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Heritage Resource Impact Assessment

**TOWNSHIP ESTABLISHMENT: PLOT 92 IVYDALE AGRICULTURAL HOLDINGS
POLOKWANE**

STATEMENT WITH REGARD TO HERITAGE RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

Map reference: 2329 CD. General co-ordinates: S23° 55' 27" E 29° 26' 18"

With reference to our site meeting during the first week of July 2006, I wish to draw attention to the following:

An archaeological site exists on plot 92 Ivydale. This site was identified in 2002 when development on the adjacent plot 91 was undertaken. The development on plot 91 was temporally suspended by SAHRA subject to mitigation for a phase 2 assessment of the site. The phase 2 assessment was conducted by Nzumbululo Heritage Solutions in December 2004. However, the report by Nzumbululo Heritage Solutions is inconclusive in that it does not identify the cultural group and does not place the site within the chronological sequence of the Pietersburg / Polokwane area.

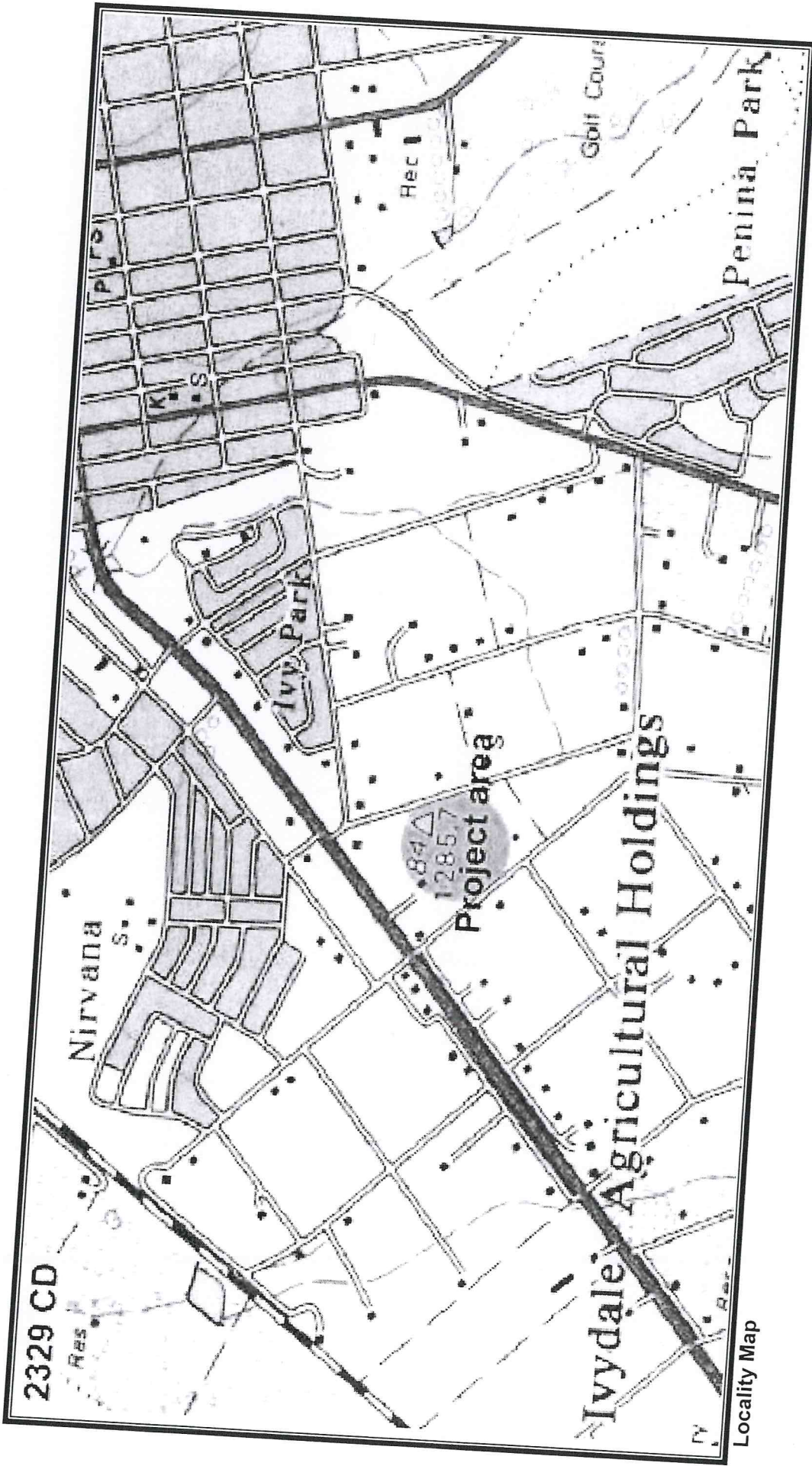
We conducted another site visit with a SAHRA official during which it was decided that a further phase 2 assessment of the archaeological site was required in order to establish the outstanding data and to ensure that a proper screening for human skeletal remains be undertaken. The archaeological remains on Plot 92 is regarded as very significant due to the fact that this portion is the last remaining deposits of what previously was an extensive archaeological stone walled site. Most of the site had been destroyed by the existing developments in the area.

This letter serves to confirm that a phase 2 assessment of the archaeological remains on Plot 92 is required before development commences.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Frans Roodt', written in a cursive style.

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Locality Map