

KENNISGEWING VAN PUBIEKE BELANGEGROEP DEELNAME PROSES: KONSEP WALKERBAAI BESKERMDE AREA BESTUURSPLAN	NOTIFICATION OF STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT PROCESS : DRAFT WALKER BAY 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 Walkerbaai Kompleks Beskermde Area Bestuursplan. Die doelwit van dié konsep bestuurplan is om te verseker dat die beskerming, bewaring en bestuur van die Walkerbaai 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 Walkerbaai Kompleks beslaan ongeveer 8 645 hektaar en bestaan uit die Babilonstoring, Quoin Point en Soetfontein Staatsgrond, Maanschynkop en Salmonsdam Provinsiale Natuurreservate, Walker Baai-, Uilkraalsmond- en Pearly Beach Staatsgronde. Dyer-, Geyser en Quoin Rock Provinsiale Eiland Natuurreservate kom ook in die kompleks voor. Datum en plek van publieke vergaderings: Gansbaai – Toerisme Inligtingsentrum, 25 Oktober 2023 (13:00-16:00). Stanford – Stanford Gemeenskapsaal (Die Stoor), 26 Oktober 2023 (09:00-12:00). Hermanus - Fernkloof Natuurreservaat (Fernkloof Saal), 26 Oktober 2023 (14:00-17:00). Om u bewoning te bevestig stuur asb 'n epos aan charlduplessis2@afrihost.co.za teen 20 Oktober 2023 en meld watter vergadering u gaan bywoon. Beskikbaarheid van die konsep bestuurplan: 'n Konsep bestuurplan is vanaf 9 Oktober 2023 by die volgende plekke beskikbaar vir oorweging, Overstrand Munisipale kantore in Hermanus en Gansbaai, Openbare biblioteke in Hermanus en Gansbaai, Stanford Toerisme kantoor, asook by die CapeNature Walkerbaai kantoor in Hermanus. Die elektroniese dokument sal beskikbaar wees vanaf 9 Oktober 2023 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 : 9 Oktober 2023 – 10 November 2023.	Notification of a Stakeholder Engagement Process and an invitation to attend a public meeting to provide inputs and comments on the Draft Walker Bay Complex Protected Area Management Plan. The objective of a management plan is to ensure that the protection, conservation and management of the Walker Bay 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 Walker Bay Complex is approximately 8 645 ha in extent and comprised of Babilonstoring, Quoin Point and Soetfontein State Land, Maanschynkop and Salmonsdam Provincial Nature Reserves, Walker Bay, Uilkraalsmond and Pearly Beach State Land, as well as Dyer Island, Geyser Island and Quoin Rock Provincial Island Nature Reserves. Date and venue of the public meetings: Gansbaai - Tourism Information Centre, 25th October 2023 (13:00-16:00). Stanford – Stanford Community Hall (Die Stoor), 26th October 2023 (09:00-12:00). Hermanus - Fernkloof Nature Reserve (Fernkloof Hall), 26th October 2023 (14:00-17:00). RSVP via e-mail to charlduplessis2@afrihost.co.za on or before the 20th October 2023 and confirm which meeting you will be attending. Availability of draft management plan. A draft management plan will be available from the 9th October 2023 at the Overstrand Municipal Offices in Hermanus and Gansbaai, Public libraries at Hermanus and Gansbaai, Stanford Tourism Offices and at the CapeNature Walker Bay office in Hermanus. The plan will be electronically available from the 9th October 2023 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 to the consultants. Timeframes : 9 October 2023 – 10 November 2023.

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