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Sent: Friday, 07 June 2019 07:49
To: Matlhodi Mogorosi; Seoka Lekota; Thalita Koster; Thando Booï
Cc: Peter Cloete; Reuben Maroga; Thobekile Zungu; Portia Makitla
Subject: RE: 14/12/16/3/3/1/2019, 14/12/16/3/3/1/2020, 14/12/16/3/3/1/2023 & 14/12/16/3/3/1/2024 - Site Inspection

The 11th is fine with me as well

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Cc: Peter Cloete; Reuben Maroga; Thobekile Zungu; Portia Makitla
Subject: RE: 14/12/16/3/3/1/2019, 14/12/16/3/3/1/2020, 14/12/16/3/3/1/2023 & 14/12/16/3/3/1/2024 - Site Inspection

Dear all,

The 11th is fine with us.

Regards

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Subject: RE: 14/12/16/3/3/1/2019, 14/12/16/3/3/1/2020, 14/12/16/3/3/1/2023 & 14/12/16/3/3/1/2024 - Site Inspection

Dear All

Unfortunately we are already committed on the said dates. We propose that the site visit be done on the week of the 7th maybe we can agree to have the site visit on the 11th July if that's fine with everyone.



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Dear Thalita,

I have just had a conversation with Thando, and we think the 4th of July can work for us.

Regards

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Dear Mathlhodi,

Yes, that should be fine.

We can schedule it for the week of the 7th of July depending on the availability of the other attendees. Kindly note that this will be three weeks before the decision will be due.

Kind regards

From: Matlhodi Mogorosi <MMogorosi@environment.gov.za>

Sent: Tuesday, 04 June 2019 3:00 PM

To: Thalita Koster <thalita@savannahsa.com>; Azrah Essop <AEssop@environment.gov.za>; Thando Booi <TBooi@environment.gov.za>; Seoka Lekota <SLekota@environment.gov.za>

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Dear Thalita,

Unfortunately we are not available during that week and the first week of July as some of us will be on leave. May I request that we look at any of the days in the second week of July.

Regards

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To: Azrah Essop; Thando Booi; Matlhodi Mogorosi; Seoka Lekota

Cc: Peter Cloete; Reuben Maroga

Subject: 14/12/16/3/3/1/2019, 14/12/16/3/3/1/2020, 14/12/16/3/3/1/2023 & 14/12/16/3/3/1/2024 - Site Inspection

Dear All,

The following projects have reference:

- Aggeneys 1 solar PV facility (DEA ref: 14/12/16/3/3/1/2019)
- Aggeneys 2 solar PV facility (DEA ref: 14/12/16/3/3/1/2020)

- Grid Connection Infrastructure for Aggeneys 1 (DEA ref: 14/12/16/3/3/1/2023)
- Grid Connection Infrastructure for Aggeneys 2 (DEA ref: 14/12/16/3/3/1/2024)

Kindly advise on your availability to undertake the authority site inspection for the above mentioned projects within the week of the 24th of June or 1st of July.

Kindly note that we have not been able to contact Peter Cloete (Northern Cape DENC) regarding the site inspection. It has been indicated that he is on leave until 14 June 2019. We will communicate these dates to him as soon as he is back in the office.

Kind regards



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Reuben Maroga

From: Thalita Koster
Sent: Tuesday, 04 June 2019 14:37
To: Peter Cloete
Cc: Reuben Maroga
Subject: RE: Authority Site Inspection - Aggeneys 1, Aggeneys 2 and associated grid infrastructure

Dear Peter,

Kindly advise on your availability for the site inspection in the week of 24 June or 1 July for the above-mentioned projects.

Kind regards

From: Thalita Koster
Sent: Friday, 31 May 2019 9:58 AM
To: Peter Cloete <peter.denc87@gmail.com>
Cc: Reuben Maroga <reuben@savannahsa.com>
Subject: RE: Authority Site Inspection - Aggeneys 1, Aggeneys 2 and associated grid infrastructure

Dear Pieter,

Kindly refer to the email trail below.

Please can you advise on your availability in the week of 24 June or 1 July for the authority site visit for the above-mentioned projects.

Kind regards

From: Samantha De la Fontaine <sdelafontaine@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, 31 May 2019 9:53 AM
To: Thalita Koster <thalita@savannahsa.com>
Cc: Reuben Maroga <reuben@savannahsa.com>; Peter Cloete <peter.denc87@gmail.com>
Subject: Re: Authority Site Inspection - Aggeneys 1, Aggeneys 2 and associated grid infrastructure

Dear Thalita

Seeing that the development falls within the Namaqua District Municipality, my colleague Peter Cloete, who is based in our Springbok office, is the more appropriate person to contact. We work according to districts - I'm responsible for the ZFM and John Taolo District Municipalities. You can contact Peter on 027 718 8800.

Kind regards

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On Fri, May 31, 2019 at 8:43 AM Thalita Koster <thalita@savannahsa.com> wrote:

Dear Samantha,

I trust that you are well.

Savannah Environmental is currently undertaking the BA processes for the following projects:

- Aggeneys 1 solar PV facility (DEA ref: 14/12/16/3/3/1/2019)
- Aggeneys 2 solar PV facility (DEA ref: 14/12/16/3/3/1/2020)
- Grid Connection Infrastructure for Aggeneys 1 (DEA ref: 14/12/16/3/3/1/2023)
- Grid Connection Infrastructure for Aggeneys 2 (DEA ref: 14/12/16/3/3/1/2024)

These projects are located near Aggeneys in the Northern Cape Province. The competent authority, the DEA, has requested that a combined site inspection should be undertaken for all four projects with the relevant case officers, DEA Biodiversity Directorate and the Northern Cape DENC. Please can you advise on your availability in the week of 24 June or 1 July for such a site visit.

As we need to invite numerous parties to the site visit on a date which everyone is available, please advise on a suitable date at your earliest convenience.

Kind regards

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From: Thando Booï <TBooi@environment.gov.za>
Sent: Monday, 27 May 2019 12:26
To: Reuben Maroga
Cc: Matlhodi Mogorosi; Azrah Essop
Subject: RE: SE2206 - Aggeneys GCs and PVs BARS - Site Visit

Dear Reuben

Please be advised that we would like to conduct the site inspection after receipt of the final reports. Please extend the invitation to DEA's Biodiversity and Conservation Directorate and the Northern Cape Department of Environment and Nature Conservation.

Kind regards
Thando Booï

From: Reuben Maroga [mailto:reuben@savannahsa.com]
Sent: Monday, 27 May 2019 11:46
To: MMogorosi@environment.gov.za; Thando Booï
Subject: SE2206 - Aggeneys GCs and PVs BARS - Site Visit
Importance: High

Good Morning Mathlodi and Thando,

I trust you both had a restful weekend.

This email relates to the suite of Aggeneys PV and Grid Projects where a site visit is required as per the Department's comments. In the light of this, I am trying to organize provisional dates for this to take place. Could you please indicate your availability ?

Best Regards



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