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PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS BASIC ASSESSMENT APPLICATION

Public Participation Process for Molen Close River Rehabilitation on a Portion of Remainder of Farm 464, George

Notice is hereby given of a Public Participation Process in terms of the National Environmental Management Act (NEMA, Act No 107 of 1998 as amended)

An Application for a **Basic Assessment** has been submitted to the provincial Department of Environmental Affairs and Development Planning (DEA&DP) as the competent authority for decision making.

Proposal: The George Municipality is proposing the rehabilitation of an eroded portion of the Molen River bank on Remainder of Farm 464, Rosemoor suburb in George.

DEA&DP Reference Number: 16/3/3/6/7/1/D2/48/0148/22

Location: The eroded area is located ±175m upstream/north from the Grens Street crossing (bridge) of the Molen River at 33° 58'13.30"S / 22°28'29.04"E. Remainder of Farm 464 is located along the properties of Molen Close Street

Applicant: George Municipality

Environmental Practitioner: Cape EAPrac

Information Available: A Draft Basic Assessment Report (DBAR) is available for a 30-day commenting period, extending from Friday, 21 October to Monday, 21 November 2022. The report can be accessed digitally via www.cape-eaprac.co.za/ Active Projects. Alternative platforms / access to reports can be arranged on request. Deviations / Exemptions: None applied for.

Application for registration of water use(s) within the ambit of a General Authorisation in terms of Section 39 of the National Water Act, 1998 (Act 36 of 1998) is in process - BGCMA.

Listed Activities: Listing 1: Activity 19. Listing 3: Activity: 12.

In order to be registered as an Interested and Affected Party (I&AP) for the BAR process, individuals are requested to respond to this notice by submitting their complete contact details and/or comments to Cape EAPrac in writing (to address below) on or before 21 November 2022. [Correspondence throughout the remainder of the environmental process will be distributed to registered I&APs only].

Cape EAPrac - Attention: Louise-Mari van Zyl Email: louise@cape-eaprac.co.za PO Box 2070 George 6530; Telephone: 044 874 0365

Take Note: Ito the POPIA legislation when registering as an I&AP a person consents to the lawful processing of personal information for the intended purposes, as described by the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (Act no. 4 of 2013). By registering/submitting comment a person agrees that his/her/their contact details will, where required by a public body, be reflected in regulated reports that must be compiled and submitted to the general public, registered stakeholders, organs of state as well as the competent authority for consideration and decision-making.

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