

Dear Interested and Affected Party

**NEMA PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS**

**THE PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT OF CULTIVATED AREAS (VINEYARDS) AT RUSTENBERG WINES,  
REMAINDER OF FARM 56, SCHOONGEZICHT, STELLENBOSCH**

Notice is hereby given of the intention to submit a NEMA application and the public participation process, in terms of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998), as amended ("NEMA"), Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations 2014. The proposed development of vineyards at Rustenberg Wines includes activities listed in terms of the NEMA EIA Regulations 2014.

EnviroAfrica cc has been appointed by Rustenberg Wines to undertake the NEMA application for Environmental Authorisation process.

**Application for environmental authorization to undertake the following activities in terms of NEMA EIA Regulations 2014:**

Government Notice R327 (Listing Notice 1):

Activity No. **27**: The clearance of an area of 1 hectare or more, but less than 20 hectares of indigenous vegetation.

Government Notice R324 (Listing Notice 3):

Activity No. **12**: The clearance of an area of 300 square metres or more of indigenous vegetation.

*\*Please note that the listed activities above may change during the course of the NEMA Application process. Registered I&APs will be notified of any changes.*

**Project Description & Location:**

It is proposed that approximately 6ha of vineyards (wine grapes) be developed on Remainder of Farm 56, Schoongezicht, Stellenbosch (Rustenberg Wines). An area of approximately 8ha has been identified on the farm, however, only approximately 6ha will be developed due to the topography of the site.

The proposed site was previously cleared to cultivate vines just over 10 years ago, but was never developed, and has been lying fallow since then.

**Public Participation:**

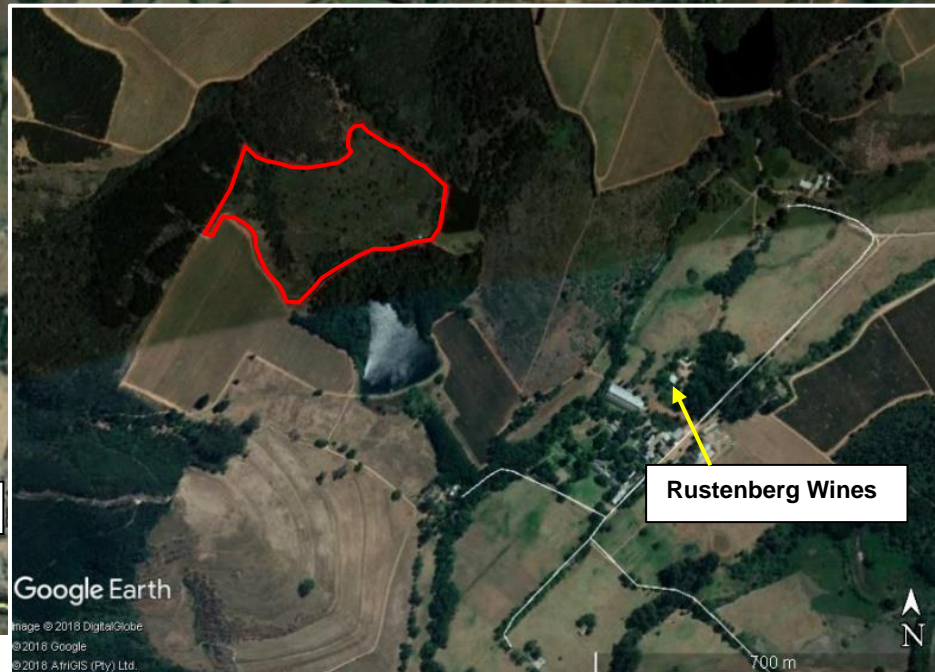
Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) are hereby notified of the application and invited to register (in writing) and/or provide initial comments and identify any issues, concerns or opportunities relating to this project to the contact details provided below, **on or before 08 November 2018**. In order to register or submit 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. You are also requested to pass this information to any person you feel should be notified.

Please note that only Registered I&APs:

- will be notified of the availability of reports and other written submissions made (or to be made) to the Department by the applicant, and be entitled to comment on these reports and submissions;
- will be notified of the outcome of the application, the reasons for the decision, and that an appeal may be lodged against a decision; and
- will be notified of the applicant's intention to appeal the decision of the competent authority, together with an indication of where and for what period the appeal submission will be available for inspection.

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## SITE CO-ORDINATES

33° 53' 28.00"S

18° 53' 10.00"E

 PROPOSED SITE

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