Borrow Pit Ref UBP002, on Sub 4 of Reserve 20 No. 15840, Ulundi Local Municipality, KwaZulu-Natal Our Ref: SAH17/10876

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Final Comment

In terms of Section 38(8) of the National Heritage Resources Act (Act 25 of 1999) and the KwaZulu-Natal Heritage Act (Act 4 of 2008)

<u>Attention:</u> Sandile Hlabisa KwaZulu-Natal - Department of Transport Unit A, Inkonkoni Street, Ulundi Private Bag x18, Ulundi, 3838

Environmental Basic Assessment Process and Mining Permit Application for the Proposed Formalization and Expansion of an Existing 0.72ha Borrow Pit (Ref: UBP002), Located on Sub 4 of Reserve 20 No. 15840, within the Ulundi Local and Zululand District Municipalities of KwaZulu-Natal.

Thank you for the opportunity rendered to Amafa to comment on this development proposal. Amafa requires a field based Heritage Impact Assessment of the proposed area of development and its surroundings to ensure that suitable recommendations and mitigation measures can be offered. The area of development is generally sensitive and there is a possibility that heritage resources including places to which oral traditions are attached, informal graves, abandoned homesteads and stone age deposits exist here. farmland in this region has yielded valuable heritage resources during surveys.

The Study should cover:

- Identification of all heritage resources in the development area and its surroundings -50m
- Assessment of the impact of the development on such heritage
- Evaluation of the impact of the development on heritage resources relative to the sustainable social and economic benefits to be derived from the development
- Results of consultation with communities affected by the proposed development and other interested and affected parties regarding the impact of the development on heritage resources.
- Consideration of alternatives if heritage resources are affected by the development
- Mitigation plans for any adverse effects during and after completion of the project
- Table of all heritage resources identified .This should show Heritage resource type, description, location, significance and reasons for this rating.

Please download our list of Heritage Practitioners from our website <u>www.heritagekzn.co.za</u>.

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:

Direct URL to case: http://www.sahra.org.za/node/397240 (DMR, Ref:)

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 Amafa immediately.
- 3. Amafa reserves the right to request additional information as required.



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