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ATTENTION: Mr Riaan Kuchar

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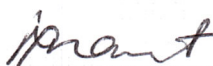
Dear Sir

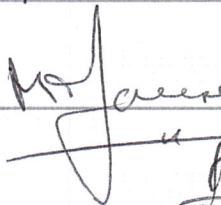
**THE DRAFT OVERSTRAND INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT FRAMEWORK (IDF) AND  
ON THE DRAFT STRATEGIC ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT FRAMEWORK (SEMF)**

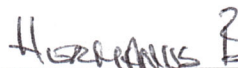
We, the undersigned, associate ourselves with and support the comments and recommendations contained in the attached document prepared by the Whale Coast Conservation. The contents are the result of discussions held in two public meetings organised by the Hermanus Ratepayers Association in partnership with the Hermanus Business Chamber and Whale Coast Conservation, and attended by members of the public and representatives of other Overstrand civil society organisations.

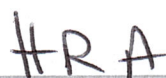
Please acknowledge receipt of this letter and respond to the issues raised in the attached document. We propose that the signatories be afforded the opportunity to engage with the municipality in a well and timeously advertised public workshop that allows qualified representatives of civil society organisations to debate and reach consensus on the contents of the final versions of the IDF and SEMF.

Yours faithfully

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