

**PHASE ONE (1) ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND HERITAGE IMPACT ASSESSMENT REPORT
APPLICATION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION THE PROPOSED FOR THE CARTREFF
HOUSING DEVELOPMENT**

Letter

IN TERMS OF SECTION 34(1) OF THE NATIONAL HERITAGE RESOURCES ACT (ACT 25 OF 1999) AND SECTION 37 OF THE KWAZULU-NATAL AMAFA AND RESEARCH INSTITUTE ACT (ACT 05 OF 2018)

Attention: Mr Roy Muroyi

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Tsimba Archaeological Footprints (Pty) Ltd was requested by EnviroPro (Pty) Ltd to conduct a Phase one (1) Heritage Impact Assessment (HIA) for the proposed Cartreff Housing development in Kwa Dukuza Municipality, Kwa- Zulu Natal.

The application was tabled at the Heritage Officers Committee Meeting on 28 September 2023.

- 1) A PIA desktop study must be carried out since the area is located within the orange zone. No validation or explanation is given of the type of fossils that may be found in the area, more information is needed to make a decision.
- 2) An HIA phase one for the built environment must be done since the heritage practitioner did not validate his grading of the structures that he stipulated was of low value: information is needed regarding the age of the structures since any built environment and even a structure or part there of which is older than 60 years are regarded as significant. Ownership history of the farm will indicate how old the structures are and what they were used for. To validate the significance the heritage practitioner must investigate the bricks: are they sun baked bricks, or oven baked bricks, do they have any factory name on them? An architectural heritage specialist will be necessary for this exercise, or someone specialising in the Built Environment since the type of bricks, their age as well as the methodology by which the structures were built, is necessary as well as their function, before one can make a conclusion regarding their value, especially referring to their technical value and historical significance: The photos are also not clear since the grasses are high, better photos are needed of the structures or ruins.

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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Direct URL to case: <https://sahris.sahra.org.za/node/625182>
(HDA , Ref: Cartreff HIA)

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.