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Subject: RE: PPP. Proposed Harmony Dam on Farm Houdenbek 415
Attachments: PPP Poster Toeka dam.pdf

Dear Sir or madam

Notice is hereby given of a public participation process in terms of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act 107 of 1998) ("NEMA") and the EIA Regulations (2014 as amended), as well as the National Water Act, 1998 (Act 36 of 1998) ("NWA"); for the application for environmental authorisation (EIA) and a water use licence (WULA) for the proposed construction of two new dams on the Farm Houdenbek 415 (Toeka dam and Harmony Dam)

The two dams are:

1. The Harmony Dam will approximately 250 000 cubic metres (5ha in size)
2. The Toeka dam will be approximately 250 – 350 Million cubic metres (approximately 35 ha in size).

These dams will belong to Harmony Trust (BEE initiative) with the purpose of assisting the Trust in establishing an economical farming unit (please read underneath).

As neighbours, we would like to invite you to register as an interested and affected party:

*Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) are hereby notified of the application and invited to register (in writing) and/or provide initial comments and identify any issues, concerns or opportunities relating to this project to the contact details provided below, on or before **4 August 2017**.*

In order to register or submit a comment, I&APs should refer to the project name, and provide their name, address & contact details (indicating your preferred method of notification) and an indication of any direct business, financial, personal, or other interest which they have in the application. Please note that future correspondence will only be sent to registered Interested and Affected Parties.

"Aan: Weltevrede – WP van der Merwe, Bronaar – Fanie van der Merwe, Boplaas – Fanie van der Merwe, Westland – Marius Fernhoudt, VaalboksKloof – Retief du Toit"

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As aangrensende bure aan Houdenbek, ken ons julle graag in die volgende ontwikkeling.

Ons beplan om by Harmonie 'n 75ha vrugte projek te vestig vir Harmony Trust, dit is die volgende logiese stap om dit na 'n ekonomiese boerdery eenheid uit te bou. Derhalwe wil ons graag aansoek doen om addisionele water staan te maak, deur twee nuwe damme te bou, die geskikte twee plekke is op Houdenbek se grond maar die lisensie sal vir Harmonie wees.

Dit is stroom af van al julle eiendom en dit affekteer ook nie partye stroom af van Harmonie nie.

Dit sal ook nie vergunnings wat tussen ons en stroom-op parte bestaan tov pomptye, beïnvloed nie.

Hiermee vra ons julle goedgeunstelike ondersteuning wanneer Peet Botes van EnviroAfrica julle kontak.

Skakel my gerus as julle enige vrae het.

Baie dankie & groete



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