

Gunjana WSS

Final Decision

**IN TERMS OF SECTION 38 OF THE NATIONAL HERITAGE RESOURCES ACT (ACT 25 OF 1999)
AND SECTION 41 OF THE KWAZULU-NATAL AMAFA AND RESEARCH INSTITUTE ACT (ACT 05
OF 2018)**

Attention: Terratest (Pty) Ltd

GUNJANA WATER SUPPLY SCHEME: PHASE 2, UMZINYATHI DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY, KZN

The application was considered by the Provincial Heritage Authority, the KwaZulu-Natal Amafa and Research Institute on 14 July 2021. The documents submitted in support of the application were reviewed. The committee noted that the majority of heritage sites, identified, are graves and for this reason, regular monitoring must be carried out by the Heritage Impact Specialist. The proposed development is on rock which is very unlikely to be fossiliferous.

The Provincial Heritage Authority, the KwaZulu-Natal Amafa & Research Institute, does not object to the development. However, protocols specified, must be adhered to.

The KwaZulu-Natal Amafa and Research Institute therefore has no objection to the proposed development

You are also required to adhere to the below-mentioned standard conditions:

1. The KwaZulu-Natal Amafa and Research Institute should be contacted if any heritage objects are identified during earth-moving activities and all development should cease until further notice.
2. No structures older than sixty years or parts thereof are allowed to be demolished, altered, or extended without a permit from the KwaZulu-Natal Amafa and Research Institute.
3. Under no circumstances may any heritage material be destroyed, inundated, collected, or removed from site unless under direction of the KwaZulu-Natal and Amafa Research Institute and a heritage specialist.
4. Should any remains be found on site that is potentially human remains, the South African Police Service (SAPS) should also be contacted. No SAPS official may disturb or exhume such remains, without the necessary permission from the KwaZulu-Natal Amafa and Research Institute.

5. No activities are allowed within 50m of a site, which contains rock art.
6. Sources of all-natural materials (including topsoil, sands, natural gravels, crushed stone, asphalt, etc.) must be obtained in a sustainable manner and in compliance with the heritage legislation.
7. Taking into consideration that the majority of the heritage sites are graves, regular monitoring must be done by the Heritage Impact Specialist.

Failure to comply with the requirements of the National Heritage Resources Act and the KwaZulu-Natal Amafa and Research Institute Act could lead to legal action being instituted against the applicant.

Should you have any further queries, please contact the designated official using the case number quoted above in the case header.

Yours faithfully



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Admin Clerk
KwaZulu-Natal Amafa and Research Institute

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Direct URL to case: <https://sahris.sahra.org.za/node/571558>

Terms & Conditions:

1. This approval does not exonerate the applicant from obtaining local authority approval or any other necessary approval for proposed work.
2. If any heritage resources, including graves or human remains, are encountered they must be reported to the Institute immediately.
3. The Institute reserves the right to request additional information as required.