

Proof of written notice to the owners and occupiers

From: vaugustus@ednamibia.com
Sent: Monday, 02 February 2026 14:40
To: 'h.e@iway.na'
Subject: Stakeholder identification for public consultation on the proposed prospecting and exploration activities on Exclusive Prospecting License (EPL) No.10196 Located Northeast of Okahandja in the Otjozondjupa Region, Namibia.
Attachments: BID_EPL 10196.pdf

Dear Dr. Weimann,

Africa Venture Partners Projects (Pty) Ltd (The Proponent) proposes to undertake prospecting and exploration activities on **Exclusive Prospecting License (EPL) No. 10196 located approximately 23 km northeast of Okahandja, in the Otjozondjupa Region.**

Mineral prospecting and exploration is one of the listed activities that cannot be undertaken without an Environmental Clearance Certificate (ECC) as per the 2012 Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations of the Environmental Management Act No. 7 of 2007. The Proponent, therefore, appointed Excel Dynamic Solutions (Pty) Ltd, an independent Environmental Consultants firm to conduct the required Environmental Scoping Assessment (ESA) process and apply for the ECC.

Furthermore, Sections 21 to 24 of the EIA Regulations require that Public Consultation is undertaken as one of the crucial components of the Environmental Assessment, which involves the pre-identification of potential Interested & Affected Parties (I&APs) or Stakeholders and ongoing registration of new I&APs and subsequent consultation. You have therefore been identified as a potential I&AP for this proposed activity, and the reason you are receiving this communication.

Please find the attached Background Information Document (BID) for the proposed prospecting and exploration activities.

The EPL covers multiple farms, including: Waldfriede No.50, Oviumbo No.196, Okapupa East No.49, Okarupa No.48, Otjisazu No. 53, Montrose No.52, Montrose No.203, Onganjira No.66, Otjisazu Noord No.264 and Ovitoto Reserve No.55.

We are currently finalizing the date for the stakeholder's engagement meeting which is taking place next week with the affected land owners but we are also flexible to visit your office for a brief 20 minutes meeting at your earliest convenience at your suggested date and time to discuss any concerns or questions regarding the proposed project.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions or need further clarification on this matter.

Kind regards,



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From: vaugustus@edsnamibia.com
Sent: Monday, 30 March 2026 14:57
To: 'Titus Shuuya'
Cc: 'Justine Nakanwe'; 'ovitotoconservancy@gmail.com'; 'undisiro@yahoo.co.uk'; 'Taddeus Nakangombe'; 'Hilma Emvula'; 'Mandume Leonard'; 'gmukumbira@edsnamibia.com'
Subject: RE: EPL 10196_Land Use Map
Attachments: BID_EPL 10196.pdf; AGM-Ovitoto Conservancy.pdf

Dear Titus and Colleagues,

Thank you for your email and for sharing the relevant information and contacts.

Following a meeting held with Mr Ndisiro on the 03rd of March 2026 regarding the proposed prospecting and exploration activities on EPL 10196 affecting the Ovitoto Conservancy, it was agreed that a broader consultation meeting should be convened with the community members. This meeting is scheduled to take place on the **10th of April 2026**, in conjunction with the Annual General Meeting at Ovitoto Village.

Please find attached the Background Information Document (BID) as well as the meeting details for your reference.

We will proceed with sharing the BID with all relevant stakeholders and ensure that the public participation process is conducted in accordance with the Environmental Management Act (EMA) and its regulations. Engagements will be undertaken with all relevant authorities and representatives, including those copied in this correspondence.

Furthermore, we will liaise with Mr Ndisiro to ensure that appropriate mitigation measures are incorporated in line with the land use management zonation outlined in the Integrated Game and Forest Management and Utilisation Plan.

Please do not hesitate to advise should there be any additional requirements or considerations.

Kind regards,



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Sent: Monday, 02 March 2026 12:13

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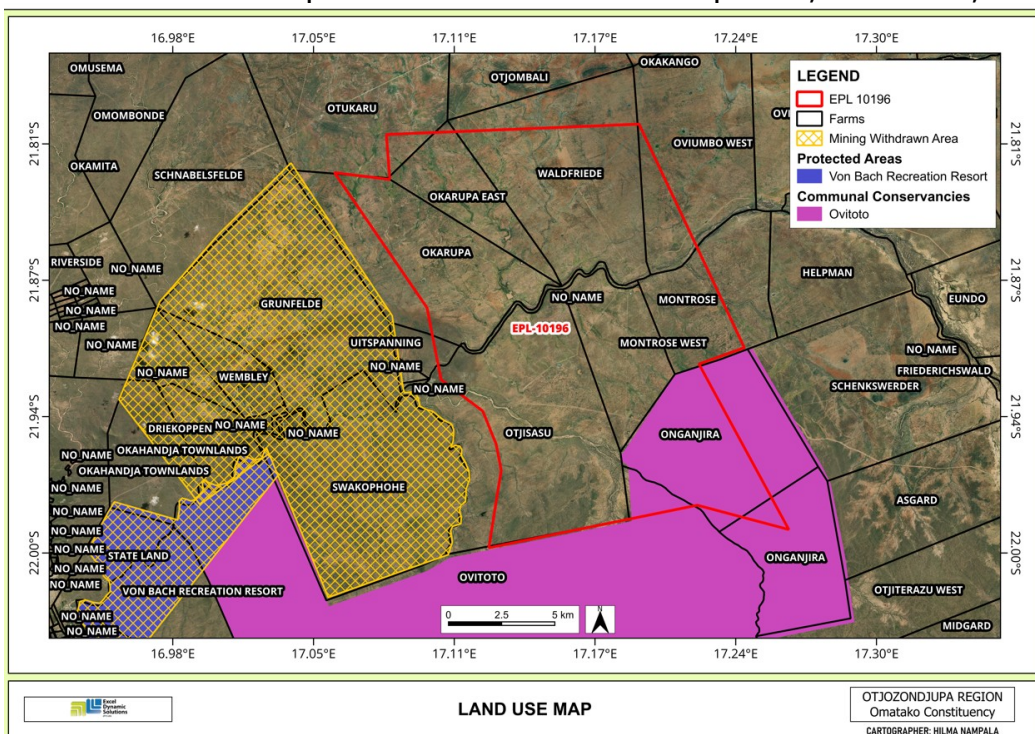
Cc: Justine Nakanwe <jndafudanakanwe@gmail.com>; ovitotoconservancy@gmail.com; undisiro@yahoo.co.uk;

Taddeus Nakangombe <Kamuvulundje@gmail.com>; Hilma Emvula <hkkanana@gmail.com>
Subject: Re: EPL 10196_Land Use Map

Dear Vistolina,

The land use map has been well-received, and I have taken a snapshot below for easy access.

I have copied in the colleagues from Parks and Wildlife Management (Ms Justine copied in this email), Forestry, Okahadja Office (Ms Petronella, copied in this email), Chairperson - Ovitoto Conservancy & Community Forest (Mr Ndisiro, copied in this email), who should be consulted as part of the Public participation and compliance with the Environmental Management Act (EMA). Please share the Background Information Document (BID) and ensure that appropriate consultation is conducted as per the EMA and its regulations. As for the Ovitoto Conservancy & Community Forest, please ensure appropriate mitigation measures are in place as per the recent land use management zonation as outlined within their Integrated Game & Forest Management and Utilisation Plan - please consult with the Chairperson, Mr Ndisiro, for more information.



Please register us as the Affected and Interested Parties for the proposed project.

Dear Justine, Petronella, Ndisiro

There is a proposed mineral Exclusive Prospecting Licence (EPL) exploration near the Ovitoto Conservancy and Community Forest as indicated in red on the snapshot above. It does crosscut within the Ovitoto Conservancy & Community Forest, and if approval will be granted, the exploration activities might have impact on the conservancy & community forest. Therefore, as per the EMA, the consultant should ensure that appropriate public consultation is conducted. The consultant is represented by Ms Vistolina and she should provide all necessary information including public meetings if required.

Many thanks,

Kind regards
Titus

On Mon, 2 Mar 2026 at 10:33, <vaugustus@edsnamibia.com> wrote:

Dear Titus,

Please find the link below of the land use map for EPL 10196.

<https://we.tl/t-H2GtWbLR36>

Kind regards,



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