" tendency, thereby encouraging doctors and other skilled health professionals to remain in the state and contribute to the development of its healthcare system.

He also appreciated the NARD leadership for choosing Cross

River State to host its 46th Annual General Meeting, expressing optimism that the gathering would provide an important platform for professional exchange, knowledge sharing and meaningful discussions on the future of healthcare delivery in Nigeria.

Earlier, the

outgoing National President of NARD and leader of every delegation, Dr Mohammad Usman Suleiman, commended the Cross River State Government for its commitment to the welfare of citizens and health workers, particularly the significant interventions and reforms



undertaken in the healthcare sector under Governor Otu's administration.

Dr Suleiman specifically highlighted the 100 per cent implementation of the Consolidated Medical Salary Structure (CONMESS), describing it as a significant step towards improving the welfare and

working conditions of medical doctors and other health professionals in the state.

He also commended the government for the upgrading of Primary Healthcare Centres, strengthening of the Hospital Management Board, enactment of the Medical Quackery Prohibition Law and

establishment of the Drug Management Agency, noting that the initiatives would contribute to strengthening healthcare administration and service delivery.

The NARD President further acknowledged the extension of the retirement age for health workers to 65 years and the lifting of the



employment embargo, including the recruitment of medical specialists, describing the measures as important interventions capable of strengthening the state's healthcare workforce.

Dr Suleiman expressed the association's appreciation to

the Governor Otu-led administration for creating an environment that supports the professional growth and welfare of healthcare workers, while also advancing measures aimed at improving healthcare services for Cross Riverians.

Speaking further, he disclosed that the visit was part of preparations for the

46th NARD Annual General Meeting and the inauguration of the association's 46th National President, Dr Ogar Emmanuel Idoko, which will take place in Calabar, with the opening ceremony scheduled for Thursday and the inauguration of the new National President and his executive on Friday.



CRSHIA Welcomes NMA Partnership to Expand Health Insurance Frontiers in Cross River

By Kingsley Agim



The Cross River State Health Insurance Agency (CRSHIA) has welcomed the Nigerian Medical Association (NMA) partnership to expand health insurance coverage and improve healthcare service

delivery to residents of the state.

The Director-General of Cross River State Health Insurance Agency (CRSHIA), Chief Godwin Iyala, expressed the agency's readiness to deepen collaboration with

the NMA when the association's state chairman, Dr. Pius Agweye, led members of his executive on a courtesy visit to the agency on Monday at its headquarters in Calabar.

Iyala said the partnership would



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provide an opportunity for both organisations to work together towards extending health insurance coverage to more residents and improving the quality of services available to enrollees.

“The health insurance scheme in Cross River has continued to grow in leaps and bounds through the support of His Excellency, Governor Bassey Edet Otu, and his wife, Bishop Eyoanwan Otu, who is the ambassador of the

scheme in the state,” he said.

He said the recent policy of the state government making health insurance enrolment a requirement for promotion and access to credit facilities for civil





servants was a clear demonstration of the administration's commitment to strengthening health insurance in the state.

"The recent policy making health insurance enrolment a requirement for promotion and access to credit facilities for civil servants is a perfect example of how committed the Governor Otu-led administration is

to strengthening health insurance for Cross Riverians and residents in the state," Iyala stated.

The CRSHIA helmsman described the NMA and medical doctors as "a critical mass in the health insurance ecosystem," stressing that their active participation was essential to expanding coverage and improving healthcare delivery.

He described the renewed partnership as timely and necessary, noting that closer collaboration with medical practitioners would strengthen the relationship between healthcare providers, the agency and enrollees.

Earlier, the NMA Chairman, Dr. Pius Agweye, said greater synergy between the two bodies was



necessary to bring the desired benefits of health insurance closer to residents.

"We believe that this synergy between the NMA and CRSHIA is necessary to bring the desired benefits of health insurance to the people of Cross River State," Agweye said.

He thanked the CRSHIA leadership for the warm reception

accorded the delegation and expressed the association's willingness to work closely with the agency to further advance the health insurance programme.

Agweye said the NMA was committed to supporting efforts aimed at expanding health insurance coverage and moving Cross River State towards universal health coverage.

The meeting was attended by officials and senior management staff of CRSHIA, with both organisations expressing commitment to sustained engagement and collaboration towards expanding access to quality healthcare for residents of the state.



21st September, 2026

PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

STATEWIDE MONTHLY ENVIRONMENTAL SANITATION EXERCISE

The general public is hereby informed that the Statewide Environmental Sanitation Exercise for the month of September 2026 will hold on Saturday, 26th September, 2026, from 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

However, there shall be restriction on human and vehicular traffic.

Nevertheless, all markets, shops, business premises are to remain closed during the sanitation period. Residents are strongly urged to actively participate in cleaning their surroundings, clearing drainages and gutters, and properly disposing of waste.

Defaulters will be prosecuted at the Cross River State Mobile Sanitation Courts.



Bassey Offiong Mensah, Esq.
Commissioner

IPAV Pledges Igbo Mobilisation for APC Ahead of 2027

By Daniel Nsa



The Igbo Progressives for APC Victory (IPAV) has pledged to mobilise the Igbo community across Cross River State for the All Progressives Congress (APC) ahead of the 2027 general elections.

The group made the commitment when representatives of the Igbo community from the five South-East states paid a courtesy visit to the Commissioner for Information and Orientation, Pastor Ekpenyong

Cobham, at his temporary office at the Cross River Broadcasting Corporation (CRBC), Calabar.

Speaking during the visit, leader of the delegation, Dr. Ekene Odinka, said IPAV was established as the political arm of



the Igbo community, distinct from existing socio-cultural organisations, to educate, inform and mobilise Igbo residents, traders and investors across the state for APC candidates at all levels in 2027.

"IPAV is the political arm of the Igbo community, created to educate, inform

and mobilise our people across Cross River State," Odinka said.

He described the Igbo as the largest non-indigenous group in the state, noting that the community had contributed significantly to Cross River's economic and social development through commerce, enterprise, education and civic engagement.

Odinka commended Governor Bassey Edet Otu's administration for what he described as improvements in security, infrastructure, agriculture, tourism and the business environment, saying the developments had strengthened the confidence of Igbo residents and investors in



the state.

The delegation also appreciated the appointment of Mazi Okey Madueke as Special Adviser on Non-Indigenous Affairs, describing it as an indication of the administration's commitment to inclusion.

The group requested greater

representation of qualified Igbos in government and the inclusion of IPAV in relevant campaign and strategic committees.

It also sought the ministry's support in providing visibility for its activities and facilitating grassroots sensitisation and mobilisation across

the Igbo community, assuring the Commissioner of its commitment to supporting the APC-led administration.

Responding, Commissioner Cobham described the Igbo community as "an integral and important component of Cross River



State,” stressing that its contributions to the state’s development could not be overemphasised.

“I have known the Igbo community from childhood, and I have great respect for your cohesion, enterprise and commitment to development,” Cobham said.

He assured the delegation that the ministry remained open to collaboration, particularly in communicating government programmes and their impact on the people.

“Whatever visibility you need, please call on us; we will give it to you,” the Commissioner said, adding that the

ministry would provide relevant contact details to facilitate direct communication between IPAV and key officials.

Cobham said the Igbo community was well positioned to communicate the impact of government policies and programmes on their businesses, investments and



livelihoods.

He assured the delegation of the state government's commitment to

inclusion and welfare, describing Governor Otu as an inclusive leader, and called on stakeholders to work together to

disseminate information, mobilise citizens and contribute to the continued development of Cross River State.

Obudu Council Leader Empowers 149 Constituents with Farm Inputs, Cash

By Kingsley Agim



The Leader of the Obudu Legislative Council, Hon. Eneji Sam Ashibi, has empowered

149 constituents of Utugwang North Ward with farm implements, cash and household items as part of

efforts to support their livelihoods and improve their welfare.

The



empowerment programme, held at Utugwang North Ward in Obudu Local Government Area of Cross River State, came during activities surrounding the annual Obudu New Yam Festival, celebrated every first Saturday of September.

The beneficiaries comprised 99 men and 50

women. The men received farm implements and ₦5,000 each to support their agricultural activities, while the women received six yards of wrapper, Maggi, salt and ₦5,000 each.

Addressing the beneficiaries, Ashibi described the gesture as his modest way of saying thank you

to the people for their support and goodwill over the years.

He said the intervention was driven by his desire to give back to the community and support the welfare of his constituents, particularly during the festive period.

The council leader also





enjoined the beneficiaries to continue to support and keep faith with the All Progressives Congress (APC) ahead of the 2027 general elections.

Speaking on behalf of the beneficiaries, Mr. Christopher Ushie expressed gratitude to Ashibi for remembering his constituents and

reaching out to them with practical support.

Ushie said it took a genuine leader to remember his people, especially during festive periods, noting that the gesture was not connected to political activities.

He commended Ashibi for identifying with the people and providing

assistance at a time when many families were in need of support.

The beneficiaries expressed appreciation for the intervention, saying the farm implements and financial assistance would contribute to improving their livelihoods and meeting some of their immediate needs.

CRBC Seeks Fresh Equipment, Vehicles as Cobham Pledges Rebranding Support, Backing on Carnival Broadcast Rights

By Daniel Nsa



The General Manager of the Cross River Broadcasting Corporation (CRBC) has appealed to the Cross River State Government for increased support to strengthen the corporation's

operations, upgrade equipment and preserve the state's broadcast heritage, as the Commissioner for Information and Orientation, Pastor Ekpenyong Ene Cobham, pledged the Ministry's cooperation in

repositioning the State-owned broadcaster.

The General Manager made the appeal when he led the CRBC management team on a courtesy visit to the Commissioner at the Ministry's



office.

During the visit, he briefed the Commissioner on the transformation recorded by the corporation since he assumed office in June 2023, as well as challenges affecting its operations, including inadequate vehicles, cameras, broadcast

software, archival facilities and funding for capital projects.

He disclosed that CRBC had inherited significant technical and infrastructural challenges, including outdated transmission equipment and inadequate power supply, but said the corporation had recorded

considerable improvement through management initiatives and government intervention.

According to him, CRBC had migrated from an 11KV electricity supply to 33KV Band A and installed a 200KVA transformer to allow room for future expansion.



He added that the corporation had acquired a new 100KVA generator and installed inverters to complement public power supply and ensure continuity of broadcast operations.

The General Manager also disclosed that the corporation had acquired a 10-

kilowatt radio transmitter and eight-bay antenna system to improve coverage, although the transmitter was subsequently lost to what he described as mismanagement before it could be fully deployed. He said a two-kilowatt transmitter was later acquired and is currently operating at about 1.9 kilowatts.

He said CRBC Radio currently reaches all 18 local government areas of Cross River State, parts of Akwa Ibom and the southern region, as well as Abi Local Government Area in the Central Senatorial District, with online broadcasting further extending its reach.



On television broadcasting, he said the corporation had migrated from analogue transmission to satellite broadcasting via NIGCOMSAT, with government intervention supporting a quarterly subscription of about N3.8 million.

The General Manager further announced the acquisition of a

new thematic licence and frequency, 103.9 FM Odukpani, which would focus largely on indigenous-language broadcasting, comprising about 60 per cent language programming and 40 per cent Pidgin English. He explained that Efik, Bekwarra, Ejagham and other indigenous languages would feature on the station, designed

to bring government programmes and development initiatives closer to the grassroots.

The CRBC boss also appealed for additional cameras, broadcast software and operational vehicles, particularly for the News and Programmes directorates, stressing that reporters needed adequate mobility



to cover events across the state.

He disclosed that management had purchased a new bus after inheriting a damaged vehicle but still required more vehicles to effectively support field operations, and appealed for the allocation of one or two electric vehicles to enhance mobility

and staff morale.

Another major concern raised was the corporation's involvement in the coverage and commercialisation of Carnival Calabar. The General Manager called for a review of the existing arrangement, arguing that CRBC, as the state-owned broadcaster, should have a stronger role in the

production, documentation and commercial exploitation of the event's broadcast rights. He also called for the establishment of a comprehensive archival system to preserve documentaries, Carnival Calabar footage and other historical broadcast materials belonging to the State.



Responding, Commissioner for Information and Orientation, Pastor Ekpenyong Cobham commended the CRBC management for the transformation recorded by the corporation, recalling that he had visited the facility during the 2023 electioneering period and

encountered a deplorable environment.

He said the changes recorded since then had not only improved the physical infrastructure but had also restored energy and renewed commitment among the workforce.

The Commissioner described information as a

critical component of governance and assured the corporation that the Ministry would work with its management to address the challenges raised.

On the Carnival Calabar broadcast rights, Cobham directed the CRBC management to prepare a well-articulated document on the matter, promising

to personally support efforts to present the proposal to the appropriate authorities.

He stressed the need for the state to strengthen its own media capacity, particularly ahead of the 2027 general elections, so that Cross River could effectively document and tell its story through its own institutions.

Cobham also described the archival challenge as a serious issue, noting that government officials and administrators would come and go, but historical records must remain available to future

generations.

He said the records belonged to the people of Cross River State and should be accessible to students, researchers and others seeking to understand the state's history and development.

On the request for electric vehicles, the Commissioner promised to present the matter to Governor Bassey Edet Otu and advocate for at least one vehicle to serve as a pool vehicle for CRBC, saying this would improve productivity and boost morale and the corporation's public image.

Cobham further assured CRBC that the ongoing rebranding of the

Ministry of Information and Orientation would extend to the corporation, stressing that the Ministry was committed to partnering with CRBC to strengthen its operations and reposition it as a modern State-owned broadcasting institution.

He commended the General Manager and his team for keeping the corporation operational despite the challenges, and assured them of the Ministry's continued cooperation and support.



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Mensah Charges Environmental Agencies on Synergy, Effective Waste Mgt.

By Sylvia Okoi



The Commissioner for Environment, Barr. Bassey Offiong Mensah, has charged political appointees and directors of agencies under the Ministry of Environment to foster synergy in reclaiming and restoring the environment.

Barr. Mensah gave the charge during

a cluster meeting with directors and appointees of the Ministry and its agencies held in his office in Calabar.

The meeting focused on strengthening collaboration among the various agencies and developing practical solutions to environmental challenges confronting the state.

In his opening remarks, the Commissioner called for greater teamwork and effective collaboration, noting that such synergy was necessary to support the policy thrust of His Excellency, Senator Prince Bassey Edet Otu, in ensuring a clean, safe and sustainable environment.



He said the collaboration was also in line with the Ministry's mandate to manage, protect and preserve the state's natural resources while promoting a clean, healthy and sustainable ecosystem.

The meeting identified several challenges affecting effective environmental

management in the state, including abuse of green areas at Mary Slessor, IBB, Airport, INEC and other locations; delayed evacuation of waste, particularly along Murtala Mohammed Highway; indiscriminate cutting of trees and poor management of resulting debris.

Among the resolutions reached was the

establishment of a special Environmental Supervising Team comprising directors from the Ministry to assess the performance and service delivery of agencies, contractors and task force members and make appropriate recommendations.

The meeting also resolved to sectionalise waste



evacuation operations to improve efficiency and effectiveness, review existing waste flashpoints and reposition waste bins along adjoining streets on Murtala Mohammed Highway to improve the appearance of the state's major gateway.

Other resolutions included the provision of additional waste bins and creation of more flashpoints to address proximity and accessibility challenges faced by residents in disposing of waste.

It further agreed to position task force members at

designated locations and flashpoints to enforce compliance, apprehend offenders and ensure prosecution in accordance with sanitation laws and environmental regulations.



GOVERNMENT OF CROSS RIVER STATE, NIGERIA

September 17th, 2026

PRESS RELEASE

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The Cross River State Ministry of Agriculture and Irrigation Development will commence the statewide distribution of improved SAMPEA 20-T PBR cowpea seeds, developed by the Institute for Agricultural Research (IAR), to interested farmers from Monday, September 21, 2026.

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The intervention is aimed at increasing cowpea production, strengthening food security and improving access to nutritious food, particularly for women and children, while enhancing farmers' productivity and livelihoods.

Distribution will be carried out in collaboration with the State Chapters of the Cowpea Farmers Association and Women in Agriculture (WIA).

Interested farmers are required to proceed to their respective Local Government Councils for documentation and collection of the improved seeds.

Farmers are advised to adhere strictly to the designated collection arrangements. The seeds are solely for planting purposes and are not for human consumption.

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Carnival Calabar 2026: First Dry Run Set for October 18

By Ibu Harrywills



The Cross River State Carnival Commission has announced

October 18 as the date for the first dry run of Carnival Calabar 2026, with the exercise

scheduled to commence at 1:30 p.m. from Millennium Park, Calabar.

The Chairman of the Commission, Sir Gabe Onah, said the dry run forms part of preparations for the 2026 edition of the world-renowned festival, which is themed "Rethinking Our Collective Destiny."

According to the Commission, the first dry run will offer carnival lovers and residents an opportunity to experience the excitement, creativity, music, dance and entertainment associated with the annual festival.

The exercise will also provide participating bands with an opportunity to rehearse and fine-tune their performances

ahead of the main carnival.

The announcement comes as Calabar prepares for another edition of the carnival, which has remained a major platform for showcasing Cross River's cultural heritage, creative talent and entertainment industry.

With the theme, "Rethinking Our Collective Destiny," the 2026 edition is expected to combine the colourful spectacle of the carnival with a message centred on collective aspirations and the future.

The first dry run is expected to heighten anticipation across Calabar, with residents and visitors looking

forward to the return of the colourful displays, music, dance and vibrant performances associated with the festival.

The Commission has invited residents, visitors and carnival enthusiasts to join the celebration and experience the excitement as the carnival season gathers momentum.

As preparations continue, carnival lovers are encouraged to get ready for another season of culture, creativity, music, dance and entertainment.



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Cross River Govt Reopens Obudu General Hospital

By Kingsley Agim



The Cross River State Government has reopened the General Hospital, Obudu, restoring public healthcare services to residents of Obudu and surrounding communities.

The hospital was officially flagged off and put into use at the weekend by His

Excellency Senator Ntufam Bassey Edet Otu Governor of Cross River State represented by the State Commissioner for Health, Eld. Dr. Henry Egbe Ayuk, PhD, following the revival of the facility and the constitution of a new management team to oversee its operations and ensure effective service delivery.

The event was attended by senior citizens, community leaders, the Secretary of Obudu Local Government Council, Mr. Aben Emmanuel, who represented the Council Chairman, Hon. Peter Undiandeye, the Supervisor for Health, Obudu



LGA, and other stakeholders.

The hospital is headed by Mr. Bob Abua, alongside the newly constituted management team, which has been charged with ensuring effective administration and quality service delivery.

Speaking at the event, Dr. Ayuk urged residents to take full advantage of the facility and

patronise the hospital, assuring them that services would be offered at affordable and pocket-friendly rates.

The Commissioner said additional healthcare personnel would be deployed to the facility as the need arises, assuring residents that the Ministry of Health would closely monitor the hospital to ensure adequate staffing, effective

service delivery and sustained functionality.

“We will continue to monitor this facility closely to ensure that it is adequately staffed, functional and able to provide the quality healthcare services that the people deserve,” Ayuk said.

He urged residents to take ownership of the facility by patronising its services and



supporting efforts to sustain its operations.

Responding, the Secretary of Obudu Local Government Council, Mr. Aben Emmanuel, who represented the Council Chairman, Hon. Peter Undiandeye, applauded the Governor for the reopening of the General Hospital.

Emmanuel

described the return of the hospital to active service as a welcome

development for the people of Obudu, expressing the council's happiness and appreciation for the revival of the facility.

He also commended the Hospital Administrator and the newly constituted management team for their efforts towards restoring

the facility and ensuring its effective operation.

The reopening of General Hospital, Obudu, is expected to bring healthcare services closer to residents of the area and surrounding communities, while supporting the state government's efforts to revitalise public healthcare facilities across Cross River State.



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4.	Action Democratic Party	ADP	Abbas-Bin Aliyu	Ike Chinazam
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6.	Allied Peoples Movement	APM	Seyi Makinde	Ibrahim Adamu Bala
7.	All Peoples Party	DP	Yusuf Kabiru	Ofordile Peace Egobia
8.	Boot Party	BP	Adenuga Sunday	Mustapha Usman Turaki
9.	Democratic League of Africa	DLA	Memeh Samuel	Balogun Alex
10.	Labour Party	LP	Okereke Sunday Chibuzor	Konto Hajja Bintu
11.	Nigeria Democratic Congress	NDC	Peter Obi	Rabiu Musa Kwankwaso
12.	National Democratic Party	NDP	Okwori Ada Elizabeth Frederick	Chikwuemeka Uchenna Anthony
13.	New Nigeria Peoples Party	NNPP	Dikwa Suleiman Mohammed	Abubakar Isah
14.	National Rescue Movement	NRM	Okereke Iken Esther	Samuel Magdalene Gali
15.	Peoples Democratic Party	PDP	Senator Sandy Onor	Umaru Babangida
16.	Peoples Redemption Party	PRP	Donald Duke	Buba Musa
17.	Social Democratic Party	SDP	Adebayo Adewole Ebenezer	Bugaje Usman Mohammed
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INEC ANNOUNCES 2027 CAMPAIGN TIMETABLE

The Independent National Electoral Commission has released the approved campaign periods for Nigeria's 2027 General Elections, in accordance with the Electoral Act 2026.

KEY CAMPAIGN DATES



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Campaign closes
15 January 2027



Election day
16 January 2027



GOVERNORSHIP & STATE ASSEMBLY



Campaign opens
9 September 2026



Campaign closes
5 February 2027



Election day
6 February 2027



WHAT THE ELECTORAL ACT REQUIRES

- Campaigns may begin no earlier than **150 days** before an election.
- Every campaign must end **24 hours** before polling begins.
- Parties, candidates and supporters must follow the approved dates.
- Breaches may attract sanctions under the law.



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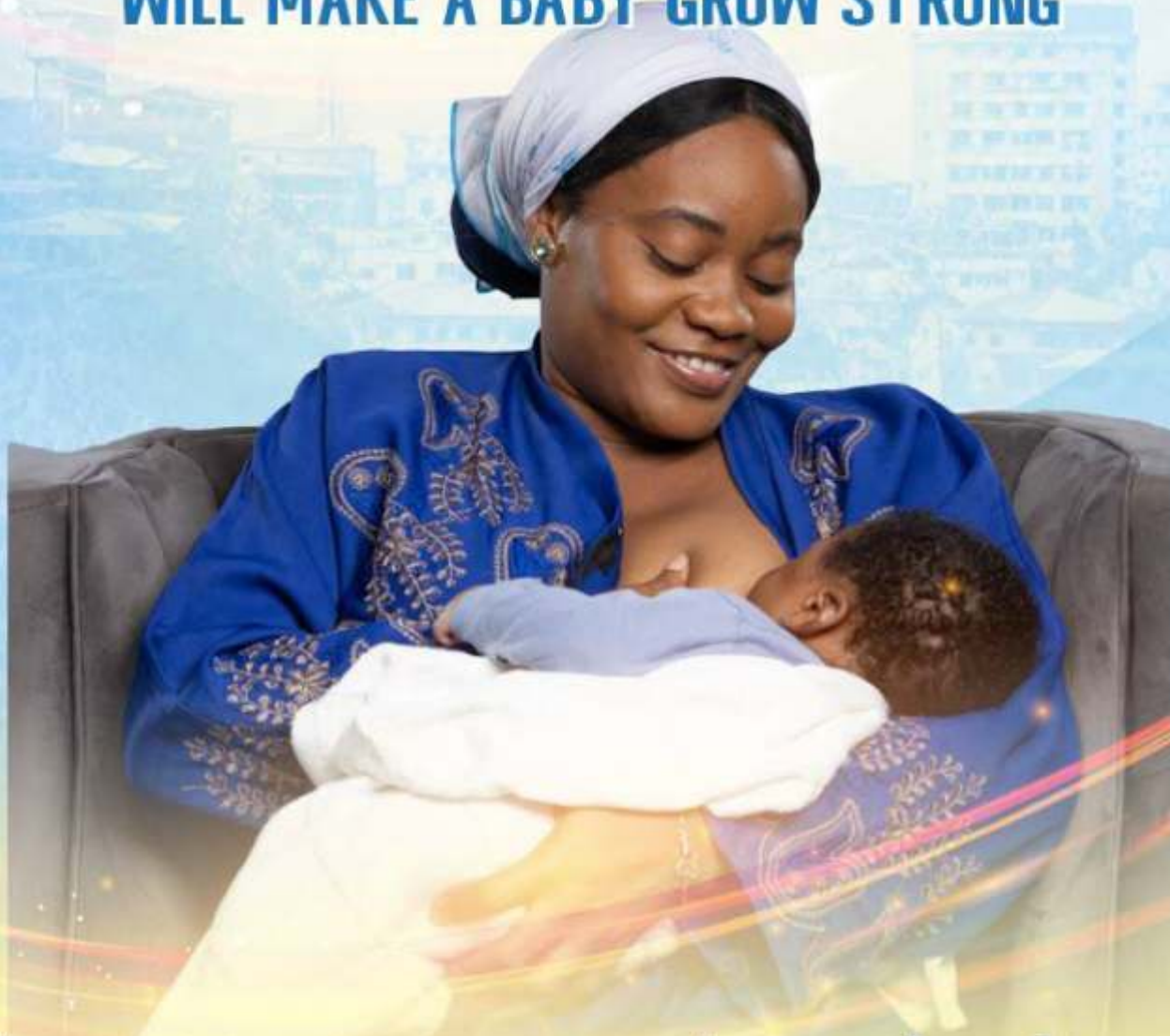


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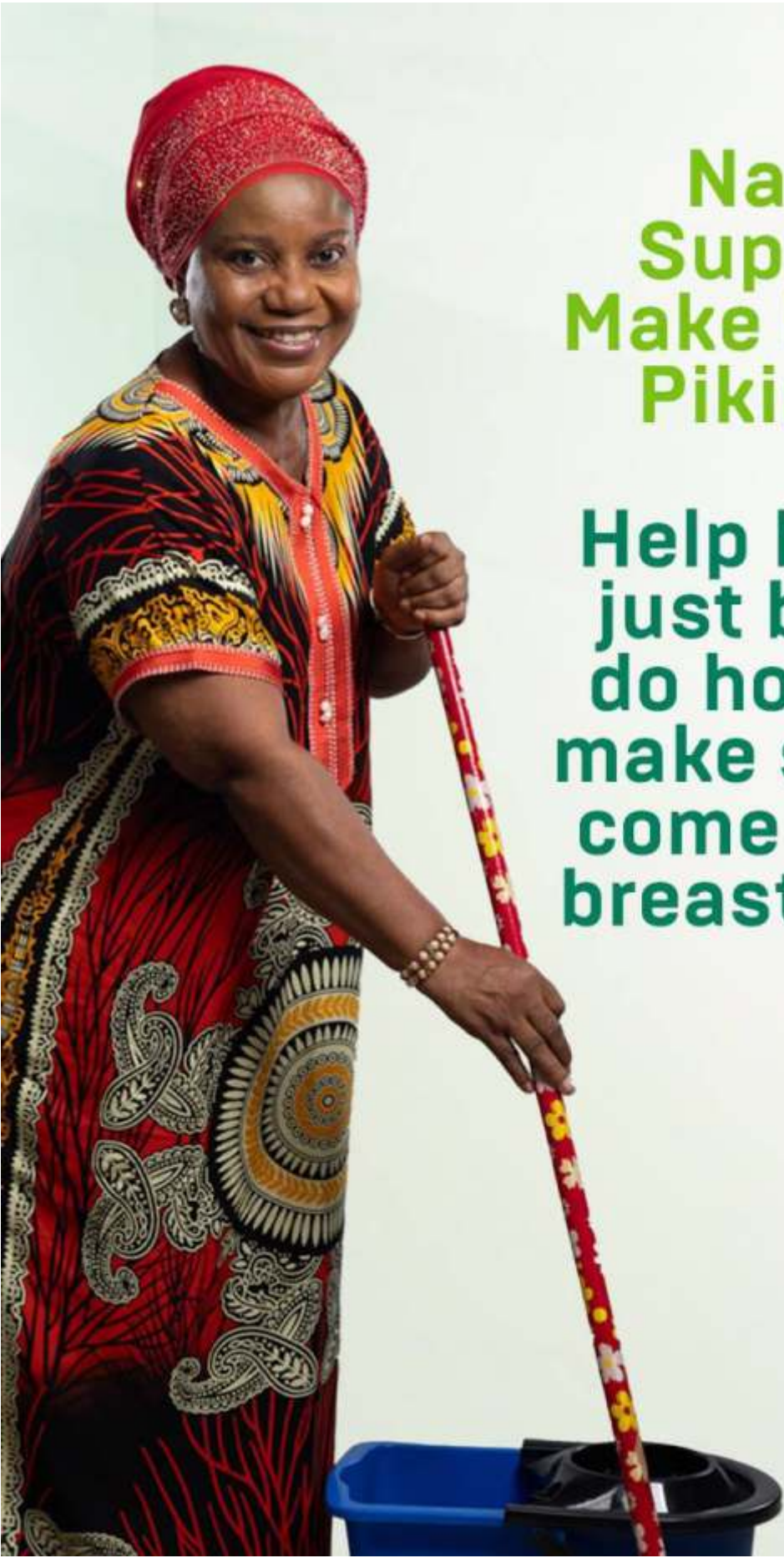
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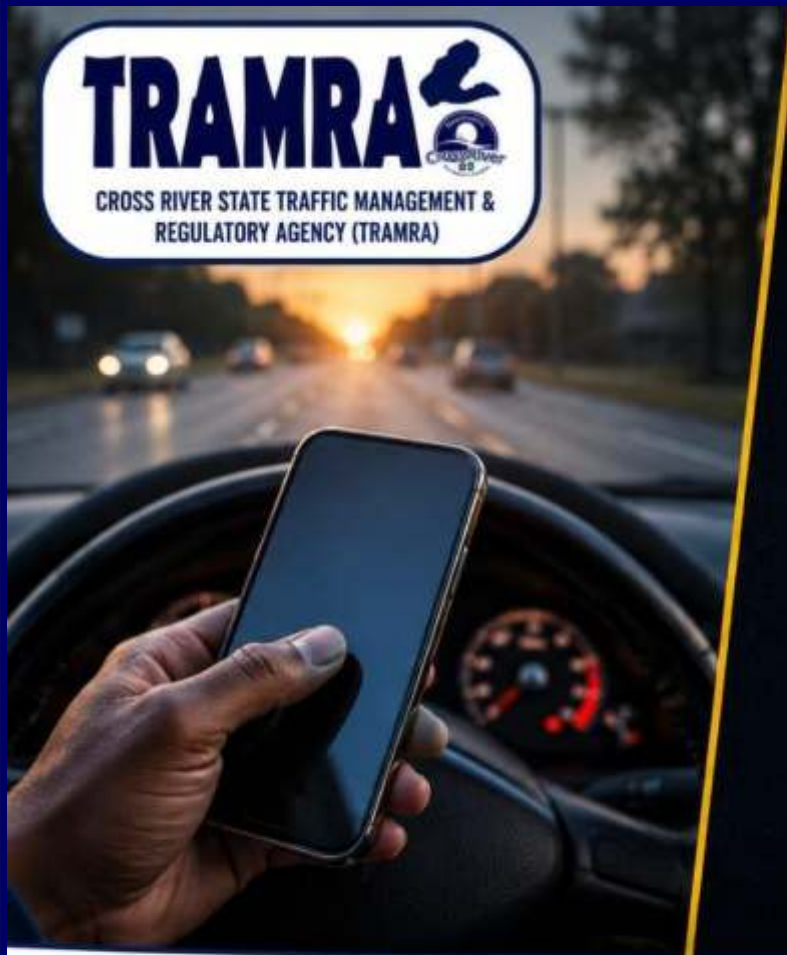


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23rd July 2026

PRESS RELEASE

EXTENSION OF THE SUSPENSION OF ALL SCRAP-RELATED ACTIVITIES IN CROSS RIVER STATE

Further to the Press Release dated the 23rd of February 2026, communicating His Excellency, Senator Prince Bassey Edet Otu's approval of the suspension of all scrap-related activities, the Cross River State Government hereby notifies the general public that the suspension has been extended for a further period of one (1) month expiring on the 23rd August 2026.

As stated in the previous Press Release, the suspension was necessitated by the increasing incidents of vandalism, theft and destruction of public infrastructure by scavengers, scrap dealers and their agents, and the significant security threat posed to the State. This extension is intended to enable Government conclude the ongoing review of the laws, policies and regulatory framework governing scrap-related activities in Cross River State. The objective is to strengthen the regulatory regime, identify and protect legitimate operators, and implement measures that effectively prevent the infiltration of criminal elements into the sector.

Government regrets any inconvenience caused to legitimate businesses and law-abiding operators. However, the protection of public infrastructure, the preservation of public order and security remain paramount. Members of the general public are accordingly informed that the suspension remains in full force and that any person or organization found engaging in scrap-related activities in contravention of this directive shall be dealt with strictly in accordance with the law.



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03

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04

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05

AVOID FLOODED ROADS

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SECTORIAL STRIDES is a special analytical column that chronicles and evaluates the achievements of the administration of Governor Bassey Edet Otu under the People First Agenda. Written by Kingsley Agim, the column takes readers beyond headlines and project commissioning ceremonies to examine the impact of government policies, programmes, and interventions across key sectors of the state's economy and public service.

Each edition will spotlight a specific sector, providing a fact-based assessment of milestones recorded by ministries, departments, and agencies, while highlighting how these achievements are

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From infrastructure and healthcare to education, agriculture, tourism, economic development, and social welfare, etc, Sectorial Strides offers a comprehensive account of the administration's journey, achievements, and legacy, one sector at a time.

The inaugural edition focuses on the Infrastructure Cluster, examining the transformative investments in roads, power, water resources, transportation, aviation, and border community development that are helping to reshape Cross River State's socio-economic landscape.



COMPLETED RENOVATION AND FURNISHING OF THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE COMPLEX, CALABAR

INFORMATION SECTOR

Gov. Otu: Repositioning Cross River's Information Sector for Transparency, Digital Governance, Global Visibility



Kingsley Agim, anipr

Information is the lifeblood of governance. It shapes public perception, inspires confidence, preserves history and connects government with the governed. Recognising this reality, Governor Bassey

Edet Otu made the revitalisation of Cross River State's information ecosystem a strategic component of his People First Agenda, transforming what had long been regarded as a routine government communication apparatus



into a dynamic instrument for transparency, citizen engagement and institutional efficiency.

Three years into the administration, the information sector has emerged as one of the state's most improved sectors, recording remarkable progress in digital transformation, public communication, media relations, broadcasting, institutional strengthening and archival documentation. The reforms implemented between 2023 and 2026 have not only modernised government information management but have also significantly enhanced Cross River

State's visibility on the national and international stage.

Prior to 2023, many of the structures responsible for government information management had suffered years of neglect. Critical communication infrastructure was outdated, public engagement had diminished, digital platforms were inactive, and the Ministry of Information operated with severe manpower and technological limitations.

Governor Otu's administration responded with deliberate investments





aimed at rebuilding the Ministry into a modern public communication institution capable of meeting the demands of contemporary governance.

For the first time in well over a decade, the Ministry underwent comprehensive institutional revitalisation. Modern ICT equipment was procured, digital workflows introduced, and office operations significantly improved through technology-driven systems. Equally significant was the recruitment of 20 new personnel (information officers), ending a manpower deficit that had persisted for more than 13 years and injecting fresh capacity into government information management.

These reforms improved operational efficiency while

laying the foundation for a more responsive and professional information service.

Perhaps one of the administration's most visible achievements has been the deliberate repositioning of Cross River State within the national media landscape.

Under Governor Otu, the Commissioner for



Information maintained consistent appearances on leading national television networks including Channels Television, AIT, ARISE News, TVC, NTA and other major platforms. These engagements provided opportunities to explain government policies, address public concerns, counter misinformation and showcase development initiatives across multiple sectors.

According to official records, Cross River's national media visibility rose dramatically from approximately 28 percent in 2022 to about 78 percent by 2025, representing one of the most

significant improvements in government media presence in recent years.

Beyond publicity, the initiative strengthened transparency, improved policy communication and restored public confidence in government information.

One of the landmark achievements of the administration was the revival of the Ministry of Information's official website, www.moi.cr.gov.ng, which had remained inactive since 2015.

The restoration of the website was



accompanied by the establishment of official social media platforms on Facebook, Instagram and X (formerly Twitter), creating an integrated digital communication ecosystem capable of reaching citizens both within Nigeria and across the diaspora.

These platforms now provide timely updates on government activities, policy decisions, public announcements and developmental projects, ensuring that citizens receive information directly from official sources.

Government estimates indicate that the

digital platforms currently account for approximately 70 percent of the Ministry's publicity reach, with a target of increasing coverage to 95 percent by 2027 through full integration with the state's official digital platforms.

The daily publication and electronic distribution of government news bulletins to Ministries, Departments and Agencies have further strengthened real-time information dissemination and inter-agency communication.

One of the less publicised but highly significant reforms has been the



restoration of official government documentation.

For years, several statutory government publications had suffered irregular production, affecting record keeping and legal documentation.

The Otu administration reversed this trend through the commercial printing and publication of Government Gazettes, White Papers, Tender Journals and all enacted state laws, including the 2025 Appropriation Law.

These publications have strengthened

institutional memory, improved legal documentation, enhanced transparency and preserved important government decisions for future generations.

Similarly, the resumption and sustained production of official government bulletins since January 2023 has restored a vital information channel that had previously become inactive.

Another landmark achievement has been the revival of Giant Strides Magazine, the Ministry's flagship publication showcasing government projects, programmes and development



initiatives.

The magazine, which had not been published since July 2017, resumed publication in October 2023 and has remained consistent.

Within three years, seven editions have been completed, and more than 13,000 copies have been distributed across Nigeria.

Beyond public enlightenment, the publication now serves as an enduring documentary record of the Otu administration's developmental journey and a valuable archival resource for future generations.

Governor Otu's administration also demonstrated an appreciation for strategic storytelling as a tool for investment promotion and image building.

The production and nationwide broadcast of the documentary "Governor Otu @2" represented a significant milestone in government communication.

Aired on Channels Television, AIT, ARISE News, TVC, NTA and other national networks between May and June 2025, the documentary highlighted achievements across multiple sectors, projecting Cross River State to a nationwide audience and strengthening

investor confidence in the state's development agenda.

Combined with regular press briefings and sustained media engagements, these initiatives have ensured that government activities remain accessible, verifiable and visible.

While embracing digital communication, the administration equally recognised the importance of grassroots engagement.

Through sustained mass mobilisation campaigns, coordinated press releases, Information Officers deployed across Ministries, Departments and Agencies, and the Village Square Broadcast Programme, government information

reached communities that traditionally had limited access to digital media.

The Village Square initiative particularly strengthened communication with traditional institutions, promoted indigenous values and ensured that government policies were explained in culturally relevant ways.

This combination of digital innovation and community engagement has significantly expanded the reach of government communication across urban and rural communities alike.

CRBC's Digital Revolution

If the Ministry of Information experienced institutional renewal, the





Cross River Broadcasting Corporation underwent a complete technological transformation.

Over the last three years, CRBC evolved from a conventional broadcasting station into a modern multimedia organisation.

The Corporation introduced a fully paperless digital newsroom, enabling

real-time news production and significantly improving operational efficiency.

To guarantee uninterrupted broadcasting despite Nigeria's persistent power challenges, four television and radio studios were equipped with inverter systems, virtually eliminating on-air interruptions caused by electricity



outages.

Additional investments included the installation of a new 20/2-kilowatt radio transmitter, a 13KVA electrical substation, comprehensive remodelling of radio studios, reception areas, conference facilities and newsroom infrastructure, as well as the acquisition of a new operational vehicle.

These improvements have substantially enhanced staff productivity and broadcast quality.

Perhaps the most transformative

achievement at CRBC has been the expansion of its audience beyond traditional terrestrial broadcasting.

Television services were migrated to satellite and Free-to-Air platforms, while Radio Garden integration enabled global online radio streaming.

The launch of the Naija TV mobile application, migration to the GOtv platform and government-supported NIGOSAT carriage services further expanded access to Cross River programming.

Today, CRBC reaches audiences across more



than ten local government areas while simultaneously serving viewers and listeners across Nigeria and the international diaspora.

For the first time, Cross River's stories are being told simultaneously to local communities and global audiences.

Understanding the changing media landscape, has CRBC established a modern podcast studio through collaboration with diaspora media partners in the United States.

This initiative has opened new opportunities for digital content production while positioning the Corporation to compete within today's evolving multimedia environment.

Equally important was the expansion of indigenous language programming following the acquisition of National Broadcasting Commission thematic language licences.

Combined with tourism-focused programmes, these initiatives have strengthened cultural preservation while

promoting Cross River's rich heritage to wider audiences.

Strengthening Institutional Capacity

Beyond infrastructure and technology, the administration has invested heavily in institutional development.

Participation in national fora of Information Commissioners under the Progressive Governors' Forum has enhanced intergovernmental collaboration while improving policy coordination and professional networking.

The remarkable transformation recorded in the information sector has also attracted national recognition for the Honourable Commissioner for Information, Dr. Erasmus Ekpang, whose leadership has earned him several prestigious media and public communication awards from reputable professional bodies and organizations across the country. In further affirmation of Cross River State's growing influence in public communication, the Commissioner was unanimously elected Secretary of the Forum of Commissioners for Information in All Progressives Congress (APC)-governed states, a development widely regarded as a testament to the administration's innovative communication strategy, institutional reforms and outstanding

contributions to information management at both the state and national levels.

Coverage of major state ceremonies, including Democracy Day, Independence Day, Children's Day and anniversary celebrations of the People First Administration, has ensured that important moments in the state's history are professionally documented and preserved.

Meanwhile, the continued publication of over 173 editions of the Nigerian Chronicle and Weekend Chronicle has sustained the state's print media presence and enriched the historical archive of government activities.

Another significant milestone has been the near-completion of the comprehensive restoration of the Cross River State Newspaper Corporation complex, which was extensively vandalised and destroyed during the #EndSARS protests in 2020.

The rehabilitation of the corporation's facilities represents the administration's commitment to rebuilding critical public institutions and restoring the state's capacity for public information dissemination through its flagship newspapers.

In furtherance of this objective, the Otu administration has also procured modern digital printing equipment for the restoration of the Government Printing Press. When fully operational, the facility

will not only guarantee greater confidentiality in the printing of sensitive government documents, gazettes, white papers and other official publications, but will also position the state to generate additional revenue through commercial printing services for public and private organisations.

These complementary investments underscore Governor Otu's broader vision of rebuilding the entire government information value chain, from content creation and documentation to printing, publishing and distribution, while strengthening institutional self-reliance, improving operational efficiency and creating new economic opportunities within the information sector.

Ultimately, the achievements recorded in the information sector extend far beyond improved publicity.

They represent the deliberate construction of an open, digitally connected and citizen-focused governance system.

Through stronger communication channels, modern broadcasting infrastructure, revitalised institutional capacity, enhanced digital engagement, improved archival systems and broader media visibility, Governor Bassey Otu has repositioned information as a strategic instrument for development rather than merely a vehicle for publicity.

The reforms have strengthened transparency, increased citizen participation, expanded access to government information and restored confidence in public communication.

Three years after assuming office, Governor Bassey Edet Otu has transformed Cross River's information sector from a largely analogue, under-resourced system into a modern, technology-driven communication ecosystem.

From reviving dormant digital platforms and modernising government documentation to repositioning CRBC for global broadcasting and restoring Cross River's voice on the national media stage, the administration has demonstrated that effective governance depends as much on how government communicates as on what it delivers.

As the state advances toward deeper digital governance, broader citizen engagement and stronger institutional transparency, the reforms implemented between 2023 and 2026 have laid a durable foundation for an information sector that is not only more efficient and innovative but also better equipped to serve the people of Cross River State in the years ahead.







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