



Zwelibomvu 2 Reservoir Inlet Project, eThekweni

Our Ref: SAH19/14150

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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: ECA CONSULTING

48 Banfield Crescent, Morningside, Durban 4001

The applicant, eThekweni Municipality Water and Sanitation Unit, proposes the installation of a 500mm diameter steel water pipeline of approximately 10km to the Zwelibomvu 2 Reservoir. The pipeline will connect the Shongweni Reservoir to the Zwelibomvu 2 Reservoir. The intention is to replace the existing 300mm diameter glass fibre reinforced polyester (GRP) inlet pipeline to Zwelibomvu. The new pipeline will be installed within 2m of the existing line and will follow the same route as the existing pipeline.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the application as outlined above. The survey by Jean beater established that there are heritage resources in the area of proposed development. The heritage practitioner recommends that the development proceed as planned in line with the recommendations and mitigation measures provided to protect the identified heritage resources as outlined in section 7,8 and 9 of the Heritage Impact Assessment Report . We concur with the heritage practitioner and further require monitoring of the project by a heritage practitioner to ensure that the heritage resources are not compromised.

The developer is required to ensure that the heritage resources are not disturbed, damaged, destroyed, altered, inundated, exhumed and relocated or otherwise disturbed without a permit from the KwaZulu Natal Amafa And Research Institute and other permitting authorities.

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.



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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.
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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ADMIN:



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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.