FISH HOEK VALLEY RATEPAYERS & RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION

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SUBJECT: SUPPORT FOR SUN VALLEY ECO WATCH TO BECOME A PART OF THE CITY'S PARK FRIENDS GROUP

We, Fish Hoek Valley Ratepayers and Residents Association (FHVRRA), as a registered organisation, are thankful for being included in this public participation exercise.

We support the Sun Valley Eco Watch (SVEW) becoming part of the City's Park Friends Group. We have known of their community works in uplifting public open spaces (municipal parks) for more than the past five years.

They regularly involve members of the local public to assist with:

- Removal of litter;
- Removal of invasive alien vegetation;
- Trimming trees where needed; and
- Creating natural paths for walking.

Their patrolling members discourage illegal dumping by their visible policing for litter.

SUMMARY

The Fish Hoek Valley Ratepayers and Residents Association supports the Sun Valley Eco Watch (SVEW) becoming part of the City's Park Friends Group.

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