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## **CULTURAL HERITAGE IMPACT ASSESSMENT FOR CASHAN EXTENSION 3 RUSTENBURG**

### **1. DEFINITION**

The broad generic term *Cultural Heritage Resources* refers to any physical and spiritual property associated with past and present human use or occupation of the environment, cultural activities and history. The term includes sites, structures, places, natural features and material of palaeontological, archaeological, historical, aesthetic, scientific, architectural, religious, symbolic or traditional importance to specific individuals or groups, traditional systems of cultural practice, belief or social interaction.

### **2. PROTECTED SITES IN TERMS OF THE NATIONAL HERITAGE ACT, Act no. 25 of 1999**

The following are the most important sites and objects protected by the National Heritage Act:

- a. Structures or parts of structures older than 60 years
- b. Archaeological sites and objects
- c. Palaeontological sites
- d. Meteorites
- e. Ship wrecks
- f. Burial grounds
- g. Graves of victims of conflict
- h. Public monuments and memorials

- i. Structures, places and objects protected through the publication of notices in the Gazette and Provincial Gazette
- j. Any other places or object which are considered to be of interest or of historical or cultural significance
- k. Geological sites of scientific or cultural importance
- l. Sites of significance relating to the history of slavery in South Africa
- m. Objects to which oral traditions are attached
- n. Sites of cultural significance or other value to a community or pattern of South African history

### **3. METHODOLOGY**

All relevant maps and databases on the area were studied. The site was visited and inspected on foot.

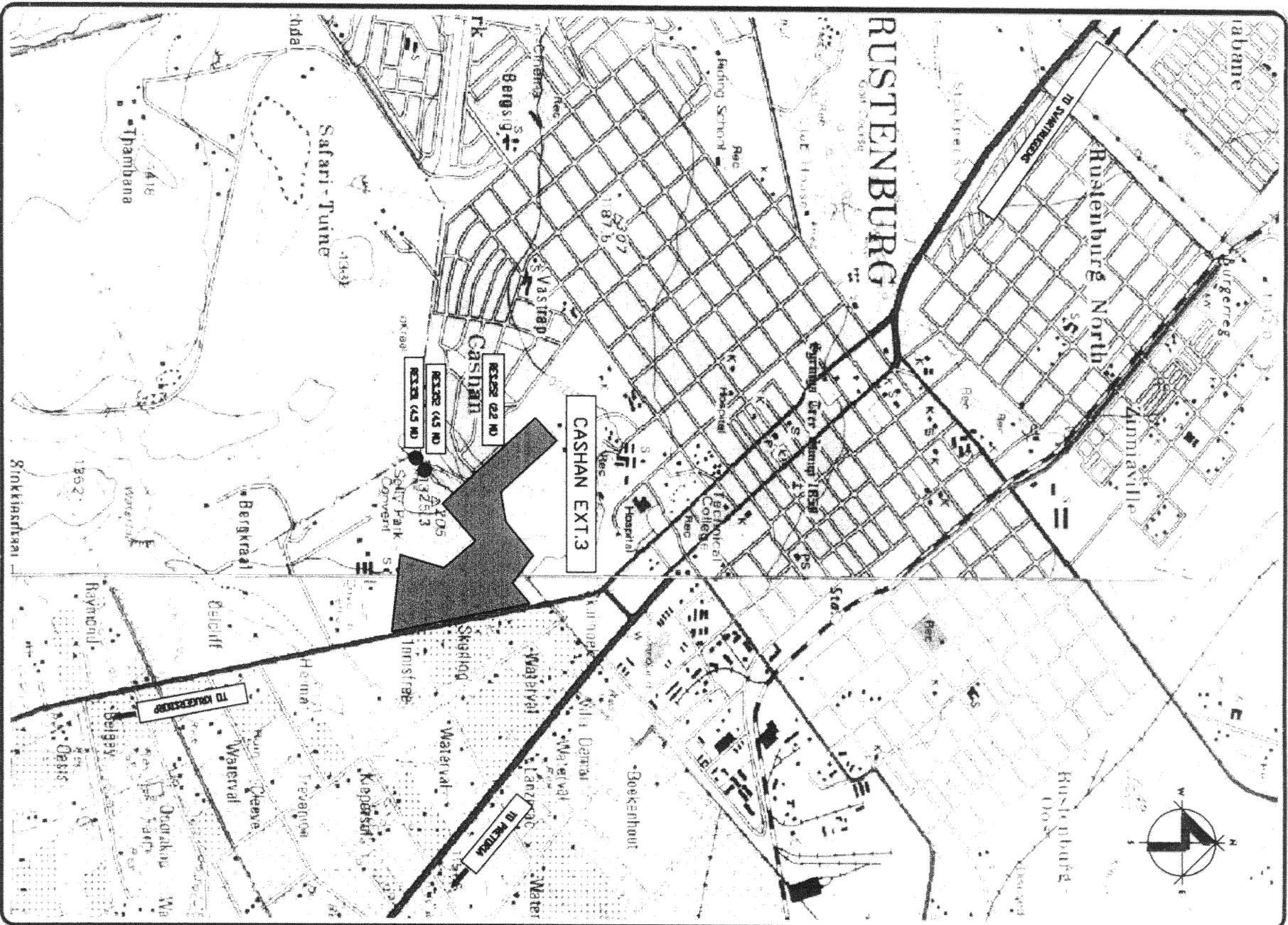
### **4. RESULTS**

The site lies on the northern side of a hill. The vegetation is typical bushveld with very tall grass. The dense vegetation made the inspection difficult.

No archaeological or historical remains could be found on the site.

### **5. RECOMMENDATIONS**

There is no objection to the proposed development from a cultural heritage resources point of view.



**CASHAN EXTENSION 3  
LOCALITY MAP**

**FIGURE 1  
SCALE 1 : 30 000**

