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Dear Stakeholder

APPLICATION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION AND WATER USE LICENSE FOR THE PROPOSED EXTENSION OF PIT 1 AT DORSTFONTEIN EAST COAL MINE, AND FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A WATER PIPELINE, MPUMALANGA PROVINCE

INVITATION TO REGISTER AND COMMENT

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The Public Participation Process, with regards to this project, will be conducted in terms of the NEMA and NWA.

The proposed developments and associated infrastructure is situated within the Emalahleni Local Municipality of the Nkangala District Municipality, within the Mpumalanga Province of South Africa. The footprint of the proposed project is located on the following farms and farm portions:

Farm	Portion	Proposed Activities
Dorstfontein 71 IS	3	Portion of pipeline Alternative 2 and 3
Dorstfontein 71 IS	2, 8	Portion of pipeline Alternative 1, 2, and 3.
Welstand 55 IS	4	Portion of pipeline Alternative 2 and 3
Welstand 55 IS	5, 13	Portion of pipeline Alternative 1, 2, and 3.
Welstand 55 IS	11	Portion of pipeline Alternative 1 and 2
Welstand 55 IS	Remainder	Pit extension and portion of Alternative 1 pipeline
Rietkuil 558 IS	Remainder	Portion of pipeline Alternative 1, 2, and 3.

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PUBLIC COMMENT

Stakeholders are invited to register as Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs) and to participate in the EIA and WUL Process by identifying issues of concern and suggestions for consideration during the technical studies.

A detailed layout map can be found in Appendix A. To obtain additional information about the proposed project, or to submit concerns and comments, contact the following personnel at the SRK Stakeholder Engagement Office:

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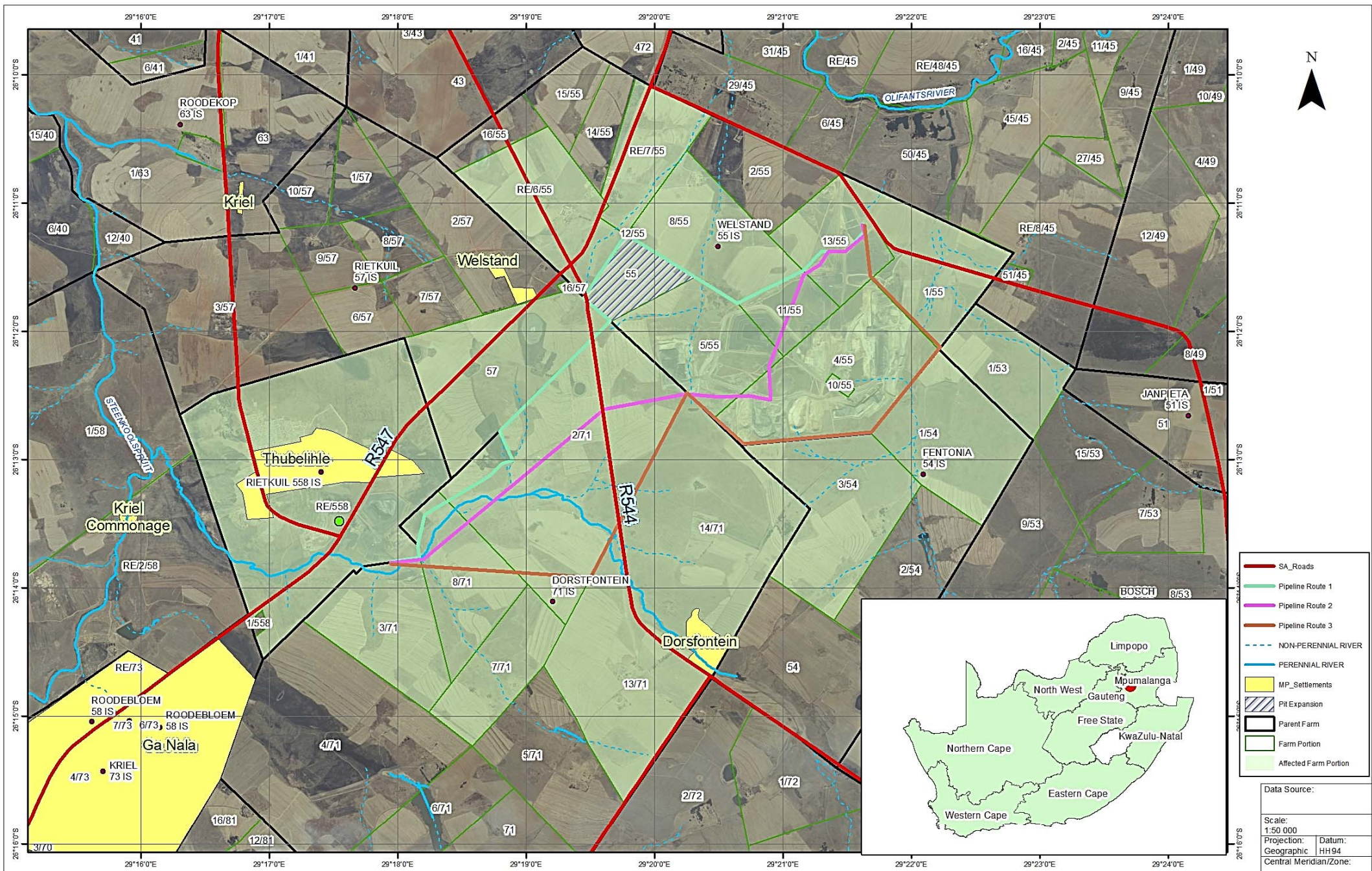
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Appendix A: Layout Map



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