



**Western Cape  
Government**

Cultural Affairs and Sport

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE WESTERN CAPE PROVINCIAL GEOGRAPHICAL NAMES COMMITTEE (WCPGNC)  
HELD IN THE 7<sup>TH</sup> FLOOR BOARDROOM, PROTEA ASSURANCE BUILDING, GREEN MARKET SQUARE, CAPE TOWN, ON  
12 JUNE 2015 AT 09H30**

<b>1. Opening and welcome</b>	<p>1.1 The Chairperson, Mr Elsworth McPherson, welcomed all members present.</p> <p>1.2 It was announced that a new Minister for Cultural Affairs and Sport was appointed for the Western Cape: Mrs Anroux Marais.</p> <p>1.3 The meeting was also informed that the Chief-Director of Cultural Affairs, Ms Hanneljie Du Preez will not be retiring.</p> <p><b>Noted by all</b></p> <p>A photo of the members was taken for the webpage.</p>		
<b>2. Attendance</b>	<b>Present</b>	<b>Apologies</b>	<b>Absent without apology</b>
	Dlali, Prof Mawande (Deputy-Chairperson)	Carstens, Mr Schalk	

	<p>Good, Mr Bruce  Jansen, Mr Steven  Kedzieja, Mr Marek  McPherson, Mr Elsworth (Chairperson)  Neethling, Prof Bertie  Opperman, Mr Sydney  Van der Merwe, Mrs Anita (scribe)  Van der Walt, Mrs Leonora</p>	<p>Fredericks, Dr Izak  Ngcuka, Mr Vuyani  Brutus, Mr Anthony</p>	
<b>3. Approval of previous minutes</b>	<p>The Minutes of 13 February 2015 was approved after the spelling corrections were pointed out: Page 3 Item 5.1. Mr Steven Jansen is a member of NGI and not GIS. Mr Marek Kedzieja accepted the Minutes and Prof Mawande Dlali seconded.</p>		AVDM
Item no.	Discussion		Action
<b>4. Matters arising from previous meeting</b>	<p>4.1 Report back: Networking with the Overberg District Municipalities:  4.1.1 Mr E McPherson and Mrs A van der Merwe reported back on the meeting held with the Cape Augulhas Municipality, at Bredasdorp. Mr McPherson thanked Mr Kedzieja for also attending the networking meeting.  4.1.2 The Eden District Municipalities are the target areas for 2015/16.  4.1.3 Members are again invited to attend these meetings.</p>		EMP, AVDM & MK

	<p><b>Noted by all</b></p> <p>4.2 The WCPGN policy: The revised policy is en route to the newly appointed Minister for final approval. Ongoing.</p> <p><b>Noted by all</b></p> <p>4.3 Applications Update</p> <p>4.3.1 <b>Devil's Peak</b></p> <p>Adv Bridgman reported back on the process: The publicity campaign is very expensive and they are waiting for funds. A lot of mixed reactions from the public were received up to date. Mr Sydney Opperman asked for proposed names. A lengthy discussion followed.</p> <p>4.3.2 <i>Rockview Dam to <b>Dorha Dam</b></i></p> <p>4.3.2.1 Minister Botha approved the proposed name change and a letter was sent to the Minister of Water and Sanitation in this effect. (Ongoing)</p> <p><b>Approved and supported by all.</b></p> <p>4.3.3 Schotsche Kloof to <b>Bo-Kaap</b></p> <p>The applicants were not available to give feedback. Ongoing.</p>	<p>AVDM</p> <p>AVDM</p>
<p><b>5. New matters</b></p>	<p>5.1 Update on applications received</p> <p>No new applications were formally received.</p>	

	<p>5.1.1 Symposium in Clarence in September 2015</p> <p>Prof Bertie Neethling gave background of the paper that he will deliver during the Symposium. He also reported on a paper that he will deliver in Italy in June regarding NITE (Names in the Economy).</p>	
<p><b>6. Standard matters</b></p>	<p>6.1 Report of the Chairperson of the WCPGNC</p> <p>6.1.1 The Chairperson, Mr Elsworth McPherson, reported that the new members to serve on the SAGNC are in the process of being appointed. No announcement has been made up to date.</p> <p>6.2 The WCPGNC members' details were updated.</p> <p><b>Noted by all</b></p>	<p>EMP</p>
<p><b>7. Additional items</b></p>	<p>7.1 Media Clippings</p> <p><b>For information purposes</b></p> <p>7.2 Recommended names for the seven foot bridges over Mandela Boulevard and Rhodes Drive</p> <p>Mrs L van der Walt reported back on the choices and the final selection of the proposed names. The City of Cape Town is an inclusive city where all its inhabitants need to feel at home, and the names need to reflect that.</p> <p>A discussion followed.</p>	<p>LVDW</p>

<b>8. Date and place of next meeting</b>	8.1 The date for the next meeting is Friday 23 October 2015. <b>Noted by all</b>	AVDM
<b>9. Closure</b>	The Chairperson thanked the members for their attendance and inputs. After closure at 12H30, the members were invited to enjoy lunch.	