

APPENDIX 3

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION



Notice of Application
for Environmental
Authorisation of a
Mining Permit

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PUBLIC
PARTICIPATION
REPORT

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ABBREVIATIONS

BID	Background Information Document
DWS	Department of Water and Sanitation
RI&APS	Registered Interested & Affected Parties
I&APS	Interested & Affected Parties
PPP	Public Participation Process

1. INTRODUCTION

The Public Participation Process (PPP) forms an integral part of the application process. It provides people with the opportunity to raise their issues and concerns about the proposed establishment of a Borrow Pit in Stella. A comprehensive public participation process was conducted by EMG Consultants, to ensure that all identified Stakeholders / Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) were informed of the proposed Mining Permit application and their input is able to influence decision-making process with regards to the application.

2. APPROACH AND METHODOLOGY

The Public Participation Process was conducted as per Regulation 39, 40, 41, 42, 43 & 44 of the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations 2014 (as amended 07 April 2017) and the Public Participation Guidelines, 2017 were considered. Steps, which were taken to inform the Stakeholders / identified I&APs and surrounding community of the proposed development included:

- ♣ Newspaper advertisement.
- ♣ On site and surrounding area notices.
- ♣ Notifications, i.e. Distribution of Background Information Document (BID) to neighbouring property Owners & Stakeholders.

3. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS CONDUCTED

The methods that were undertaken during conducting of the public participation process as discussed in detail below.

3.1. NEWSPAPER ADVERTISEMENT

The project was advertised in the local Stellalander newspaper, on the 27th of July 2021 to inform the Stakeholders / I&APs of the Application for Environmental Authorisation of a Mining Permit for the establishment of a Borrow Pit in Stella.

3.1.1 Newspaper Advert

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION OF A MINING PERMIT

Notice is hereby given in terms of regulation 41 of Government Notice No. R328 under the National Environmental Management Act (Act 107 of 1998) as amended 7 April 2017, Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act 28 OF 2002 as amended of intent to carry out the following project:

APPLICATION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION OF A MINING PERMIT

NEMA: Listing Notice 1 (NO. 327, 07 APRIL 2017)

R327	21	Any activity including the operation of that activity which requires a mining permit in terms of section 27 of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act, 2002 (Act No. 28 of 2002), including — (a) associated infrastructure, structures, and earthworks, directly related to the extraction of a mineral resource [..]; or [Including activities for which an exemption has been issued in terms of section 106 of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act, 2002 (Act No. 28 of 2002)].
R327	27	The clearance of an area of 1 hectare or more, but less than 20 hectares of indigenous vegetation, except where such clearance of indigenous vegetation.

LOCATION: Stella, situated on the farm Biesjes Bult 549 portion 18, Naledi Local Municipality Northwest Province

PROPONENT: Naledi Local Municipality

CONSULTANT: ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT GROUP PTY LTD

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Website: www.envmgrp.com

DATE OF NOTICE: 22 July 2022

To ensure that you are identified as an Interested and/or Affected Party and that you receive all the updated information pertaining to this project throughout the process, please submit your name, contact information and interest in the matter to the consultant given above within 30 days of publication of this notice.

Thirty days are allowed for your comments to reach us as per NEMA (Act 107, 1998, amended 7 April 2017), GNR 326.

Site notice & Background information document (BID) will be available on our website envmgrp.com at public participation and will also be made available on request.

THE FACULTY



Masterclass Students of 2022!

Intensiewe winterskool vir dans

STELLALANDER-VRYBURG: Gabriëlle Woest, 'n Gr. 9 leerder van Hoërskool Vryburg het tydens die Juniorvakansie 'n intensiewe winterskool vir dans in Kaapstad bygewoon. Ballet, kontemporêre dans, hip-hop en musiekteater is van die danse wat aangebied is deur Kaapstad en internasionale onderrysers.

Die winterskool het gestrek oor agt dae met agt ure se dans per dag. Dit was by die Winterkool Theatre School of Dance onder leiding van Tracy Li en Daniel Stages aangebied. Altesaam sesennagtig personeelstudies van Kaapstad Ballet. Die skool was 'n balanseer om 'n baie groot voorleg vir Gabby om by te staan. (Foto: verskaf)

Gabriëlle Woest (tweede ry heel links) het aan 'n winterskool vir dans deelgeneem.

Geslaagde gholfborgdag

STELLALANDER-VRYBURG: Standard Bank het op Saterdag (23 Julie) 'n baie geslaagde gholfborgdag by Vryburg Gholfklub aangebied.

Daar was 68 spelers wat aan die borgdag deelgeneem het en wat later ook baie belangstelling aan die wateryg getoon het. Die borgdag is algemeen met 'n besonderse en opwindende. Die kampioën was Individuele Stellenhof met Cyril Steyler met 43 punte in die eerste plek, George Braundebout met 41 punte in die tweede

plek, Charlie Ward met 40 punte in die derde plek en GP Jans van Rensburg met 40 punte in die vierde plek. Vryburg Gholfklub bedank Otta Lening, Standard Bank Promosie Streeksrektor en John Steen, die plaaslike Landbou-ontwikkelaar vir hulle aansteek tot 'n baie suksesvolle dag. (Foto's: verskaf)



John Lening met Cyril Steyler wat gholfkampioen is die eerste plek.



John Lening met George Braundebout wat gholfkampioen is die tweede plek.



John Lening met GP Jans van Rensburg wat gholfkampioen is die vierde plek.



STAKEHOLDER RELATIONS MANAGER RFP

Background:
Enel Green Power is an Independent Power Producer operating in South Africa. EGP has 12 electricity generation sites located across the country and has a generation capacity of approximately 1.2 GW. EGP is strongly committed to community development in the communities that it operates in and is seeking to partner with local organisations that would assist it in maximising its impact in the host communities.

These organisations would be contracted by Tshikululu Social Investment as Stakeholder Relationship Managers providing services to EGP. Organisations may be any registered trading entity.

For more information on this opportunity and to apply please visit <https://tshikululu.org.za/enelbrm/>

Deadline:
Applications must be submitted before 5pm on the 12th August 2022.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION OF A MINING PERMIT

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NEMA: Listing Notice 1 (NO. 127 OF APRIL 2017)

R227	2.1	Any activity including the operation of that activity which requires a mining permit in terms of section 27 of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act, 2002 (and its SA of 2002), including— (a) associated infrastructure, structures and earthworks, directly related to the extraction of a mineral resource; or (b) prospecting activities for which an application has been submitted in terms of section 136 of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act, 2002 (and its SA of 2002)
R227	2.2	The operation of an area of 1 hectare or more, but less than 20 hectares of indigenous vegetation, except where such removal of indigenous vegetation

LOCATION: Tshika, situated on the farm Tshika 241 (portion 14, Saniel Local Municipality, Northern Free State Local Municipality

PROPOSITOR/CONSULTANT: Environmental Management Group Pty Ltd
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Website: www.emgma.com

DATE OF NOTICE: 22 July 2022

To ensure that you are notified as an interested and/or affected Party and that you receive all of the updated information pertaining to this project throughout the process, please advise your name, contact information and e-mail in the matter to be consulted your advice within 30 days of publication of this notice.

They also be allowed for your comments to reach us as per NEMA/Act 107, 1989, amended 1 April 2017, GMR 202

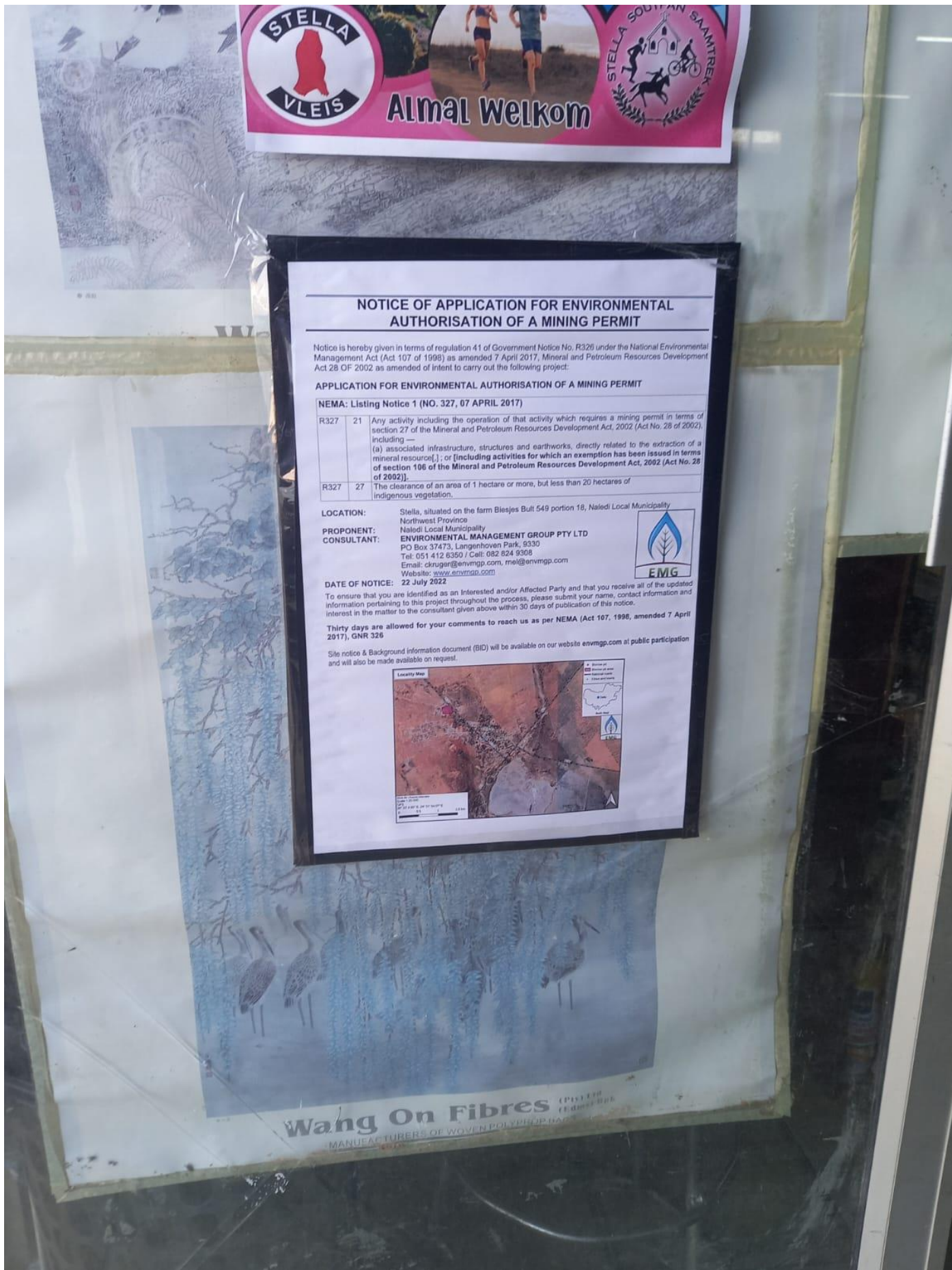
For further & Dispute resolution information documents (DSD) will be available on our website www.emgma.com at public access sessions and will also be made available on request.

3.2. SITE NOTICES

On site notice boards were erected on the 26th of July 2022, to bring the proposed application for Environmental Authorisation for a mining permit to the attention of I&APs including surrounding land users. Refer to the table below for coordinates of the mentioned site notices. Pictures of each site notice were taken and represents proof of placement.

Site notice placement coordinates		
1	-26.55259	24.86621
2	-26.544762°	24.857711°
3	-26.544981°	24.855837°
4	-26.546373°	24.857423°

Site Notice 1



**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL
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Notice is hereby given in terms of regulation 41 of Government Notice No. R326 under the National Environmental Management Act (Act 107 of 1998) as amended 7 April 2017, Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act 28 OF 2002 as amended of intent to carry out the following project:

APPLICATION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION OF A MINING PERMIT

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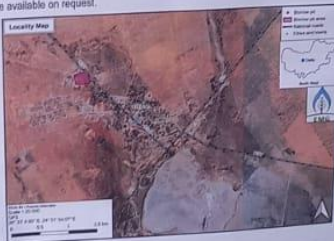
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Thirty days are allowed for your comments to reach us as per NEMA (Act 107, 1996, amended 7 April 2017), GNR 326

Site notice & Background information document (BID) will be available on our website envmgrp.com at public participation and will also be made available on request.



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Site Notice 2



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Site Notice 3



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Site Notice 4



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3.3. DISTRIBUTION OF BACKGROUND INFORMATION DOCUMENT

For notification of Stakeholders / I&APs about the proposed project, a BID, shown below was compiled, and it was sent to the identified Stakeholders / I&APs.



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CHRISTIEN KRUGER

Background Information Document

Background Information Document for the Notice of Application for Environmental Authorisation of a Mining Permit

July 2022

INTRODUCTION

Environmental Management Group (Pty) Ltd is the Professional Service Provider applying for Environmental Authorisation on behalf of Naledi Local Municipality for the Application for Environmental Authorization of a Mining Permit in Stella.

LOCALITY

The proposed borrow pit will be located near Stella on farm Biesjes Bult portion 18 which falls under the Naledi Local Municipality, in the Northwest Province.

ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION

Prior to the commencement of the proposed borrow pit establishment, Environmental Authorization in terms of the National Environmental Management Act (NEMA), 107 of 1998, as amended 7 April 2017 is required from the competent authority Department of Mineral Resources (DMR). The Environmental Assessment Process will be conducted in terms of the 2014 NEMA environmental impact assessment (EIA) Regulations, GNR 326 as amended.

According to the National Environmental Management Act (Act 107 of 1998) as amended 7 April 2017, Listing Notice 1 (NO. 327, 07 APRIL 2017) – R 327 the following activity applicable to this project:

- ♣ **Activity 21:** Any activity including the operation of that activity which requires a mining permit in terms of section 27 of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act, 2002 (Act No. 28 of 2002), including —
 - (a) associated infrastructure, structures and earthworks, directly related to the extraction of a mineral resource[.]; or **[including activities for which an exemption has been issued in terms of section 106 of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act, 2002 (Act No. 28 of 2002)]**
- ♣ **Activity 27:** The clearance of an area of 1 hectare or more, but less than 20 hectares of indigenous vegetation, except where such clearance of indigenous vegetation.

PURPOSE OF THIS DOCUMENT

EMG has prepared this document to inform you about:

- ♣ The proposed application;
- ♣ The current understanding of the baseline environmental and social conditions;
- ♣ Possible environmental impacts and proposed specialist studies;
- ♣ How you can have input into the Environmental Authorisation process.

YOU'RE ROLE

You have been identified as an interested and/or affected party (I&AP) who may want to be informed about the proposed project and have input into the environmental assessment processes and environmental reports.

You have an opportunity to review this document and provide your initial comments to us for incorporation in the environmental assessment process. You will also be given the opportunity to provide input at the public meeting, if the need arises. And to review and comment on some reports:

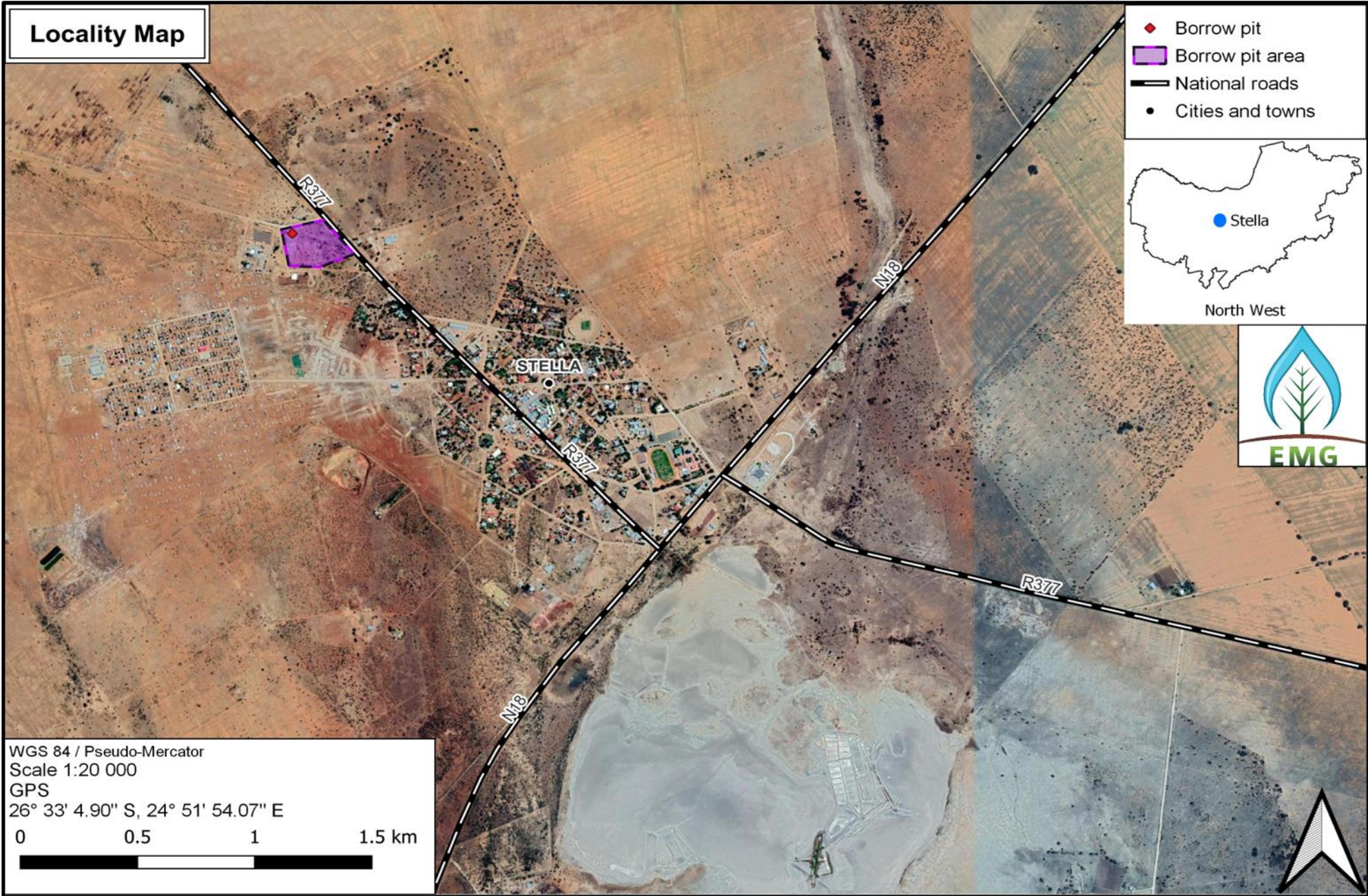
Comments will be recorded and included in the reports submitted to the relevant authorities for decision-making.

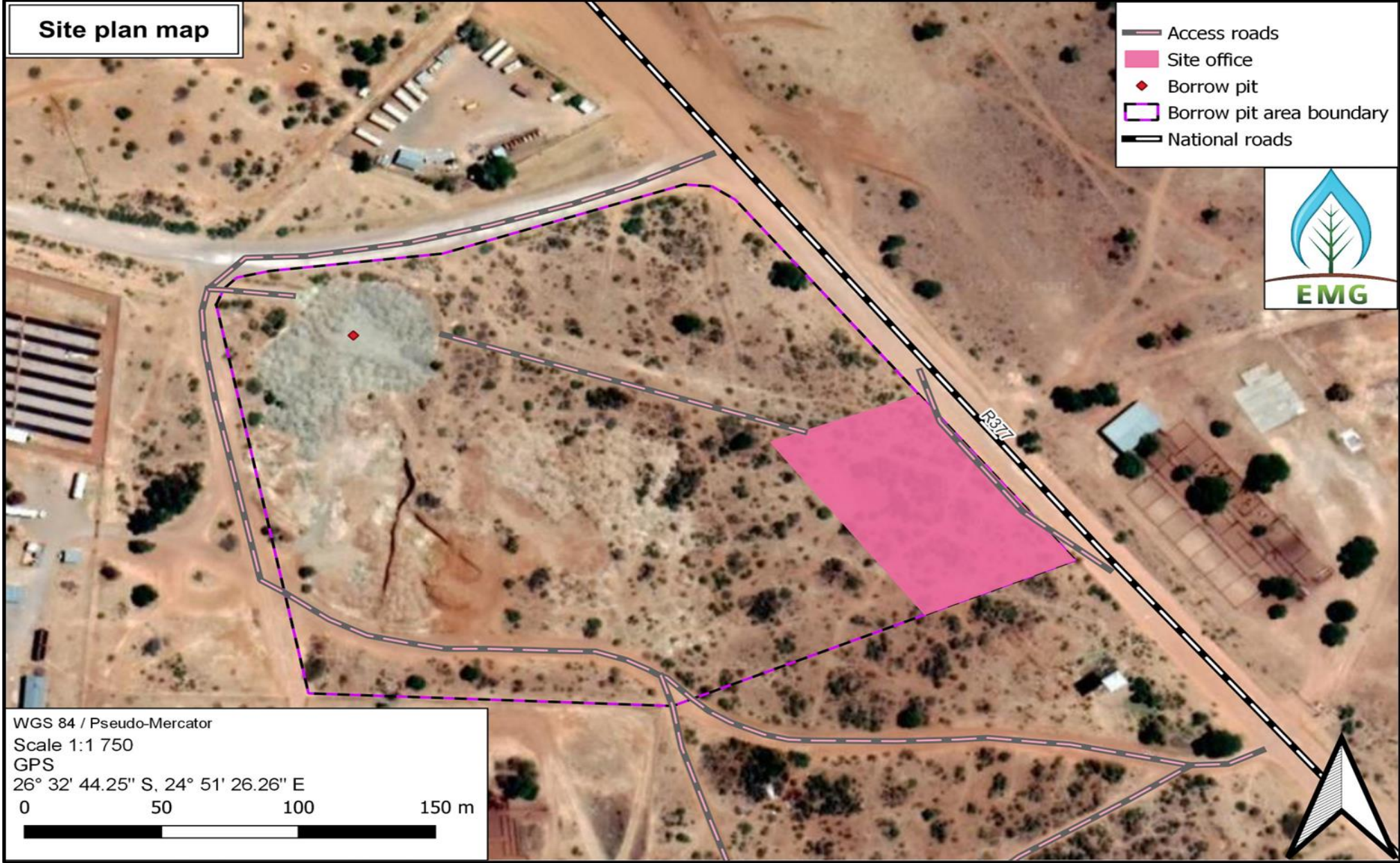
HOW TO RESPOND

If you are interested in receiving further information on the project please register your details with the persons listed below. Responses to this document can be submitted by means of the attached comments sheet and/or through communication with the persons listed below.

Christien Kruger
Tel: 051 412 6350
E-mail: ckruger@envmgp.com

MAPS





PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Environmental Authorisation is required for a mining permit for a borrow pit less than 5ha. In order to provide gravel (dolerite) material for future infrastructure development, extraction of gravel (dolerite) from a quarry by means of surface mining is needed. As well as the primary processing of a dolerite including winning, classifying, concentrating, crushing, screening and washing.

POTENTIAL ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS

Below is a preliminary list of potential impacts identified at this stage of the process and will be investigated as part of the environmental assessment process. The list will be refined during the course of the Basic Assessment Process.

- ♣ Ecological assessment
- ♣ Heritage impact assessment

ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION

The environmental assessment processes will be conducted to inform the competent authorities in their decision-making. These processes are conducted simultaneously.

STEPS IN THE ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION PROCESSES

The environmental authorisation processes provides information on the project and environment in which it is being undertaken; identifies, in consultation with registered interested & affected parties (RI&APs), the potential negative as well as positive impacts of the project; and reports on management measures required to mitigate impacts to an acceptable level. The likely process steps and timeframes are provided below. RI&APs and other stakeholders on the project's database will receive notification of public participation opportunities in advance.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Public Participation provides Stakeholders and I&APs the opportunity to raise issues of concern and comment on the proposed activity. Notify other regulatory authorities and I&APs of the project and environmental assessment (via newspaper advertisements, site notices and this BID document)

PROCESS STEPS (in accordance with GN R326)	RESPONSIBLE PARTY	TIMEFRAME
1. Initial communication to clarify the application with the Authorising Department.	EAP	1 day
2. EAP to conduct a site investigation	EAP	1 day
3. EAP to submit Mining Permit Application to competent authority.	EAP	1 day
4. Competent authority Accepts Application	DMR	14 days
5. EAP to undertake the BAR and compile a Report (including the draft EMP) subjected to 30 days Public Participation Process	EAP	90 days
6. EAP to submit Final BAR report inclusive of comments to competent authority.	EAP	1 day
7. Competent Authority to grant Mining Permit	DMR	107 days
8. Mining Permit Authorisation subjected to 20-day appeal process.	EAP	20 days
9. Final Approval of Mining Permit Authorisation.	DMR	1 day

PARTIES INVOLVED IN THE ENVIRONMENTAL APPLICATION PROCESSES

IAPs

- ♣ Surrounding landowners, land users and communities

KEY STAKEHOLDERS

- ♣ Department Economic Development, Environment, Conservation and Tourism
- ♣ Department Public Works and Roads
- ♣ Department Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs
- ♣ Department Community Safety and Transport Management
- ♣ Department Agriculture and Rural Development
- ♣ Department of Water and Sanitation (DWS)
- ♣ Department of Heritage (SAHRIS)
- ♣ Department of Social Development

LOCAL AUTHORITIES

- ♣ Naledi Local Municipality
- ♣ Dr Ruth Segomotsi Mompoti District Municipality
- ♣ Mayor & Ward Councillor

Please let us know if there are any additional parties that should be involved.

**Notice of Application for Environmental Authorisation of a Mining Permit
Registration and Response Form for Interested and Affected Parties (I&AP)**

Date			
Particulars of the I&AP			
Name			
Postal Address & Code			
Street Address & Code			
Telephone number		Cell Phone Number	
Fax Number		E-Mail Address	
Please Identify your Interest in the Proposed Project:			
Please write your comments and questions here:			

Please return completed document prior to 30 days lapsing to:

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ENVMGP
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Website: envmgp.com

3.4 LIST OF I&AP'S & STAKEHOLDERS

List of Stakeholders and I&AP's				
Department / Organisation	Contact Person	E-Mail Address	Address	Contact Nr
Northwest Department Economic Development, Environment, Conservation and Tourism	Mr Brian Setswambung	rdloem@nwpg.gov.za / BSetswambung@nwpg.gov.za	Private Bag X65 Mmabatho 2735	018 388 4447
Northwest Department Public Works and Roads	Road Management	sitase@nwpg.gov.za	Ngaka Modiri Molema Road, Old Parliament Complex, Mmabatho 2735	018 388 1395
Northwest Department Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs	Mamorena Lehoko	Marcia@nwpg.gov.za	NWDC Building , cnr Provident House and University Drive, Mmabatho 2735	018 388 2891
Northwest Department Community Safety and Transport Management	Ms Boiitshoko Moremi	bmoremi@nwpg.gov.za	Carrington st, Golf View, Mahikeng 2795	018 200 8003
Northwest Department Agriculture and Rural Development	Ms Bonolo Mohlakoana	bmohlakoana@nwpg.gov.za	Modiri Molema, Mahikeng 2975	018 389 5719
Northwest Department of Water and Sanitation (DWS)	Mr Sputnik Ratau	rataus@dws.gov.za	Sedibeng Building, 185 Francis Baard st, Pretoria	012-336 6813
Northwest Department of Social Development	Ms Dikeledi Mothobi	DMothobi@nwpg.gov.za	Tirelo Building, West Wing, 3 rd Floor, Albert Lethuli Drive, Mmabatho 2735	018 388 2040
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Naledi Local Municipality Technical Services	Mr Nelson Mongale	technicalnaledilm@gmail.com	19 A Market Street, Vryburg, 8600	053 928 2200
Naledi Local Municipality Mayor	Cllr CJ Group	mayor@naledilm.gov.za	19A Market Street, Vryburg, 8600	053 928 2200
Naledi Local Municipality Ward 1	Mr M Mopibebi	mopibebilepshweme@gmail.com	19A Market Street, Vryburg, 8600	079 107 9477

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Councilor				
Eskom		CustomerServices@eskom.co.za		
SAHRIS		https://sahris.sahra.org.za/		

3.5 PROOF OF BID DISTRIBUTION TO LOCAL AUTHORITIES, STAKEHOLDERS & I&AP'S

Background Information Document for Mining Permit Stella

Christien Kruger <ckruger@enmgp.com>
To: 'rdloem@nwpg.gov.za'; 'BSetemambung@nwpg.gov.za'; 'sitas@nwpg.gov.za'; 'marcia@nwpg.gov.za'; 'bmoremi@nwpg.gov.za'; 'bmohlakana@nwpg.gov.za'; 'tataus@dms.gov.za'; 'Dlathobhi@nwpg.gov.za'; 'chwene@drsmdm.gov.za'; 'municipalitymanagement@gmail.com'; 'technicalaidim@gmail.com'; 'mayor@naledim.gov.za'; +1 other
Mon 01 Aug 2022 08:23

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1 MB

Good Day

You have been identified as an Interested and/or Affected Party (I&AP) who may want to be informed about the proposed Mining Permit application for the Stella Borow Pit development and may have comments which needs to be addressed in the Environmental Authorisation process.

The public participation done to date (site notice and advertisement) was a call to identify interested and affected parties, and to give you the opportunity to provide us with your initial comments to be incorporated into the reports. I am attaching the Background Information Document and Site Notice is both available on our website www.enmgp.com for viewing purposes. You have 30 days to send us your comments, issues, and concerns.

Kind Regards / Vriendelike Groete!

Christien Kruger

CHRISTIEN KRUGER
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Reg: 2017/073489/07

3.6 COMMENTS RECEIVED FROM STAKEHOLDERS

Person	Comment	Response
<p>Department Public Works and Road North West KA Sitase Sitase@nwpg.gov.za Tel : 018 - 388 1398 Fax : 086 646 1255 Cell : 082 955 2585</p>	<p>Good afternoon, Christien Kruger</p> <p>Your communication in regard to the subject mentioned above refers. Herewith find the attached "R22_11-1-1-3-1_Mining Permit-Stella". Regards</p> <p>Private Bag X 2080 Mmabatho 2735</p> <p>Office 231 - Second Floor New Building @ Old Parliament Premises Dr Modiri Molema Road Mmabatho</p>	<p><u>See attached Appendices</u></p>

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Appendices 1



public works & roads

Department
Public Works and Roads
North West Provincial Government
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

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**CHIEF DIRECTORATE: TRANSPORT
INFRASTRUCTURE**

DIRECTORATE: PLANNING AND DESIGN

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Ref: R22_11-1-1-3-1_Mining Permit-Stella

ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT GROUP (PTY) LTD

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Bloemfontein
9301

For attention: Mr. Christiaan Kruger

COMMENTS/ CONSENT IN TERMS OF ACT NO 21 OF 1940 AND ROADS ORDINANCE NO 22 OF 1957 AS AMENDED: NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION OF A MINING PERMIT FOR STELLA BORROW PIT DEVELOPMENT IN RESPECT OF CERTAIN PORTION OF THE REMAINING EXTENT OF PORTION 18 OF THE FARM BIESIES BULT 549 IN, MALEDI LOCAL MUNICIPALITY, NORTH WEST PROVINCE

AFFECTED PROVINCIAL ROAD (S) : D968_000 (R377) AND D3515_010
MUNICIPALITY : MALEDI LOCAL MUNICIPALITY
TOWN/ TOWNSHIP/ FARM : PORTION OF THE RE-OF PORTION 18 OF THE FARM ZOUTPANS FONTEIN 549 IN
REGISTRATION NUMBERS :
CLIENT(S)/ APPLICANT : MALEDI LOCAL MUNICIPALITY

Your communication dated 1 August 2022 has reference. This consent is issued in terms of the **Advertising on Roads and Ribbon Development Act No 21 of 1940 and Roads Ordinance No 22 of 1957** as amended.

There is no objection to the proposed development, subject to the strict adherence of the attached **Specific and Special Conditions** and should form part of the proposed planning/ development, also that the conditions/requirements listed below are imposed and met in all respects by the applicant:



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NOTE : A written confirmation of acceptance of the attached conditions is required. In the event of not receiving a written acceptance of conditions, the approval is withdrawn and this approval is cancelled.

Yours faithfully



DIRECTOR PLANNING AND DESIGN

11/08/2022

DATE

LA MAFUNI

cc. : Mr D.R. Fortuin, Tel. No. (053) 938 7208, Private Bag X 9, Wyburg, 9906; Rfortuin@mvpp.gov.za

Attached : [Locality Map_Mining Permit-Stella Borrow Pit](#) and [Google_Borrow Pit Stella-Mining Permit](#)



GENERAL CONDITIONS FOR THE PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT

NB: This wayleave is granted in favour of: **NALEDI LOCAL MUNICIPALITY.**

1. EXISTING AND FUTURE/ PLANNED PROVINCIAL ROADS

The existing and future/ planned provincial road(s) should be excluded from the proposed development(s). For more information see the attached: **Locality Map_Mining Permit-Stella Borrow Pit.**

2. ACCESS TO THE PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT

The existing access(es) to the affected land i.e. **Locality Map_Mining Permit-Stella Borrow Pit** will be used for the above-mentioned development(s).

No additional access (es) will be allowed to Provincial Road(s) **D968_020 (R377)** and **D3515_010** at all, without the written approval of the Controlling Authority (Department of Public Works and Roads).

3. NOTIFICATION TO THE DEPARTMENT

The *Department of Public Works and Roads (dpwr)* should be notified (with appropriate detailed plans) about any of the intention or planning and before the commencement thereof of the following:-

- a. Construction of Permanent or Temporary Access(es) from any of the Provincial roads.
- b. Construction of any structures e.g. Buildings along the any of the Provincial roads.
- c. Closing and or Deviation of section(s) of the Provincial roads.
- d. Erection of Advertisement along the Provincial roads.
- e. Working inside the Road Reserves of any of the Provincial roads.
- f. Temporary or Permanent Closure of Traffic on either of the affected roads.
- g. Erection and or Construction of Overhead and or Underground Services e.g. Water & Sewerage pipe lines, Electrical and Telephone Cable Lines across or parallel to the provincial roads.
- h. Trees, Shrubs, Cultivated Grass, Gates or Road Fencing, and or any Road Signage and Furniture to be removed or damaged within the Provincial Road Reserve. If such assets were removed or damaged you will have to replace them to the entire satisfaction of the **Department of Public Works and Roads.**



4. **BUILDING LINE**

Except where the approval has been granted for services crossing and/or development along the provincial road (s). It may be in terms of Section 9 of the Advertising on Roads and Ribbon Development Act [Act 21 of 1940, as amended] not to be laid nearer than 95m from the centre line of the Road Reserve or within a 500m radius measured from the centre line of the junction of a building restriction Road Reserve (except a National/ Municipal and/or Private road), without the specific permission of the Department of Public Works and Roads. For any SPECIAL/ SPECIFIC CONDITIONS see Clause 5 below.

5. **SPECIAL/ SPECIFIC CONDITIONS FOR THE PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT**

Your proposed development is hereby granted subject to the strict adherence of the conditions/requirements listed below and all Safety Measures by the applicant/ and or his contractors/ suppliers:

a. **ABNORMAL TRUCKS/ EQUIPMENTS**

Department of Public Works and Roads should also be notified with any of the intention of transporting abnormal trucks/ equipments on any of the above stated provincial road(s).

b. **BLASTING/ EXPLOSIVE OF ROCKS**

Any unstable conditions encountered or any rock requiring blasting to be reported directly and immediately to the Departmental Roads Engineer/ Manager.

Blasting to be done in accordance with the current applicable Explosives Regulations/ Acts and possible damage to the road must be excluded as far as possible.

Any damage to the road caused by unstable soil conditions (subsidence, etc.) or blasting must be repaired to the satisfaction of the: Departmental Roads Engineer/ Manager.



c. **INDEMNITY OF THE PREMIER AGAINST CLAIMS**

- I. You indemnify the **PREMIER OF NORTH WEST** and exempt him from any claim or damage which may be instituted or suffered by any person, including legal costs, as a result of the laying or erection of any service or any other works caused or erected by you, or as a result of negligence on your part to protect or maintain the service or other works caused by any other person unless you can prove negligence on the part of Department of Public Works, Roads and Transport or its officials.
- II. The Department of Public Works and Roads will not be liable for any damage suffered by the applicant as a result of the development, operations carried out on road construction or road maintenance or any other operations whatsoever, unless negligence on the part of Department of Public Works, Roads and Transport or its officials can be proved.
- III. The applicant shall indemnify the Department of Public Works and Roads or its officials and workers against any claims arising out of any death of or injuries to any person or damage to any property whatsoever (including services such as water pipes, telephone and or electric cables, etc.) caused by or resulting from the activities of the applicant in the road reserve. ●

d. **ROAD RESERVE WIDTHS OF THE AFFECTED PROVINCIAL ROADS**

Provision must be made for the following road reserves/ streets and must be excluded from the proposed development:

- i) Road D968_020 (R377) with the road reserve width of about 32m.
- ii) Road D3515_010 with the road reserve width of about 32m.

e. **BUILDING LINE RELAXATION**

The Department of Public Works and Roads (DPWR) is hereby grant the minimum relaxation of the building line from the Standard 95m as stated by Clause 4: Standard Building Line above as follows.

Also see the attached Sketch Plans: Road Reserve Widths.

- i. Road Reserve Width of 32m : The Building Line Relaxation is 45m from the centre of the Road Reserve; (i.e. 13m from road reserve boundary).



f. **LAND USE ALONG THE ROAD(S)**

- I. No structure (Poles, Struts, Stays, Manholes, etc.) will be erected and/or allowed inside any of the provincial road reserve(s), without the approval from this Department indicating the correct location/ position of the proposed development.
- II. Land use or even build on the lines of no access shall be in accordance with the requirements of Executive Committee Resolution 1112 of 26 June 1978.
- III. The applicant shall not erect/ built either permanent or temporarily structures, and or any informal structures along the above-mentioned provincial roads inside the road reserve until he has obtain written approval from the Deputy Director General: Department of Public Works and Roads (Dgwr) to do so

6 **RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE COST OF (ACOUSTIC SCREENING) NOISE BARRIER**

The applicant shall be responsible for any costs involved in the erection of Acoustic Screening (Noise Barrier).

7 **ACCEPTANCE AND DISPOSAL OF STORM WATER**

- 7.1 In terms of Section 84 of the road Ordinance, 1957, the applicant shall arrange the drainage of the proposed development(s) in such way that it fit in with the drainage of the provincial Road(s) D968_020 (R377) and D9515_010, taking into account the capacity of the system.
- 7.2 The applicant/ local authority or whoever responsible for the drainage of the proposed development(s) shall receive and dispose all the storm water running from the road or being diverted from the road.
- 7.3 The state or the Provincial Administration will not be responsible for any damage caused by arising from such storm water.
- 7.4 Where, in the opinion of the Deputy Director General: Department of Public Works and Roads, the system for the above-mentioned road(s) is too small to cope with any increased volume of the storm as a result of the establishment or proposed development(s), the applicant/ local authority (whoever responsible for the drainage) shall be responsible for the cost of installing a larger drainage system for the provincial Road(s) D968_020 (R377) and D9515_010.



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7.5 The applicant/ local authority or whoever responsible for the drainage of the proposed development(s) shall build/ construct the drainage scheme at own cost simultaneously with the construction of the access (es).

It will be appreciated if you would kindly ensure that all the above conditions are included in the proposed and intended development(s). Should you have any question and or clarification in regard to the above-mentioned, please do not hesitate to contact this Department.

Yours faithfully

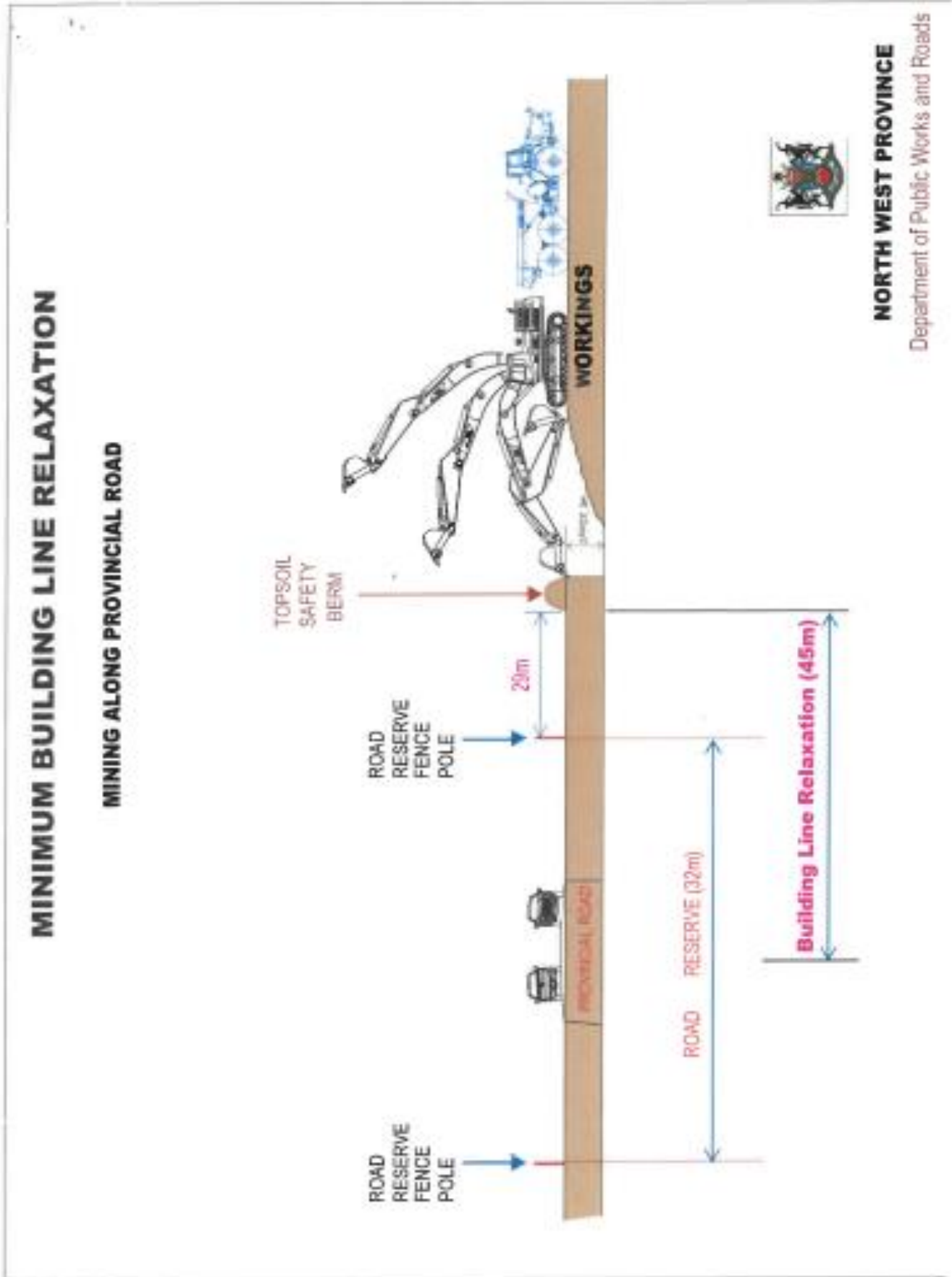

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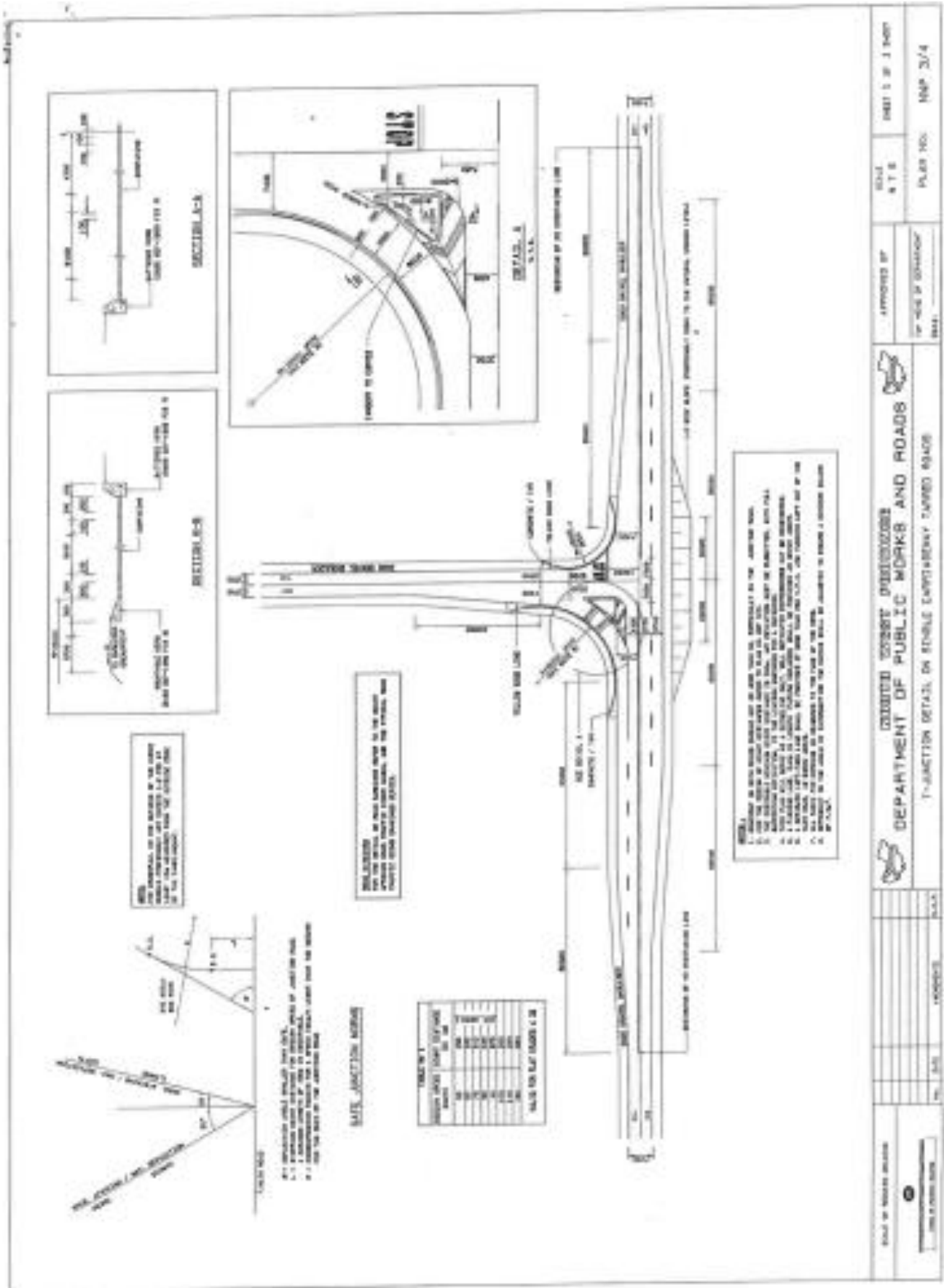

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Attached : Locality Maps: AWP 3-3; 3-4 & 3-1
: Google_Borrow Pit Stella-Mining Permit
: Locality Map_Mining Permit-Stella Borrow Pit
: Sketch Plan_22m Rd Reserve Building Line Felix_Mining

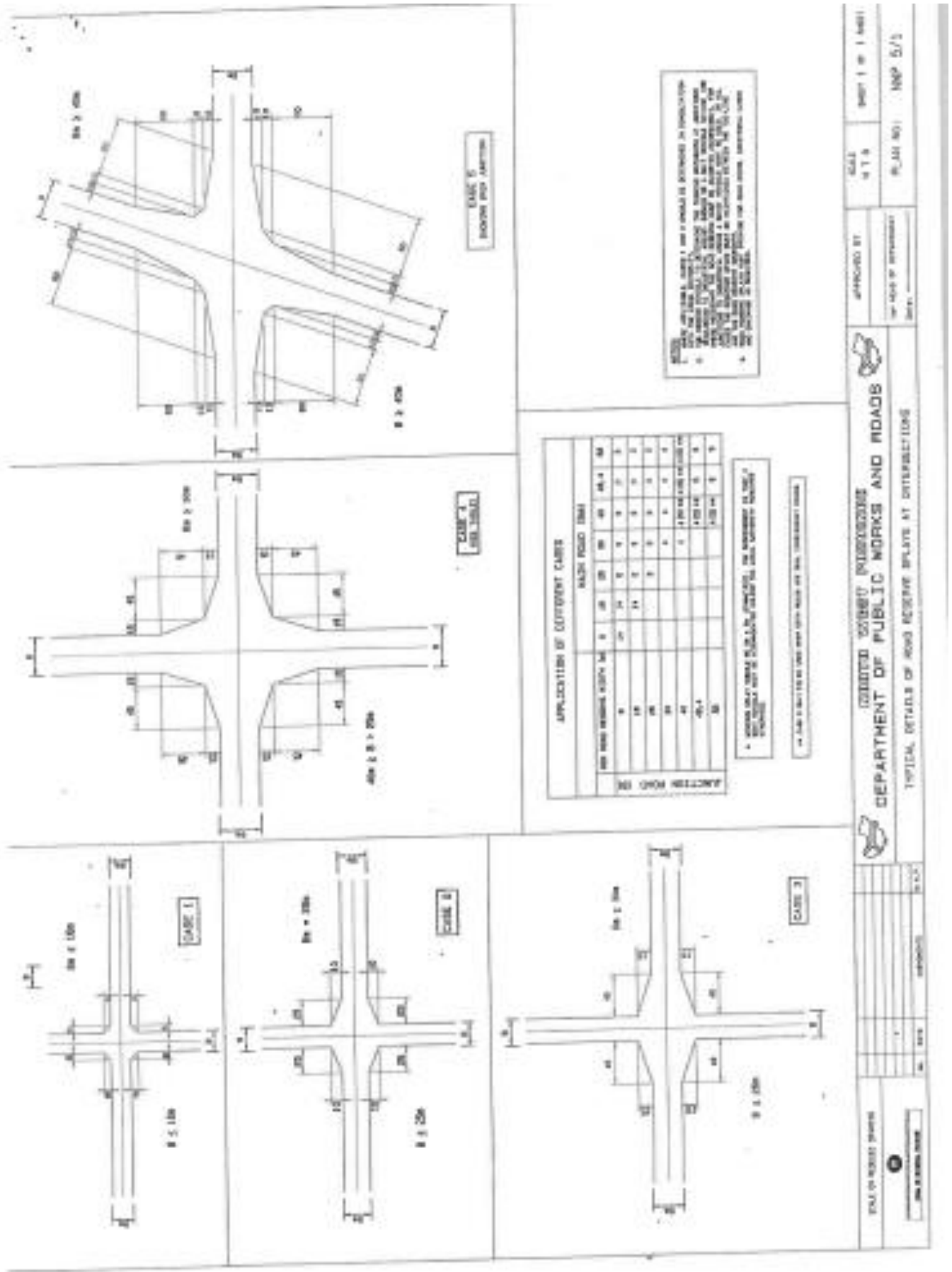


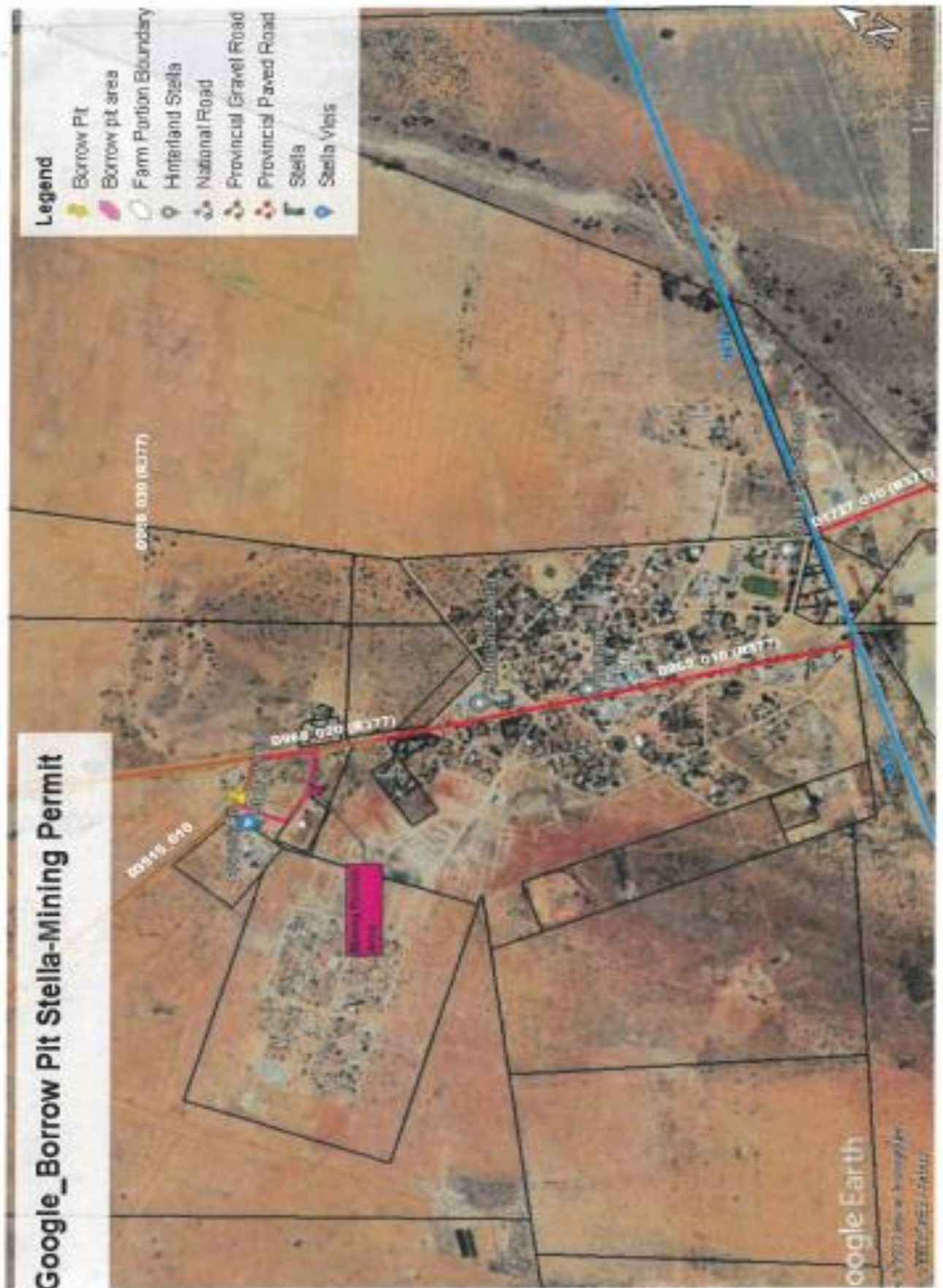


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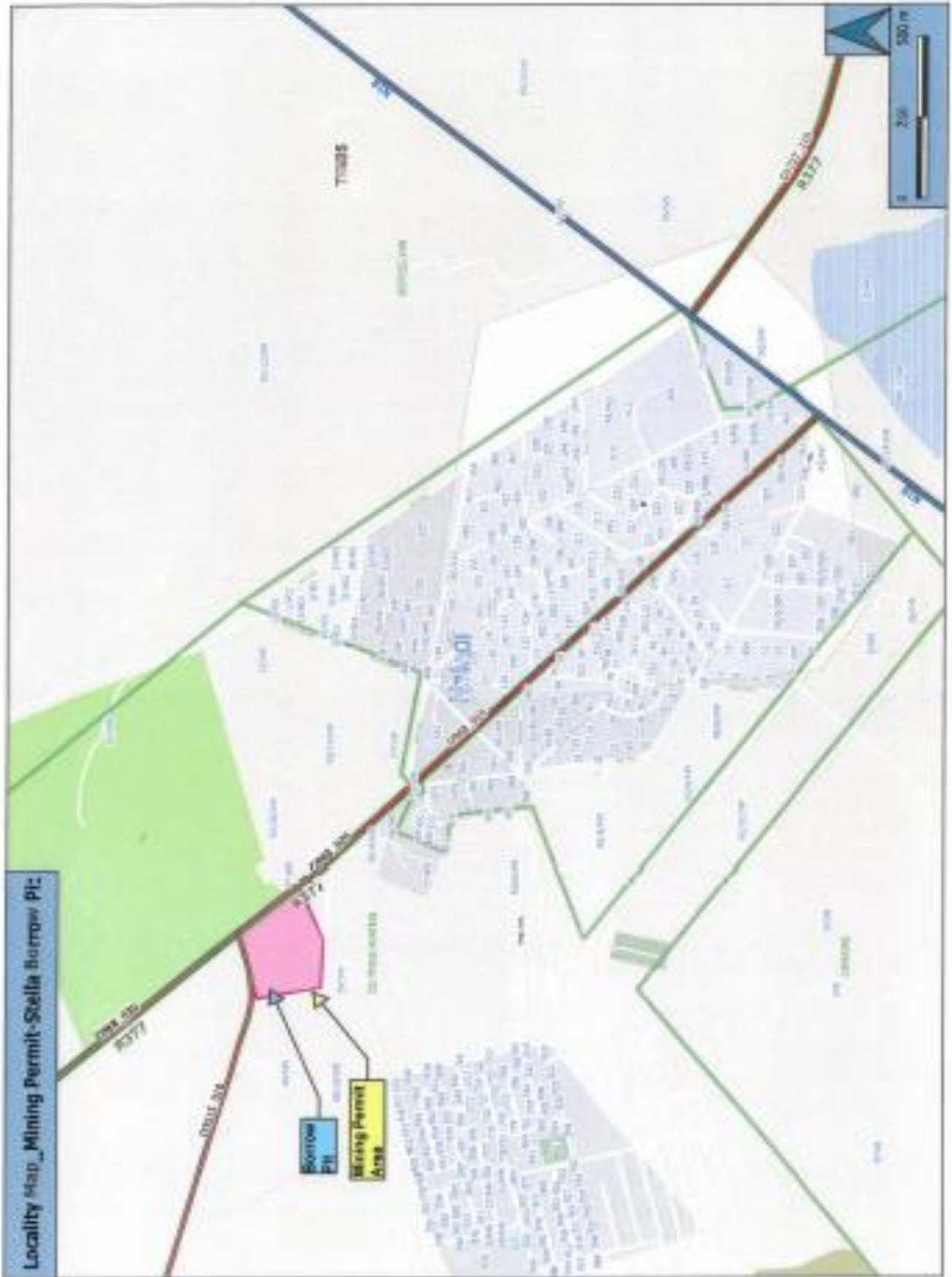


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4. Conclusion

It is concluded that the methods incorporated in the public participation process to inform the surrounding landowners, users, organs of state and identified government authorities was adequate. There registered I&AP's, Stakeholders were given an opportunity to give input regarding the Notice of Application for Environmental Authorisation for the Mining Permit for Stella and all comments are included in the Comment and Response Register.