

**APPROVED DECISIONS OF THE MEETING OF HERITAGE WESTERN CAPE (HWC),
ARCHAEOLOGY, PALAEOLOGY AND METEORITES COMMITTEE (APM)
Held on Wednesday 1 November 2017 in the Boardroom, 1st Floor Protea
Assurance Building, Greenmarket Square, Cape Town at 09:00 AM**

MATTERS DISCUSSED

12. PERMIT APPLICATIONS

**12.1 Proposed Analysis and Percussion Drilling at Steenbokfontein Cave, Lamberts Bay, Cederberg: MA
HM/LAMBERTS BAY/STEENBOKFONTEIN CAVE**

Case No: 17072001AS0802E

RECORD OF DECISION

The applicant provided the required supplementary information and the application to conduct percussion drilling at Steenbokfontein Cave is approved.

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**12.2 Proposed Geochemical Study on Late Stone Age Individuals from Various Locations in the Southern Cape, Housed at Iziko Museum: MA
HM//IZIKO MUSEUM/GRAY (2017)**

Case No: 17080407AS0816E

RECORD OF DECISION

The application for geochemical study on individuals housed at Iziko Museum is approved.

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**12.3 Proposed Excavation and Archaeological Monitoring on Erf 4540, 74 Marine Drive, Bloubergstrand, Blaauwberg: NM
HM/BLAAUWBERG/ERF 4540**

Case No: 17101712AS1020E

RECORD OF DECISION

The permit application is approved with the following condition:

1. Significant finds discovered during monitoring, and any proposed mitigation, must be reported to the HWC case officer prior to any archaeological work commencing.

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**12.4 Proposed Analysis of Material and Renewed Excavation at Klipdrift Complex, Portion 20 of Farm 516, De Hoop Nature Reserve, Swellendam: NM
HM/SWELLENDAM/DE HOOP NATURE RESERVE/PORTION 20 OF FARM 516**

Case No: 17100301AS1003E

RECORD OF DECISION

The application for a permit for further excavations and sampling of speleothems at Klipdrift is approved.

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12.5 Proposed Demolition of an Archaeological Feature on Erf 2970 (old quarry), Lion Street, Bo-Kaap: NM HM/BOKAAP/ERF 2970

Case No: 17101214AS1018E

FURTHER REQUIREMENT

1. The site is inside the proposed HPOZ and Grade II area, and comment must be sought from relevant registered conservation bodies, the local authority and SAHRA.
2. The procedure is to issue a S.35 permit for monitoring clearing and construction on the site once the supplementary information is received. The approval will be done by email.

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12.6 Proposed Sampling of Ochre Pieces from Pinnacle Point 5-6, Erf 15387 (Portion of Erf 2001), Boplaas, Mossel Bay: MA HM/MOSSEL BAY/ERF 15387

Case No: 17062203AS0816E

RECORD OF DECISION

The Committee noted the letter of affiliation from the Africa Centre for Palaeo-Science at Nelson Mandela University as well as Dr Justin Pargeter of the University of Witwatersrand, and the application is approved.

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13 PERMIT REPORTS

13.1 Permit Report for Proposed Monitoring Work & Emergency Mitigation Work on Erf 10 & Portion 52, Duine Street, Elands Bay: MA HM/ELANDS BAY/ERF 10

Case No: 16031608AS0210E

RECORD OF DECISION

The Committee approved the recommendations of the archaeologist that no further heritage work is required.

The Committee requested that the Cederberg Municipality be informed of the sensitivities of the area around Duine Street and that they must refer any future development proposals in this street to HWC.

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14 SECTION 38 WORKPLAN APPLICATIONS

14.1 None

15 SECTION 38 WORKPLAN REPORTS

15.1 None

16 SECTION 38 (8) TO OTHER AUTHORITIES

**16.1 Proposed Dam Expansion on Erf 9795, Constantia Uitsig, Constantia: NM
HM/CONSTANTIA/ERF 9795**

Case No: 17050209AS0515E

RECOMMENDATION

The HIA, submitted in support of expansion of dams on Constantia Uitsig, does not comply with S.38 (3).of the NHRA

Further information is required regarding:

1. The identification of significant archaeological resources and the impact upon them, to be assessed by a professional archaeologist.
2. Mapping of the historic irrigation systems, location and role of the site within the Constantia-Tokai Cape Winelands and in relation to neighbouring estates.
3. Heritage design indicators responding to the statement of significance, retention of significant aspects of the irrigation system, and impacts.

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**16.2 Proposed Remedial Work to the Seweweekspoort Pass, Laingsburg and
Ladismith District, Kannaland: NM
HM/KANNALAND/SEWEWEEKSPOORT PASS UPGRADE**

Case No: 16091504AS1018M

COMMENT

APM endorses the HIA and supports the recommendations, including the proposed nomination of Seweweekspoort Pass as a PHS.

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17 SECTION 27: PROVINCIAL HERITAGE SITE

17.1 None.

18 REQUEST FOR EXCEPTION/OPINION/ADVICE

18.1 None.

19 REPORT BACK FROM OTHER MEETINGS WHEN RELEVANT

19.1 None.

20 OTHER MATTERS

20.1 Proposed Demolition of Structures on the Remainder of Erf 1076, 6 Battery Crescent, Sea Point: NM HM/SEA POINT/ERF 1076

Case No: 17100506AS1011E

RECOMMENDATION

The Committee recommends that the following conditions are imposed:

1. An archaeologist must be appointed, prior to submission of the application to the CoCT, to monitor any below ground work on the site as well as any construction activity above and adjacent to the Battery.
2. No new loads are to be imposed on the Battery structure, either vertically or horizontally. Conventional construction methods are to be followed to avoid vibration or impacting in any negative way on the historic Battery structure.
3. The status quo in terms of loading/stresses on the existing Battery must not change, either during construction or when the new building is complete.

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20.2 Proposed Partial Demolition and Additions to Existing Farm 153/6, Old Bethlehem Farm, Stellenbosch: NM HM/CAPE WINELANDS/ STELEENBOSCH/FARM 153/6

Case No: 16041911HB0511E

RECOMMENDATION

1. A stop works order must be issued.
2. A letter must be sent to the permit holder stating that HWC has reason to believe that a condition of the permit dated 15 July 2016 has not been complied with, and requiring the permit holder to motivate within 14 days why the permit should not be withdrawn.

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21. ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS AND DECISIONS