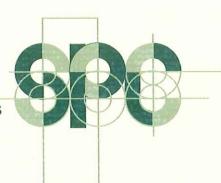
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08 May 2016

Our Ref.: W/15014

Enquiries: G Stubenrauch

The Chief Executive Officer City of Windhoek PO Box 59 Windhoek Namibia

Attention: Sir/Madam

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# 1. Introduction

Stubenrauch Planning Consultants (SPC) was appointed by the owner of Portion 1 of Farm Elisenheim No. 68 to apply for the necessary statutory approval for township establishment.

Windhoek is experiencing a heightened demand for serviced residential and business erven which the current supply is struggling to keep up with. In an attempt to address some of this demand, it is the intention of the owner of Portion 1 of the Farm Elisenheim No. 68 to establish a new township which will be mixed-use in character comprising of predominantly residential and some business components.

SPC is therefore requesting approval for the following:

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 Günther Stubenrauch - BA; M (TRP) (Stel) Member  Ingrid Scholtz - M (TRP) (UP) Member  Daleen Brand - BA; M (TRP) (Stel) Member



The approval will allow SPC to submit further application to the Namibian Planning Advisory Board (NAMPAB) for Need and Desirability approval and subsequently to submit to Townships Board for layout and township establishment approval.

# 2. Locality and Ownership

The site is located some 10 kilometers north from the centre of Windhoek, adjacently east of the B1 national highway to Okahandja as can be seen on the locality map below W15014-1. The development falls within the emerging urban corridor developing towards the north and is situated between the existing Elisenheim residential development and the B1. Its eastern edge is defined by the Klein Windhoek River.

Ownership of the property, Portion 1 of Farm Elisenheim No. 68, vests with Namibia Tannery (Pty) Ltd via Deed of Transfer T401/1984. The portion measures 12, 0810 hectares in total.

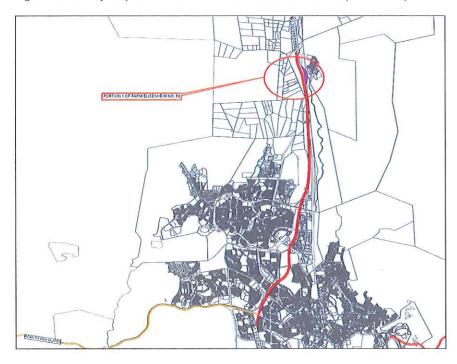


Figure 1: Locality Map of Portion 1 of Farm Elisenheim No. 68 (W15014-1)

#### 3. Site Attributes

The site is relatively flat with a small tributary of the Klein Windhoek River crossing through. It is intended to reclaim the slightly lower-lying area of the tributary by diverting the flow into the main river course.

There are a number of trees on the site which should be preserved. The layout has made every attempt to accommodate and incorporate all the significant trees into the layout.

# 4. Need and Desirability

It is a common fact that the urban centre of Windhoek is expanding at an extraordinary rate. As such, there is a growing disparity between the backlogged supply of serviced erven and the increasing demand. This has effectively led to a shortage of serviced plots of which industrial, business and residential are of very high demand.

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It is the intention of the developer to help address this issue by developing the site for a mix of uses comprising mainly of residential business and office activities. The close proximity of the development to the adjacent Elisenheim project means that the commercial components will not only serve the Tannery Estate, but also the growing surrounding residential community.

The aim of the development will be:

- Meet the development targets as set out in Vision 2030
- Adding to the residential and commercial property market of Windhoek
- Strengthen the Windhoek Okahandja development corridor

Therefore, there is a clear need for a development which will provide housing opportunity for Windhoek residence as well as cater for some of the commercial needs of the steadily developing urban corridor towards Okahandja along the B1.

## 5. Township Establishment

#### 5.1 Background and Project Approach

The site use to accommodate a tannery, it has however been out of commission for several years. There are currently a number of built structures on the site, most significant of which is the old tannery building. This building will be reused and incorporated into the design. There is a small tributary of the Klein Windhoek River which passes over the portion. It is the intention to divert the flow in order to reclaim the lower-lying areas to be used for development.

The developer set high importance on making the project environmental responsible. As such a project team was employed to look at all the relevant aspects namely:

#### 5.1.1 Environmental

As such the assistance of Enviro-Dynamics was employed to undertake a vegetation survey. A detailed site and tree survey was conducted by Volkmann Land Surveyors.

#### 5.1.2 Engineering

Windhoek Consulting Engineers investigated at the 1:50 year flood line of the Klein Windhoek River adjacent to the portion. They further came up with a proposal for the tributary diversion and channelisation to reclaim the lower-lying areas of the portion.

# 5.1.3 Layout design philosophy

The layout was designed with the help of Urban Designers from Cape Town, Piet Louw and Dave Dewar in association. The layout design took into account the natural features of the site as identified in the surveys.

#### 5.2 Layout Design

# 5.2.1 Residential Component:

A total of 41 Residential erven will be created which will be in a range of  $\pm 400\text{m}^2$  to  $\pm 700\text{m}^2$ . The layout will further provide for 8 General Residential erven with an erf size ranging from  $\pm 1800\text{m}^2$  to  $\pm 4000\text{m}^2$ . These erven will be reserved for the construction of block of flats and townhouse complexes.

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#### 5.2.2 Business:

The business erven are all located towards the entrance of the development at the southern edge. This has been strategically located to take advantage of the residential traffic passing by as well as the passerby traffic of the Elisenheim development. The erven will be used for a mix of uses comprising of commercial, office and residential spaces. Erf 50 has been reserved for a hotel/accommodation type of establishment.

#### 5.2.3 Special:

Erf 52 will be zoned Special and will be used for a variety of different uses. The old Tannery building is situated on this erf as well, it will be repurposed to accommodate a mix of uses. The building together with the forecourt space will act as a town square that will be able to accommodate activities such as markets, celebrations, exhibitions and so on.

#### 5.2.4 Undetermined:

There are three "undetermined' zoned erven. Erven 57 and 60 are zoned undetermined. They will be used for parking purposes to support the surrounding business activities. It is intended that the undetermined properties are jointly owned by the entire development by making them part of the common property endorsed in the Deed of Sale. This will also ensure that the alienation of the property cannot occur unless all parties that share a part are in agreement, thereby safeguarding against the properties being sold ad hoc to the highest bidder.

#### 5.2.5 Public Open Space:

The Public Open Spaces are in total 4. Erf 65 allows for public access to the adjacent river. This will become even more important if the proposed 'River Walk' is fully implemented and developed. Erf 64 is to accommodate an existing borehole.

#### 5.2.6 Road Layout:

The road layout for the Tannery Estate is designed to be legible and robust.

Important to note is that the site is situated in such a way that it does not allow for through traffic to the adjacent Elisenheim development. This means that the traffic which will be generated by the development will be contain within the development itself.

The layout is designed so that the quieter residential area is situated to the 'back' of the site and the more frequented business and office area is situated to the 'front', near the entrance. The residential area will predominantly only cater for local traffic. As such the street with for the residential area is between 10 and 12 meters wide. The street with for the business and office area is designed to carry slightly higher volumes. The average street size is between 13 and 16 meters. Off-street parking areas have also been provided. They have been situated to equitably serve most businesses in the area.

The following table is a summary of the percentage of land allocated to the different zonings.

Table A: Summary Table of the erven created in the layout of Tannery Estate

Zoning	No of Erven	± Toatal Area (m²)	% of Total Area
Residential	43	21081	17.45
General Residential	8	21909	18.14
Business	9	25560	21.16
Special	1	12986	10.75
Undetermined	3	2719	2.25
Public Open Space	4	11381	9.42
Street	1	25174	20.84
TOTAL	69	120810	100

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# 6. Engineering Services

It is interned that the development connects to the existing reticulation network that serves the township of Elisenheim.

Access: The access will be gained off the existing Elisenheim access road which runs parallel to the B1 trunk road. As can be seen in Option 1 below, the access to the portion was considered in the "Transport Impact Assessment Windhoek North-East Transport Model" as prepared by ITS Engineers and deemed to be a viable option in terms of access.

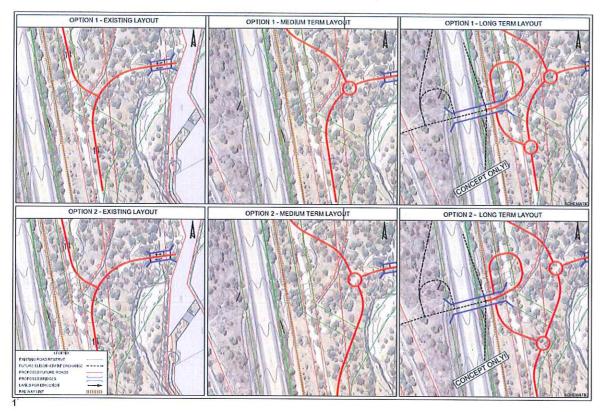


Figure 2: Transport Impact Assessment Windhoek North-East Transport Model

# Water, Sewage & Electricity

Water will be obtained from the NamWater reservoir situated to the north of the site on top of the Elisenheim hill. There are also two existing boreholes on the site which can be used to supplement the water supply if needed. Sewage and electricity will be connected to the existing reticulation system of Elisenheim.

ITS Engineers, 2015. Transport Impact Assessment Windhoek North-East Transport Model, Cape Town: s.n. ITS Engineers, n.d. s.l.; s.n.

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#### 7. Approvals Required

In order to be able to submit an application for Need and Desirability Approval and layout approval with NAMPAB and Townships Board respectively the following approvals are required from the City of Windhoek Municipality:

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Should Council be in support of this application SPC will provide Council with the maps to be date stamped. Further we will also require the following documentation:

- Signed copy of the attendance sheet recording the Councillor present at the Council meeting.
- Signed copy of the agenda items as served before Council.
- Signed minutes of the meeting reflecting the approval of the item.

#### 8. Annexures

Attached to this application please find the following supporting documents:

Annexure A: Relevant Maps

- Locality Map
- Layout Map of Tannery Estate
- Aerial Photo Map

Annexure B: Erf Diagrams

Annexure C: Copy of Title Deed

Annexure D: Company Resolution

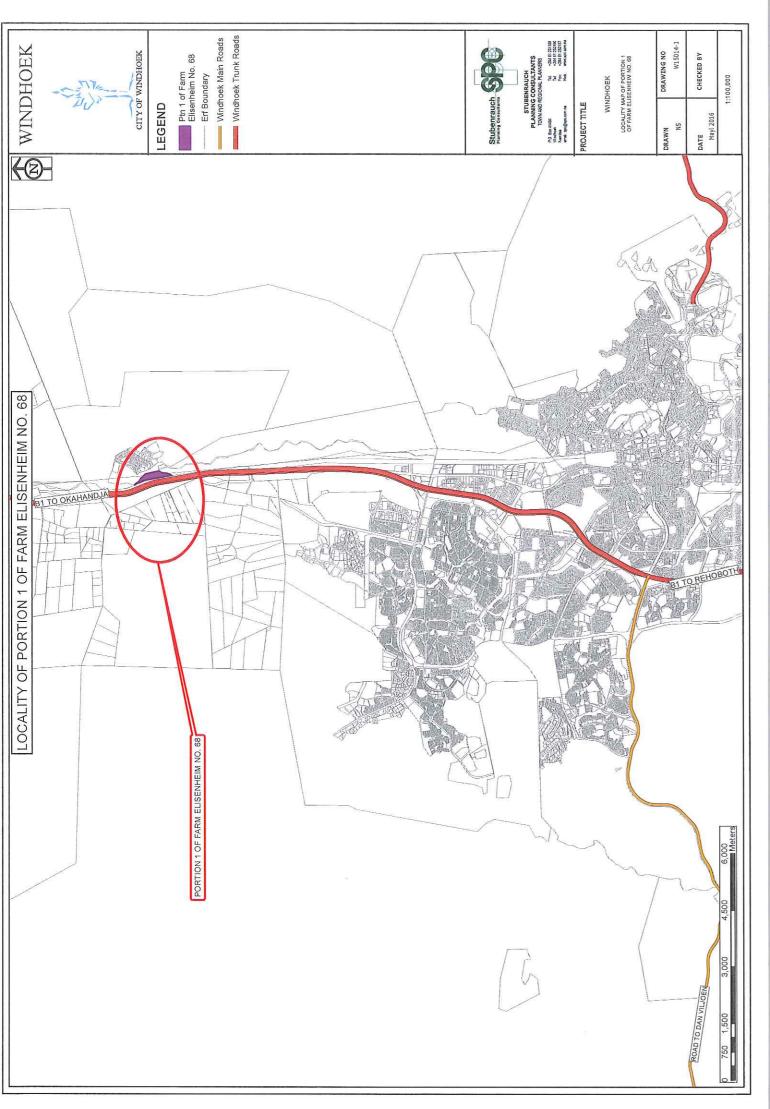
Annexure E: Power of Attorney to be signed by the Director of Namibia Tannery (Pty) Itd

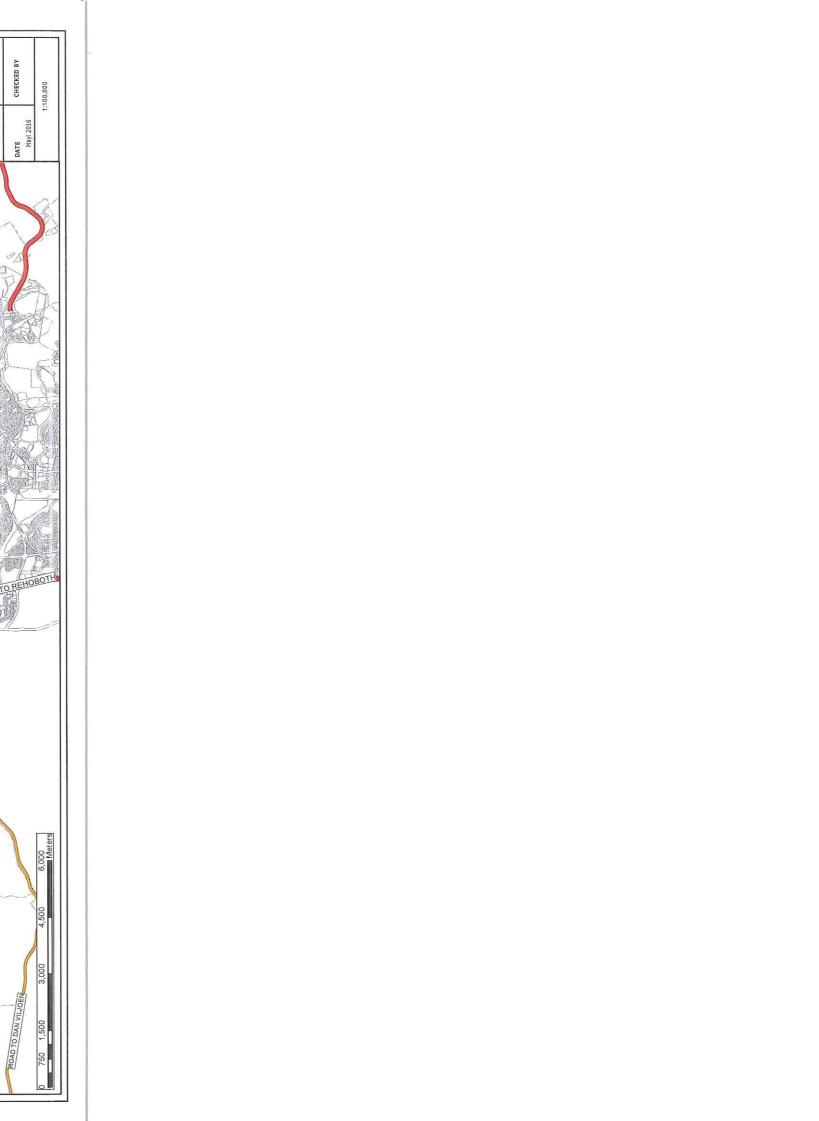
Please do not hesitate to contact me with any queries you may have.

Yoursyfaithfully

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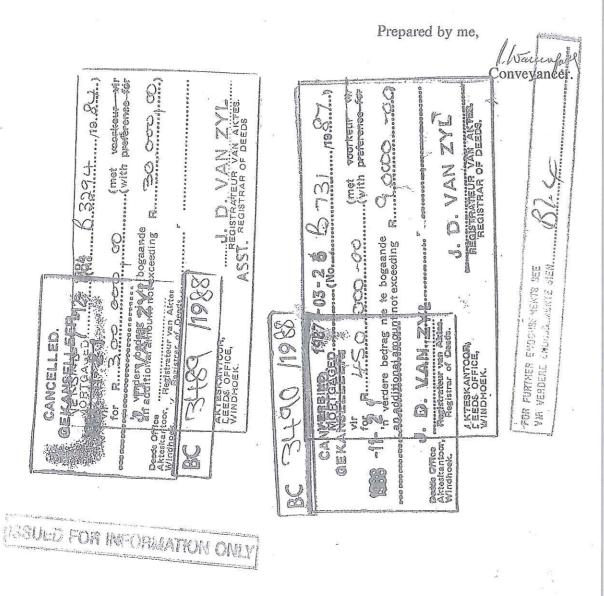








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at WINDHOEK, SOUTH WEST AFRICA,

he, the said Appearer, being duly authorised thereto by a Power of Attorney granted to him by

FRIEDRICH EMIL FRANZ SCHMIDT Identity Number 290614 01 0014 5

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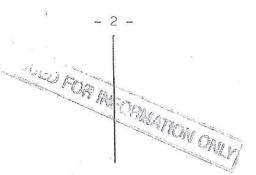
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and that he in his capacity aforesaid did, by these presents, cede and transfer, in full and free property, to and on behalf of

# NAMIBIA TANNERY PROPRIETARY) LIMITED (Company No 80/092)

Its Successors-in-Title or Assigns,

CERTAIN Portion 1 of the Farm ELISENHEIM No 68;

SITUATE in the Peri-Urban Area of BRAKWATER;

REGISTRATION DIVISION "K";

MEASURING 12,0810 (TWELVE COMMA NIL EIGHT ONE NIL) Hectares, as indicated on Diagram No A 1127/56 first transferred by and held under Deed of Transfer No T335/1957 and also held under Deed of Transfer No T295/1958;

A. SUBJECT

to a Lease in favour of FRIEDRICH JOHANN OELKERS for a period of 30 (THIRTY) years as from 1st JULY 1970, by virtue of Notarial Deed of Lease No 18/1970;

B.

AND FURTHER SUBJECT to the following conditions, imposed in terms of Section 22(4) Ordinance No 11/1963 by virtue of endorsements dated 22nd DECEMBER 1971, endorsed against Deeds of Transfer Nos. T335/1957 and T295/

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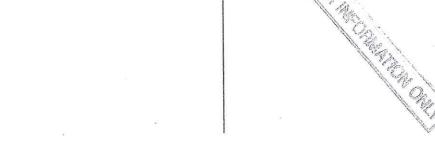
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Successors-in-Title

Its Heirs, Executors, Administrators or Assigns, now is and henceforth shall be entitled thereto, conformably to local custom, The State, however, reserving its rights, and finally acknowledging the purchase price of the property to be the sum of

R120 000,00 (ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY THOUSAND RAND).



In witness whereof, I, the said Registrar of Deeds, together with the Appearer, q.q., hav subscribed to these Presents and have caused the Seal of Office to be affixed thereto.

Thus done and executed, at the Office of the Registrar of Deeds

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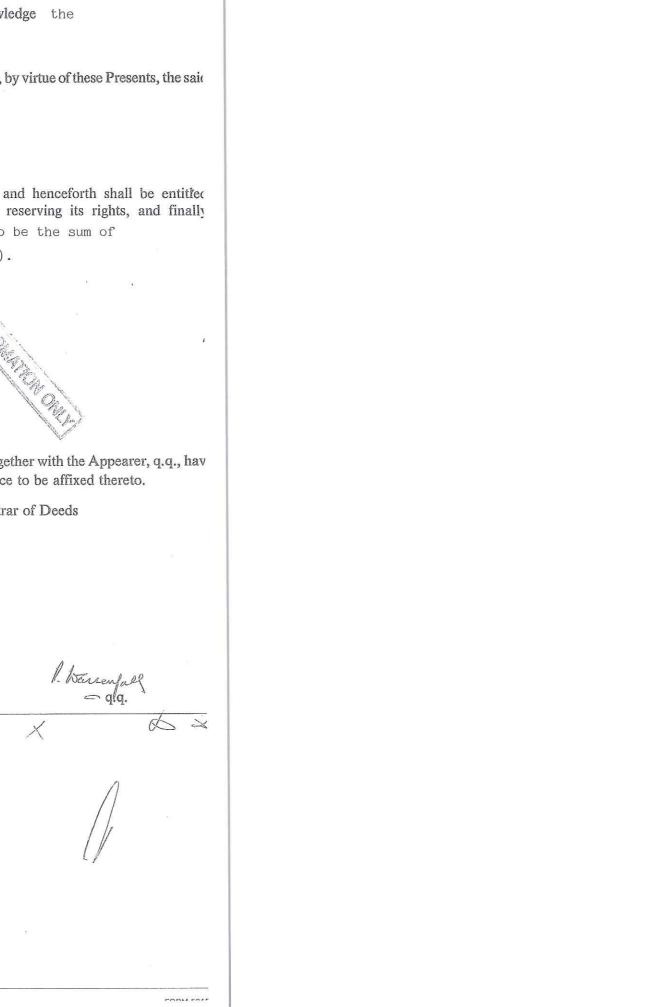
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1. Transfer Duty Receipt No. 366

\* OR Exemption-Certificate: Issued at WINDHOEK on 7.2.84. for R 6 000,00

2. Rates Clearance Certificate issued by (i)Peri-Urban Development Board valid till 31.3.1984 (ii) \_\_\_\_\_ valid till \_\_\_\_\_ Checked: 1 Skoup



# Endorsement in terms of Section 2702 ACT 28 2004 and 27(7) ACT 26/1988

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of Namibia Tannery Proprietary Limited (No. 80/092)
owners of Portion 1 of the Farm ELISENHEIM No. 68
do hereby nominate, constitute and appoint
Stubenrauch Planning Consultants cc P O Box 11869 Windhoek
with power of Substitution, to be my lawful Attorney and Agent in my name, place and stead, to make the necessary application to the Townships Board, Ministry of Urban and Rural Development/Namibian Planning Advisory Board for the:
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at the cost of the applicant and generally for effecting the purposes aforesaid, to do or cause to be done whatsoever shall be requisite as fully and effectually, for all intents and purposes I might of could do if personally present and acting herein - hereby ratifying, allowing and confirm all and whatsoever my said Attorney and agent shall lawfully do, or cause to be done, by virtue of these presents.
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