



D1252 Road Upgrade

Our Ref: SAH19/14322

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Final Comment

IN TERMS OF SECTION 38(8) 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: Mr Mark Denzyl Anthony

KwaZulu Natal Department of Transport
KWAZULU NATAL DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT
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The proposed upgrade of Road D1252 is situated in the Mqedandaba Village in Ward 4 within the Inkosi Langalibalele Local Municipality (former Imbambaza Local Municipality) under Uthukela District Municipality, KwaZulu Natal. The proposed project involves the upgrading of the existing gravel Road D1252 to a formalised blacktop surfaced road

The Basic Assessment Report incorporating a Heritage Impact Assessment Report by Jean Beater has been considered for the proposed development as outlined above. The reports indicate presence of heritage resources including graves, place of worship and structures in close proximity to the development and further offers suitable recommendations and mitigation measures as outlined on pages 20 and 25 of the Heritage Impact Assessment.

The KwaZulu Natal Amafa and Research Institute, therefore has no objection to the proposed development within limits of the stipulated conditions and mitigation measures.

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

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 and Amafa Research Institute.



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3. Under no circumstances may any heritage material be destroyed 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 and Amafa 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.

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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KwaZulu-Natal Amafa and Research Institute


ADMIN:



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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.