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Final Comment

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

Attention: Ptn 27 Bothasfontein (Pty) Ltd

Vorna Valley X88 - Residential development and related infrastructure on Erf 2172, 2173, 2174 Vorna Valley X88

Van Schalkwyk, J. June 2016. Cultural heritage impact assessment for The Proposed Vorna Valley Extension 88 Housing Development, Midrand Region, City Of Johannesburg Local Municipality, Gauteng Province

The proposed development entails a housing estate, and associated infrastructure on a Portion of the farm Bothasfontein 408JR in the Midrand region of the City of Johannesburg local municipality.

The assessment yielded no sites, features or objects of archaeological significance.

Final Comment

Considering that no significant archaeological heritage resources occur within the study area, and that the SA Palaeontological Sensitivity Map indicates that the study area has insignificant palaeontological sensitivity, the SAHRA Archaeology, Palaeontology and Meteorites Unit has no objections to this proposed development on the following conditions:

- 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), fossils or other categories of heritage resources are found during the proposed activities, SAHRA must be alerted immediately, and a professional archaeologist or palaeontologist, depending 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 archaeological or palaeontological significance a Phase 2 rescue operation might be necessary.

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