



BUSHMAN'S RIVER MOUTH / BOESMANSRIVERMOND

Ratepayers' Association / Belastingbetalersvereniging Ward 3 / Wyk 3
P.O.Box 50, Boesmansrivermond, 6190

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Municipal Manager
Ndlambe Municipality
P.O.Box 13
Port Alfred
6170

Re Bushman's River Mouth Sea Beach Area

Dear Sir,

We have brought up the matter of the state of the Bushman's Sea Beach ablution facility and road at the Ward 3 ward committee meeting and it was agreed that the matter would be forwarded to council. It is a matter of urgency to get the repairs to the road and ablution facility done before the tourist season. This is against a background of the area being a tourist venue and the route to Dias Cross. We were most disappointed to see that none of the DEAET funding (Coast Care) was earmarked for ward 3 and we believe that it is the duty of the municipality to maintain the facilities.

We have attached two photographs for your perusal and add that the state of the facility is not because of vandalization, but lack of maintenance. The sand was allowed to accumulate on the roof over two years until it broke. The matter was raised with municipal officials some months ago but nothing was done and what you see is the result.

We trust that you will bring the matter to the attention of the relevant officials to effect the repairs asap.

Yours faithfully,

Johann Smuts
Chairman Bushman's River Mouth Ratepayers Association.

Cc Richard Pote
Sizwe Mvunelwa

Committee: Johann Smuts (Chairman), Eric Sutton (Vice Chairman), Wendy Grove (Secretary), Charles Sprong (Treasurer), CJF Botha, Schalk Kotze, Dennis Laubscher, Jimmy van Rensberg, Matt Mullins, Ian Smith