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## **Final Comment**

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

Attention: City of Johannesburg Metropolitan Municipality - Housing

P.O Box 1049, Braamfontein, 3017

#### Naledi 1 Formalization of Informal settlement by constructing Residential Development

# Gaigher, S. April 2022. Naledi 1: Proposed Residential Development On Erf 2070/PK, Tladi IQ On The Remainder Of The Farm Soweto 387 IQ, Within The City Of Johannesburg Metropolitan Municipality In The Gauteng Province. Heritage Impact Assessment (HIA) Report

The proposed development entails a residential development and associated infrastructure.

The author states that the study area was found to be devoid of any heritage sites with significance and severely altered from the natural landscape.

The SA Palaeontological Sensitivity Map indicates that the study area has Low fossil sensitivity.

#### **Final Comment**

SAHRA Archaeology, Palaeontology and Meteorites Unit has no objections to this proposed development, provided that the recommendations in the specialist reports and this comment are adhered to, and in addition. on the following conditions:

- No palaeontological assessment is required, however a protocol for finds is required.

- If any evidence of archaeological sites or remains (e.g., remnants of stone-made structures, indigenous ceramics, bones, stone artefacts, ostrich eggshell fragments and charcoal/ash concentrations) or palaeontological remains are found during the proposed activities, SAHRA must be alerted immediately, and a professional archaeologist or palaeontologist, based on the nature of the finds, must be contacted as soon as possible to inspect the findings. If the newly discovered heritage resources prove to be of significance a Phase 2 rescue operation might be necessary.

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If any unmarked human burials are uncovered and the archaeologist called in to inspect the finds and/or the police find them to be heritage graves, mitigation may be necessary and the SAHRA Burial Grounds and Graves (BGG) Unit must be contacted for processes to follow.

Should the project be granted Environmental Authorisation, SAHRA must be notified and all relevant documents submitted to the case on SAHRIS.

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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Andrew Salomon Heritage Officer: Archaeology South African Heritage Resources Agency

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ADMIN: Direct URL to case: https://sahris.sahra.org.za/node/601190

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