

## **SOUTH PENINSULA SUBCOUNCIL (19)**

## **QUESTIONS TABLED FROM THE FLOOR:**

At Subcouncil meetings, organizations and the general public are welcome to raise a <u>maximum of 2 issues</u> affecting the South Peninsula Subcouncil area of jurisdiction.

You will be given the opportunity to address the Subcouncil for a maximum of <a href="three">three</a> (3) <a href="minutes per issue.">minutes per issue.</a>

Please hand in the completed form to the secretariat ± 7 days before the meeting.

## MEETING HELD ON April 2022

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## **ISSUE / TOPIC**

Despite the recently agreed emergency response protocols for sewage spills in the Silvermine lower catchment (taking from March to July 2021 to ratify), there have been two "unnoticed" spills on 10 March and 14 April 2022.

Before his retirement, Brian Thomson placed funds for the Valyland Pump Station's generator on the budget, now approved. Apparently his job was split into two and Abongile Duma is rumoured to be responsible for roughly half of his old portfolio, including our area.

We beseech the immediate installation and commissioning of a permanent back-up generator at Valyland Pumping Station #5 to hopefully mitigate future spills at this station which seems incapable of starting after load shedding events, especially due to three pump stations downstream that do have generators. See our February 2021 request.