

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE WESTERN CAPE PROVINCIAL  
GEOGRAPHICAL NAMES COMMITTEE (WCPGNC)**

**Held on Friday 18 November 2016  
Ground Floor Boardroom at the  
Museum Technical Services, 63A Grensweg, Ruyterwacht at  
11H00**

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**1. Opening and Welcome**

The meeting was officially opened at 11H00 by the Chairperson prof. Bertie Neethling. He welcomed everyone present.

**2. Attendance**

**Members**

Prof Bertie Neethling	BN
Dr Niel le Roux	NLR
Mr Elsworth McPherson	EMP
Mr Nkosikhulule Nyembezi	NN
Mr Sydney Opperman	SO
Mr Vuyani Ngcuka	VN
Mr Mandlakayise Matyumza	MM
Mr Steven Jansen	SJ

**Members of Staff**

Ms Anita van der Merwe	AVDM
Ms Lorelle Hutton	LH
Ms Jaline de Villiers	JDV

**Apologies**

Prof Mawande Dlali	MD
Mr Schalk Carstens	SC
Ms Leonore van der Walt	LVDW
Mr Marek Kedzieja	MK
Mr Anthony Brutus	AB

**3. Administrative matter: Policy workshop**

Mr Elsworth McPherson gave feedback on the policy workshop. Valuable ideas, feedback and input were received during the discussions. This workshop was meant to introduce the newly appointed members to the Act and the policy of Geographical Names. **EMP**

**4. Approval of Minutes of the Previous Meeting**

**4.1 Dated 11 August 2016**

The Committee resolved to adopt the minutes. **AVDM**

**5. Standing items**

**5.1** Report of the Chairperson **BN**

**5.2** The report of the research was tabled. The Committee approved 115 geographical names that had been researched and verified. **AVDM**

**5.3** Report of the NSSA **BN**

**5.4** The contact details of the members were updated.

Members were reminded to complete the attendance register and the claim form for transport. **AVDM**

**6. Applications: Report back**

**6.1** Devil's Peak **BN**

**6.2** Bo-Kaap invitation **BN**

**7. New Applications**

**7.1** Newlands/Claremont/Bishopscourt to Bishops Court Village

**DECISION**

Matter was referred to the City of Cape Town's naming committee. **AVDM**

**7.2** Teselaarsdal to Tesselaarsdal (correct spelling) **AVDM**

**7.3** Dorothy Zihlangu Precinct.

**DECISION**

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**7.4** Koebee Pass **NN**

This is already the official name for the mountain pass near Clanwilliam.

Documentation on *Mountain Passes South Africa* was presented. The Koebee Pass is also named in the documentation. The application is there for unnecessary.

**8. Additional matters**

8.1 Draft pamphlet to promote Khoekoe names in the Western Cape

**DECISION**

Discussions and last inputs must be forwarded at latest for meeting in February.

The proposed MEC's launch of the invitation for an audit of the existing offensive names in the province is still under discussion.

8.2 Cultural Affairs Awards: Call for Nominations and criteria **AVDM**

9. Proposed Date of the Next Meeting: 17 February 2017 at 11h00

10. Closure: 13:00

CHAIRPERSON



DATE

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