



NOTICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT OF FOXWOOD DAM

Notice is hereby given in terms of the following:

- The Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations (Government Notice No. R. 982 of 4 December 2014), in terms of the National Environmental Management Act (Act No. 107 of 1998);
- The National Water Act (Act No. 36 of 1998); and
- The Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act (Act No. 28 of 2002).

PROJECT OVERVIEW:

The Department of Water and Sanitation (DWS) is investigating the feasibility of developing a multi-purpose dam (known as Foxwood Dam) on the Koonap River outside of Adelaide, in the Eastern Cape.

The development of Foxwood Dam could provide additional assurance of domestic water supply within the region. In addition, the dam has the potential to mobilize the water resources to allow for downstream irrigation development.

APPLICATION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION:

Nemai Consulting was appointed by DWS to conduct the Scoping and Environmental Impact Reporting process contemplated in Regulation 21 to Regulation 24 of Government Notice No. R. 982 of 4 December 2014.

In addition, approval will also be sought for water uses in terms of Section 21 of the National Water Act (Act No. 36 of 1998); as well as quarries and borrow pits in terms of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act (Act No. 28 of 2002).

PUBLIC MEETING:

The following public meeting will be held to allow for project-related discussions:

- **Date:** 24 March 2015
- **Time:** 14h00 - 16h30
- **Venue:** Adelaide Golf Club, Adelaide

CONTACT DETAILS OF ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT PRACTITIONER:

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Project website: <https://www.dwa.gov.za/Projects/FoxwoodDam/>

REGISTRATION AS AN INTERESTED AND AFFECTED PARTY:

In order to ensure that you are identified as an Interested and Affected Party, please submit your name, contact information and interest in the matter to the contact person above by 06 April 2015.

KENNISGEWING VAN OMGEWINGSIMPAKSTUDIE VOORGESTELDE ONTWIKKELING VAN FOXWOOD DAM

Kennis word hiermee gegee kragtens die volgende:

- Ongewingsimpakstudie Regulasies (Staatskennisgewing Nr. R. 982 van 4 Desember 2014), kragtens die Wet op Nasionale Omgewingsbestuur (Wet Nr. 107 van 1998);
- Die Nasionale Waterwet (Wet Nr. 36 van 1998); en
- Die Wet op die Ontwikkeling van Minerale en Petroleum Hulpbronne (Wet Nr. 28 van 2002).

PROJEKOORSIG:

Die uitvoerbaarheid van die voorgestelde ontwikkeling van die Foxwood Dam op die Koonap rivier buite Adelaide in die Oos Kaap word tans ondersoek deur die Departement van Water en Sanitasie (DWS).

Die voorgestelde Foxwood Dam kan moontlik addisionele versekering van toevervoer voorsien vir huishoudelike water in die gebied. Die dam kan ook moontlik water voorsien vir 'n besproeingskema laer stroomaf.

AANSOEK OM OMGEWINGSMAGTIGING:

Nemai Consulting is aangestel deur DWS om die Omvangsbepaling en Omgewingsimpakrapporteeringsproses uit te voer ingevolge Regulasie 21 tot Regulasie 24 van Staatskennisgewing Nr R. 982 van 4 Desember 2014.

Magtiging word ook benodig vir waterverbruiken ingevolge Artikel 21 van die Nasionale Waterwet (Wet Nr. 36 van 1998), sowel as vir steengroewe en leengroewe ingevolge die Wet of the Ontwikkeling van Minerale en Petroleum Hulpbronne (Wet Nr. 28 van 2002).

OPENBARE VERGADERING:

Die volgende openbare vergadering sal gehou word:

- **Datum:** 24 Maart 2015
- **Tyd:** 14h00 - 16h30
- **Plek:** Adelaide Golf Klub, Adelaide

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REGISTRASIE AS BELANGHEBBENDE EN GEAFFEKTEERDE PARTY

Ten einde te verseker dat u geïdentifiseer word as 'n Belanghebbende en Geaffekteerde Party, stuur asseblief u naam, kontakbesonderhede en belang in die projek aan bogenoemde kontakpersoon voor 06 April 2015.

ISAZISO SOHLOLO LOKUSINGQONGILEYO

ISIPHAKAMISO SOKWAKHIWA KWEDAMA LASEFOXWOOD

Esi sisaziso esikhutshwe ngokwale migao ilandelayo:

- Imigaqo yoHlolo IweFuthe lokusiNgqongileyo (i-EIA) (Isaziso sikaRhulumente esinguNombolo R. 982 somhla we-4 kuDisemba 2014), ngokoMthetho weSizwe woLawulo lokusiNgqongileyo (uMthetho Nombolo 107 ka-1998);
- UMthetho weSizwe wezaManzi (uMthetho Nombolo 36 ka-1998); kunye no-
- Mthetho woPhuhliso IweZiseko zeZimbiwa nePetroliyam (uMthetho Nombolo 28 ka-2002).

ISIHLOKO SEPRAJEKTHI:

Isiphakamiso soKwakhiwa kweDama laseFoxwood.

ISIPHAKAMISO SEPRAJEKTHI & NENDAWO:

Isebe lezaManzi noGutuulo (i-DWS) lenza uphando malunga nokuphumelela kokwakhiwa kwedama eliza kujongana nemisebenzi ngemisebenzi eyahlukeneyo (elaziwa ngokuba yiFoxwood Dam) kuMlambu iKoonap ngaphandle nje kwaseKhobonqaba, gxebe i-Adelaide, iKhobonqaba ewela phantsi kukaMasipala weNgingqi yaseNxuba yena ophantsi kukaMasipala wesiThili sase-Amathole eMpuma Koloni.

Ukwakhiwa kweFoxwood Dam kusenokuza nesiqinisekiso sokuba ukufumaneka kwamanzi emakhayeni kuhlala kusenzeka kwesi sithili. Ukongeza, eli dama kungasisisombululo sokunika inkxaso kupuhhliso IweZiseko zonkcenkceshelo.

ISICELO SOKUGUNYAZISWA KOKUSINGQONGILEYO:

INemai Consulting yathi yonyulwa yi-DWS ukuba iqhubu inkqubo iNkcazelu malunga noMthamo kunye neFuthe kokusiNgqongileyo njengoko kuchaziwe ngokoMgaqo 21 ukuya kuMgaqo 24 weSaziso sikaRhulumente esinguNombolo R. 982 somhla we-4 kuDisemba 2014.

Ukongeza, imvume nayo iza kucelwa malunga nokusetyenzisa kwamanzi ngokweCandelo 21 loMthetho weSizwe wezaManzi (uMthetho Nombolo 36 ka-1998); ndawonye neekwari kwanemingxunyakazi ebekusombiwa kuyo ngokoMthetho woPhuhliso IweZiseko zeZimbiwa nePetroliyam (uMthetho Nombolo 28 ka-2002).

INTLANGANISO KAWONKEWONKE:

Le ntlanganiso kawonkewonke ilandelayo iza kubanjelwa ukulungiselela iingxoxo eziphathelele kule projekthi:

- Umhla:** 24 kuMatshi 2015
- Ixesha:** 14h00 - 16h30
- Indawo:** Adelaide Golf Club, Adelaide

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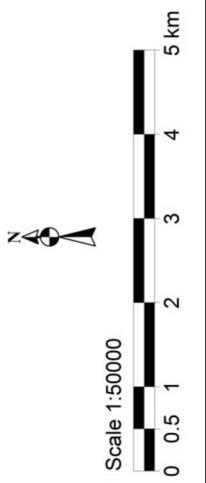
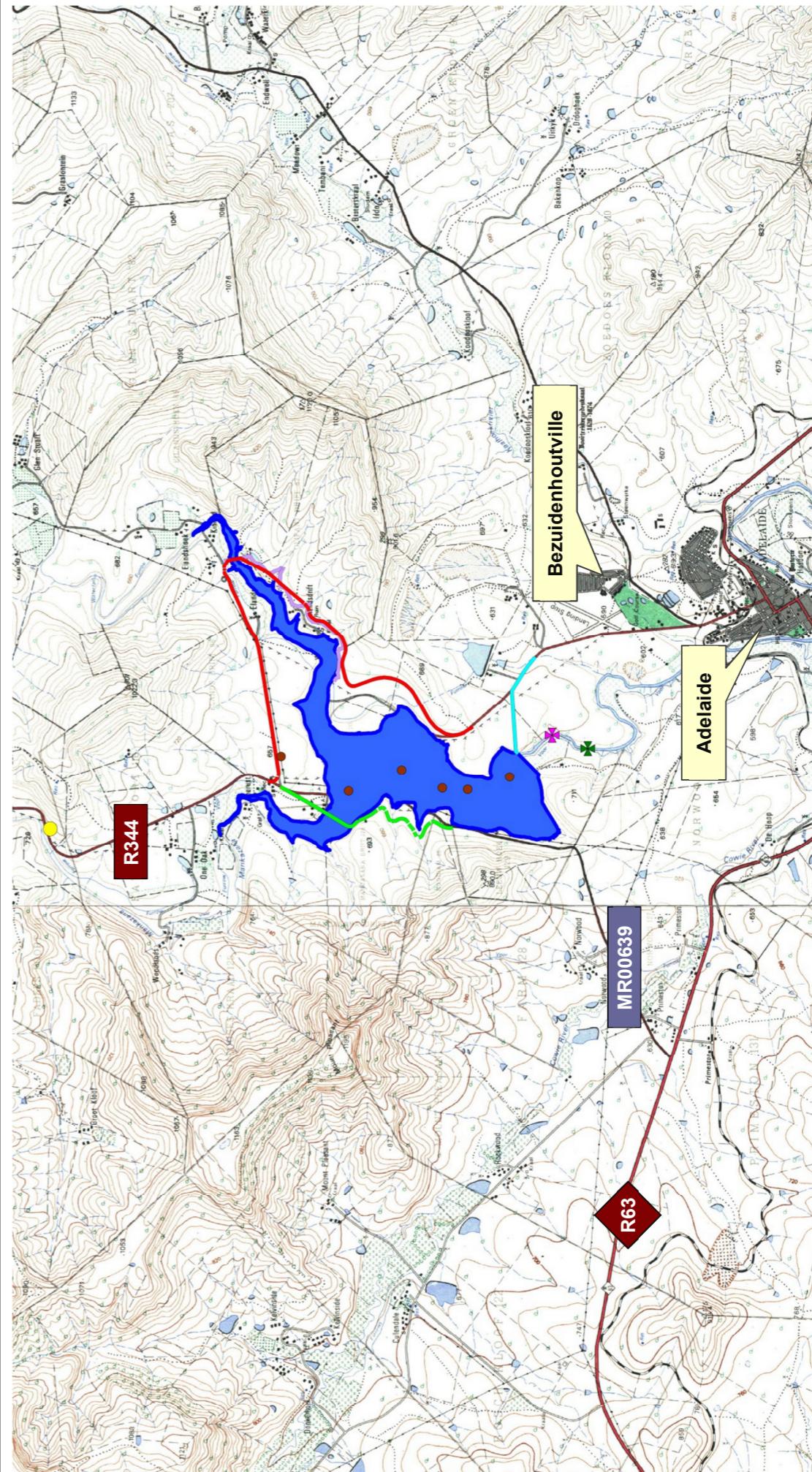
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Iwebhusayithi yeprokthi: <https://www.dwa.gov.za/Projects/FoxwoodDam/>

UKUBHALISA NJENGOMNTU ONOMDLA OKANYE OCHAPHAZELEKAYO:

Ngeliqinisekisa ukuba uyaphawulwa njengaMntu onoMdla okanye oChaphazelekayo, nceda ufake igama lakho, iinkcukacha zakho zonxibelewano kunye nesizathu sokuba nomdla kwakho kulo mba uzifake kumntu lo uchazwe apha ngasentla ekunxityelelwana naye ungaggithanga umhla we-06 ku-Apreli 2015.

PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT OF FOXWOOD DAM – LOCALITY MAP



Legend	Infrastructure Alignments	Water & sanitation
Quarry	Canal Diversion	Dam
Borrow Pits	Pipeline	FSL 615m
●	R344 Diversion	Gauging Weirs
●	MR00639 Diversion	● Gauging Weir Option 1
●		● Gauging Weir Option 2
●		● Gauging Weir Option 3

PREPARED FOR:	Department: Water and Sanitation REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA
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