



NEMA & WULA PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS
NEW WAVE DAM – VANRHYNSDORP DISTRICT

PROPOSED DAM ON FARM MELKBOOM 384 PORTION 161 & 168, VANRHYNSDORP DISTRICT, Cederberg Farming

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 (No. 107 of 1998), as amended ("NEMA"), Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations 2014, as well as a Water Use License Application in terms of the National Water Act (No. 36 of 1956) (NWA). The proposed development of a dam on Farm Melkboom 384 Portion 161 & 168, van Rhynsdorp District, Cederberg Farming, includes water use activities as listed in the National Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations ("EIA") Regulations, 2014 (as amended). Environmental assessment has been approved by Cederberg Farming, to undertake the NEMA Application for Environmental Authorisation process.

Activities for environmental authorisation to undertake the following activities in terms of NEMA EIA Regulations 2014:
 Government Notice R227 (Listing Notice 1): Activity No. 12, 13, 19
 Government Notice R228 (Listing Notice 2): Activity No. 16
 Government Notice R224 (Listing Notice 3): Activity No. 14

Activities in terms of WULA:
 Section 21 (b), (c) and (d)

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:
 The proposed dam will be situated on Farm Melkboom 384 Portion 161 and 168, van Rhynsdorp District, Cederberg Farming. The site is located approximately 45km north-west of the town of Cederberg on the banks of the Oudkraal River, off the N7.
 Site coordinates: 31° 52' 55.47" S, 18° 37' 48.20" E.
 The proposed dam will have a height of 5m and a crest length of approximately 440m. The dam will have a capacity of approximately 92 000m³ and will have a storage volume of approximately 1 000 000m³.

Consultation:
 Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) are hereby notified of the application and invited to register (in writing) and/or provide oral comments and identify any other interested parties. Comments should be submitted to the applicant in the format details provided below. Closing date for comments on environmental/NEMA issues is **22 October 2024**. Comments on water use/NWA issues should be submitted to the applicant in the format details provided below. Closing date for comments on water use/NWA issues is **22 October 2024**. In order to register or submit comments, I&APs should refer to the project location on the map attached to this notice. The applicant will provide a public meeting and an indication of any direct business, financial, personal, or other interests which may be affected by the proposed project. The interested parties are requested to provide the information to the person you feel should be notified. Please note that future correspondence will only be sent to the registered I&APs.

Comments: The 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 the reports, and the outcome of the application.

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PROPOSED DAM ON FARM MELKBOOM 384 PORTION 161 & 168, VANRHYNSDORP DISTRICT, CEDERBERG FARMING



NEMA & WULA PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS**NEW WAVE DAM – VANRHYNSDORP DISTRICT****PROPOSED DAM ON FARM MELKBOOM 384 PORTION 101 & 168, VANRHYNSDORP DISTRICT, CEDERBERG FARMING**

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, as well as a Water Use License Application in terms of the National Water Act (Act 36 of 1998) (NWA). The proposed development of a dam on Farm Melkboom 384 Portion 101 & 168, van Rhynsdorp District, Cederberg Farming, includes activities listed in terms of the NEMA Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations ("EIA") Regulations, 2014 (as amended).

EnviroAfrica cc has been appointed by Cederberg Farming, 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. 12, 13, 19
 Government Notice R325 (Listing Notice 2): Activity No. 16
 Government Notice R324 (Listing Notice 3): Activity No. 14

Application in terms of NWA:

Sections 21 (b), (c) and (f).

*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:

The proposed dam will be located on Farm Melkboom 384 Portion 101 and 168, van Rhynsdorp District, Cederberg Farming. The site is located approximately 40km north-west of Clanwilliam, 10km south of Klaver, on the banks of the Olifants River, off the N7.

Site co-ordinates: 31° 52' 05.40" S, 18° 37' 46.35" E.

The proposed dam will have a height of 8m and a crest length of approximately 440m. The dam will have a capacity of approximately 92 000m³, and will have a surface area of 2.3 ha.

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. Closing date for comments on environmental/NEMA issues on or before 4 November 2021. Closing date for comments on water/NWA (WULA) related issues on or before 4 December 2021. 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. You are also requested to pass this information to any person you feel should be notified. Please note that future correspondence will only be sent to registered Interested and Affected Parties.

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, and the outcome of the application.

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PROPOSED DAM ON FARM MELKBOOM 384 PORTION 101 & 168, VANRHYNSDORP DISTRICT, CEDERBERG FARMING**SITE CO-ORDINATES**

31° 52' 05.40" S
 18° 37' 46.35" E

PROPOSED SITE:
 NEW WAVE DAM

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