



**MOKOLO- EN KROKODILRIVIER (WES) WATER AANVULLINGS PROJEK (MKWAP):
FASE 1 OPENBARE VERGADERING/
MOCOLO AND CROCODILE (WEST) WATER AUGMENTATION PROJECT: PHASE 1
PUBLIC MEETING**

DATUM / DATE: 29 June 2010
TYD / TIME: 15h00
PLEK / VENUE: Ashante Konferensiesaal
FASILITEERDER / FACILITATOR: Sonja van Eden

1. TEENWOORDIGHEID / ATTENDANCE:

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25.	Willie du Plessis (WdP)	Exxaro	071 603 8844	Willie.duPlessis@exxaro.com

2. BESPREEKING/ DISCUSSION

No.	KWESSIE ISSUE / COMMENT	DEUR WIE RAISED BY	TERUGVOERING/ RESPONSE
3.1	Noted that there will be take off points on the new pipeline. Mentioned that DWA has not yet determined the new water tariffs and indicated that as soon as determined the landowners will be informed thereof and that these tariffs will also be discussed further during the servitude negotiations. Noted though that he believes the new tariffs will be higher since the water will be supplied by new infrastructure.	FV	<i>Noted by attendees at the public meeting.</i>
3.2	Was the option investigated to replace the first 7km of the pipeline from the Mokolo Dam since the existing pipe will be decommissioned in the future? Technically this can be difficult but it is possible to connect temporary pipes to the existing pipe where after the section of the existing pipe can be removed. Also noted that he is not in favour of Alternative B which traverses Greenfields.	Willie du Plessis (WdP)	<p>FV stated that this suggestion was considered but because of the steep slopes the risk of installing the new pipe next to the existing pipe was too high.</p> <p>Noted further that the reason why they have not considered installing the new pipe inside the same excavation as the existing pipe was due to the risk associated with decommissioning the existing pipe.</p> <p>DH noted that the EIA does not only consider the biophysical aspects but also the social and economic aspects. Noted therefore that the recommendation to lay the pipe through a Greenfields area was not only suggested by the landowners but also by the visual- and aquatic specialists.</p>
3.3	Stated that his query regarding the servitude width was answered. Noted though that should the water tariffs be too expensive that it will not be profitable for cattle and game farmers to use it anymore and he requested that this must be taken into consideration.	G.Emslie (GE)	FV noted that the negotiations can only start once Environmental Authorisation for the project has been issued.
3.4	Asked whether the break pressure reservoir is still considered on his farm?	G.Emslie (GE)	FV responded that it remains an option for the design team to consider.
3.5	Who will be responsible for recycling the return flows and to ensure it returns back to the river system? Is it the municipality?	M Schoeman (MS)	FV answered that the return flows will be managed through the Water Use License which will be issued by the Department of Water Affairs to the municipality. Noted that the license can request that the end user must reuse the water. Therefore DWA is responsible to set the necessary requirements but the end user must make the requisite funds available

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			to implement these conditions.
3.6	What insurance will the public have that these return flows are correctly managed and not reintroduced into the Mogol River further downstream.	M Schoeman (MS)	FV stated that it will be stipulated in the Water Use License to be issued by DWA.
3.7	Will he still have access to his farm during the construction period? Noted the area is very mountainous.	D. Hurter (DHU)	DH answered that a 200m wide buffer zone was investigated for the project to ensure that the construction impacts are managed as best as possible. Noted further that high resolution aerial photography and the baseline study information will be used to identify all the access routes and infrastructure during the detail design stage. Noted that it will be possible to mitigate these impacts and that it can be defined during the negotiation phase.