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WARD / WYK 9

WARD COMMITTEE MEETING /
WYKSKOMITEE VERGADERING

**MINUTES OF THE WARD COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY,
 18 FEBRUARY 2026 AT 16:00 IN THE LIBRARY HALL, KLEINMOND**

**NOTULE VAN DIE WYKSKOMITEEVERGADERING GEHOU OP WOENSDAG,
 18 FEBRUARIE 2026 OM 16:00 IN DIE BIBLIOTEEKSAAL, KLEINMOND**

PRESENT:		
ADMINISTRATION:	Mr Anver Wyngaard	Public Liaison: Hangklip/Kleinmond
	Ms Karla Gerber du Toit	Administrator: Strategic Support Services
WARD 10 COMMITTEE MEMBERS:		
	Cllr Stephen Williams	Chairperson
	Mr Thomas Snibbe	Mountain Lanes
	Mr Botha Maree	Kleinmond Nature Conservation Association
	Mr Etienne Olifant	Arts & Culture
	Ms Hannelize Upsher	Kleinmond Golf Club
	Ms Marie De Beer	Klein Berlyn
	Mr David Peddle	Palmiet
	Mr Guy Andrews	Kleinmond Special Rating Area
	Vacant	Animal Welfare
APOLOGIES:	Cllr Grant Cohen	Ward 9 Councillor
	Mr Marcelin Barry	Youth
ABSENT WITHOUT APOLOGY:	Ms Nydia Carelse	Proteadorp
MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC:	01	

1.	WELCOME	ACTION & TARGET DATES
	Cllr Williams welcomed everyone present and asked Mr Wyngaard to read the notice.	Noted
2.	APOLOGIES	
	Apologies: Cllr Cohen and Mr Marcelin Barry.	Noted

3.	CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES	
	Confirmation of the minutes of 13 November 2025 was proposed by Mr Maree and seconded by Mr Snibbe. Mr Snibbe requested administration to change the word “Spreker” on the Agenda to “Speaker”.	Noted
4.	MATTERS ARISING	
	Cllr Williams explained that matters arising pertained specifically to the last Ward Committee meeting held, which was on 13 November 2025. No matters were raised.	Noted
5.	WARD SPECIFIC PROJECTS	
5.1.	<p><u>2025/2026 – PROGRESS REPORT</u></p> <p>The Chairperson requested proposals of the projects with timelines attached to be submitted within one (1) week. He advised to load the projects before requisitions close to secure funding and thus prevent the risk of the reallocation of funds to other procurement needs.</p> <p>Cllr Grimbeek requested that the wording on the table be changed to “erecting a speedhump”. Cllr Williams indicated he would schedule a meeting with Traffic Services and Cllr Grimbeek to investigate whether funds are available to erect speedhumps.</p> <p>Mr Peddle questioned whether the funds will be spent within this financial year and the Committee agreed that operational officials are expected to provide their full cooperation and support.</p> <p>Mr Andrews enquired about the numbering of priorities and was informed that the priorities were in line with the IDP.</p> <p>Mr Wyngaard informed some items may be able to be completed on tenders.</p>	Noted
	That the Project Managers submitted progress reports for the respective Ward 9 specific projects with timelines, within one (1) week from 18 February 2026, to ensure that these projects are loaded before requisitions close.	Recommended: Mr Steffan Saal, for all projects except Signage, which is to be confirmed.
5.2.	<p><u>2026/2027 – ALLOCATIONS & IDENTIFYING PROJECTS</u></p> <p>Mr Wyngaard mentioned that the final amount received for Ward Specific projects had not yet been communicated. He therefore advised the Speaker to use the current amount of R 378 571.00 for the 2027 – 2028 financial year. He furthermore advised to prioritise Stormwater. One option was to allocate R 100 000.00 towards Stormwater. Ward Committee members were asked to submit their chosen and realistic projects to administration by Friday 27 February 2026.</p>	Noted
6.	WARD SITE VISITS: MARCH 2026: IDENTIFYING PROJECTS & SITES	
	The Chair asked WC members to submit their ideas for sites to be visited to administration. Wards 9 and 10 could potentially do the site visits together, Mr Wyngaard advised WC members to submit ideas for the upcoming site visits based on their chosen Ward Specific projects by Friday 27 February 2026 for consideration by the Ward Councillor.	Noted

7.	MR BOTHA MAREE: AGENDA ITEMS	
	The Chairperson informed Mr Maree that the Speaker had indicated he was at a Speaker's forum but would meet with Mr Maree to discuss agenda items 7.1 – 7.6. in person.	Noted
7.1.	<u>BELLS ON CATS</u> Not discussed.	Noted
7.2.	<u>MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR KLEINMOND NATURE RESERVE</u> Mr Maree felt very strongly that this item was important and deserved attention. Cllr Williams requested Mr Wyngaard to communicate the item to Ms Liezel de Villiers and the MM.	Noted
	That Mr Anver Wyngaard followed up the matter of a Management plan for Kleinmond Nature Reserve with Ms Liezel de Villiers.	Recommended: Mr Anver Wyngaard
7.3.	<u>SEWAGE POLLUTION</u> Mr Maree conveyed his concern that considerable funds had been spent, yet sewage pollution remained unresolved. His solutions included active patrol, education to investigate whether the problem was due to a design fault. Cllr Grimbeek recommended that the Kleinmond sewage infrastructure be connected to the GIS platform to ensure prompt notification of any tampering. He noted that the support network was already in place.	Noted
	That Cllr Cohen sent Mr Botha Maree's six (6) items to the relevant directors and obtained answers.	Recommended: Cllr Grant Cohen
7.4.	<u>COLLAB CITIZEN APP SUMMARY REPORTS</u> Not discussed.	Noted
7.5.	<u>REQUEST FOR FEEDBACK ON THE GNEC BASIC ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR OVERHILLS HOUSING DEVELOPMENT</u> Not discussed.	Noted
7.6.	<u>GENERAL DISCUSSION: VIEWPOINT/OPINION THAT "OM'S OVERHILLS PLAN IS A BAND-AID AND NOT A SOLUTION"</u> Not discussed.	Noted
	GENERAL: FEEDBACK FROM WC MEMBERS	
	<u>Ms Marie de Beer:</u> Noted that, notwithstanding repeated requests, Botrivier Road continued to be inadequately serviced. <u>Ms Hannelize Upsher:</u> Informed that stormwater issues persisted at the junction of 6 th Street and 13 th Avenue, despite the recent upgrades. The reason was because the 30 mm pipe had still not been replaced by a 45 mm pipe. <u>Mr Tommy Snibbe:</u> Was very concerned about prevailing news of fraud in the OM and that no feedback had been forthcoming. The Chair advised him to communicate his concerns electronically to the MM to obtain an official answer. Mr Snibbe was duly also advised to use the term "allegedly" and to copy the Ward Councillor in the mail.	Noted

	<p><u>Mr Botha Maree:</u> Brought up the matter of recycling and he reiterated his frustration that plans to establish a recycling shop/station had not been successful. A business plan was necessary, and it had to be communicated to use the correct colour recycling bags. Cllr Grimbeek advised that the same principle should be used for bins. Cllr Williams indicated there was a pilot project at the Kleinmond beach with different colours on waste bins to indicate different types of waste. Such multi-colour bins could eventually be installed in all areas. Mr Maree noted the OM was inundated with calls to remove waste, and that members of the public should assist to ensure a clean town.</p> <p><u>Mr David Peddle:</u> Raised his concern about sewage in Malherbe Street and the fact that the sewage inevitably made its way to the harbour. He stressed that it was a function of the OM, and thus the OM's responsibility. He requested that sewage spillage and resultant pollution be addressed as a matter of urgency. Mr Peddle also requested the OM to provide honest communication regarding water quality. Mr Peddle encouraged an attitude of openness between the OM and the KSRA and informed of a meeting scheduled with the EM on the 24th of February 2026. Cllr Williams welcomed the fact that the OM was kept accountable and requested written communication which was specific.</p> <p><u>Mr Etienne Olifant:</u> Reported a problem with a drain next to the cemetery, by the lapa. He informed the problem had been reported numerous times in the past, but that it had not been addressed. Thus, a permanent solution was called for. Cllr Williams promised to do a site visit. It was discussed that Law Enforcement (LE) should patrol hot spots, but they do not have the funds or manpower. Cllr Williams suggested changing the times of shifts as one solution. Cllr Grimbeek noted that Labour Laws were hampering LE efforts. An example mentioned was that a shift allowance had to be paid for work done after 24:00. A solution was to implement "adopt a cop" where a stipend was paid in an attempt to alleviate the pressure on LE.</p>	
8.	CLOSURE	
	Mr Wyngaard reminded members to complete and submit their Quarter 2 report back reports in order to comply with the WC Rules and to qualify for the R 100.00 stipend. Cllr Williams thanked attendees and adjourned the meeting at 17:09.	Noted