New GX Enviro Solutions and Logistics Holdings (Pty) Ltd - Waste Management Licence Application

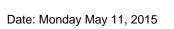
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Response to NID (Notification of Intent to Develop)

In terms of Section 38(2) of the National Heritage Resources Act (Act 25 of 1999)

Attention: New GX Enviro Solutions and Logistics

New GX Enviro is a waste management company that specialises in the provision of waste disposal and recycling solutions.

New GX Enviro proposes to construct a waste disposal facility on Portion 463 of the farm Pretoria Town and Townlands 351 JR, City of Tswane Municipality, Gauteng Province. The proposed development will consist of upgrading the existing Kwaggasrand Recycling Facility. Phase 1 of the project will be the construction of mechanical sorting machine and a tyre crumbing facility. Phase 2 of the project will be the construction of a composting facility and wet waste facility. The 3rd Phase will be for the construction of building rubble.

In terms of the National Heritage Resources Act (NHRA), no 25 of 1999, heritage resources, including archaeological or palaeontological sites over 100 years old, graves older than 60 years, structures older than 60 years are protected. They may not be disturbed without a permit from the relevant heritage resources authority. This means that before such sites are disturbed by development it is incumbent on the developer (or mine) to ensure that a Heritage Impact Assessment is done. This must include the archaeological component (Phase 1) and any other applicable heritage components. Appropriate (Phase 2) mitigation, which involves recording, sampling and dating sites that are to be destroyed, must be done as required.

No Heritage Impact Assessment was uploaded to this case. Nor a Palaeontological Impact Assessment was uploaded to the case on SAHRIS.

SAHRA Notification of Development comment

SAHRA APM Unit requires a Heritage Impact Assessment study conducted by a suitably qualified professional archaeologist for the proposed development. The assessment should look at the built environment, graves, and archaeology of the proposed development

The proposed development lies in a High to Very High palaeontological sensitive zone (http://www.sahra.org.za/sahris/map/palaeo), thus SAHRA APM unit will require a Desktop Palaeontological Impact Assessment Survey for this proposed development also conducted by a suitably qualified professional palaeontologist.

SAHRA will comment further on this proposed development once the above requested studies are submitted to the case. Also the project is incorrectly mapped on the SAHRIS map, before further comment is made to the case, the project area extent must be mapped out exactly on the SAHRIS map, using a polygon tool and not the dot that is currently on the SAHRIS map for this project.



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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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Heritage Officer

South African Heritage Resources Agency

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