To Whom It May Concern,

Subject: Free, Prior, and Informed Consent for the Drilling of a Water Borehole at Otjahorovara village, Kunene Region

Dear Sir/Madam,

This letter serves as a formal reference to the subject above.

At a community meeting held on <u>II</u> December 2024, at <u>Jahoro vare</u> village, the community was fully informed about the proposed support for drilling a water borehole, which is being facilitated by the Community Conservation Fund of Namibia (CCFN).

The community has comprehensively understood the project and its potential benefits. The proposed water borehole drilling does not conflict with our traditional norms or cultural practices. On the contrary, it is expected to enhance the livelihoods of our community and contribute to mitigating the challenges posed by Human-Wildlife Conflict (HWC). We fully support the project and encourage continued consultation during its implementation.

This letter serves as our Free, Prior, and Informed Consent for the project.









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Place: Otjahorovara Village

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