

KENNISGEWING VAN PUBIEKE BELANGEGROEP DEELNAME PROSES: KONSEP GROTER DE HOOP KOMPLEKS BESKERMDE AREA BESTUURSPLAN	NOTIFICATION OF STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT PROCESS : DRAFT GREATER DE HOOP COMPLEX PROTECTED AREA MANAGEMENT PLAN
Kennisgewing van 'n publieke deelname proses en die uitnodiging om 'n openbare vergadering by te woon ten einde kommentaar en insette te lewer tot die Konsep Groter De Hoop Kompleks Beskermde Area Bestuursplan. Die doelwit van dié konsep bestuurplan is om te verseker dat die beskerming, bewaring en bestuur van die Groter De Hoop Kompleks in lyn is met die doelwitte van die Nasionale Omgewingsbestuur : Beskermde Gebied Wet, Wet Nr. 57 van 2003 (NOB:BGW) en dat dié Erfenisgebied en Reservaat kompleks bestuur plaasvind sodat dit in lyn met die oogmerke waarvoor dit as 'n 'n reservaat verklaar is. Die bestuurplan moet in konsultasie met belanghebbendes opgestel word soos voorgeskryf in Seksie 39(3) van die NOB:BGW wat beskryf dat alle persone wat geïnteresseerd in en of geïmpak word deur die bestuurplan, 'n geleentheid sal kry om kommentaar daarop te lewer. Die Groter De Hoop Kompleks beslaan ongeveer 64 569 ha en bestaan uit die De Hoop Provinsiale Natuurreservaat, De Mond, Waenhuiskrans, Soetendalsvlei Staatsgrond en die De Hoop Mariene Beskermde Gebied. De Hoop, De Mond en Soetendalsvlei is gelyste Wêreld Erfenis terreine terwyl die De Hoop Vlei en De Mond geregistreerde RAMSAR terreine is. Datum en plek van publieke vergaderings: Bredasdorp – Glaskasteel saal 24 November 2025 (09:00), by die sportsgronde. Bredasdorp – Glaskasteel saal 24 November 2025 (13:00), by die sportsgronde. Aanlyn vergadering: 26 November 2025 (18:00). Bevestig asb per e-pos u teenwoordigheid. Om u bewoning te bevestig stuur asb 'n epos aan charlduplessis2@afrihost.co.za teen 20 November 2025 en meld watter vergadering u gaan bywoon. Beskikbaarheid van die konsep bestuurplan: 'n Konsep plan is vanaf 4 November 2025 by die Bredasdorp (Kerk str 5) en Waenhuiskrans / Arniston (Kamp Str) biblioteke, die Malgas winkel op Malgas asook by die CapeNature kantore op De Hoop en De Mond beskikbaar vir oorweging. Die elektroniese dokument sal beskikbaar wees vanaf 4 November 2025 by https://www.capenature.co.za/protected-area-management-plans. Registrasie van Geïnteresseerde en Geïmpakteerde Partye (GGP). Om te registreer as GGP, voorsien asb. naam, posadres, faks en e-pos en die insette en kommentaar aan die konsultante. Tydsraamwerk : 5 November 2025 – 8 Desember 2025.	Notification of a Stakeholder Engagement Process and an invitation to attend a public meeting to provide inputs and comments on the Draft Greater De Hoop Complex Protected Area Management Plan. The objective of a management plan is to ensure that the protection, conservation and management of the Greater De Hoop Complex is consistent with the objectives of the National Environmental Management: Protected Areas Act, Act 57 of 2003 (NEM:PAA) and managed in accordance with the purpose for which it was declared. Management plans need to be compiled in consultation with stakeholders as prescribed by Section 39(3) of the NEM:PAA, which states that all persons who may be interested in, or affected by the management plan, are to be given the opportunity to comment on its content. The Greater De Hoop Complex is approximately 64 569 ha in extent and comprised of De Hoop Provincial Nature Reserve, De Mond, Waenhuiskrans, Soetendalsvlei State Land and the De Hoop Marine Protected Area. De Hoop, De Mond and Soetendalsvlei are inscribed World Heritage Sites while De Hoop Vlei and De Mond are registered RAMSAR sites. Date and venue of the public meetings: Bredasdorp – Glaskasteel hall 24 November 2025 (09:00) at the sport fields. Bredasdorp – Glaskasteel hall 24 November 2025 (13:00) at the sport fields. Online meeting: 26th November 2025 (18:00). The meeting link to be provided after RSVP. RSVP via e-mail to charlduplessis2@afrihost.co.za on or before the 20th November 2025 to confirm which meeting you will attend. Availability of draft management plan. A draft plan will be available from the 4th November 2025 at the libraries at Bredasdorp (5th Church Street) and Waenhuiskrans / Arniston (Camp Street), the Malgas shop at Malgas and at the CapeNature Offices on De Hoop and De Mond. The plan will be electronically available from the 4th November 2025 to download at https://www.capenature.co.za/protected-area-management-plans. Registration as Interested and Affected Parties (I&AP): To register as an I&AP, please submit your name, postal address, contact details and the issues and comments you wish to raise with the consultants. Timeframes : 5 November 2025 – 8 December 2025.

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