



Port Owen Marina Authority (NPC)

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Newsletter: February 2022

Before we realise it, February has gone!

I hope you are all keeping well and adhering to safety protocols.

1. Governance

The Admiral Island & Pelican Bay Home Owners Association (AI&PBHOA) is still undecided regarding representation on the POMA Board. Their seat remains vacant, which is a pity.

Mr Johan Moolman, the Ward 7 representative on the Bergrivier Municipal Council, has joined the POMA Board as representative of the Bergrivier Municipality. We wish to welcome Councillor Moolman on the Board and hope that he will enjoy his stint and continue to make a contribution as per the example set by Sandra Crafford. The Bergrivier Municipality (BRM) is the owner of the Marina and its associated infrastructure and is also a main financial contributor. We have enjoyed very solid support for our work from the BRM and hope that this will continue into the future.

We ask new owners to please visit the POMA website (www.poma.co.za). Everything regarding the history of Port Owen and the formation of POMA can be found in detail. If you then still have questions, please send us a mail.

2. Fees for 2022

The current fee structure is available on the POMA website, or if you prefer, you can collect a copy from the POMA office.

3. Dredging

3.1. We have provided DFFE with the information requested to complete our applications for Dumping and Discharge permits. We expect to receive their responses during March 2022.

In the meantime, we are preparing to start dredging operations soon and have completed the servicing of all machinery and are preparing the settling ponds for use as soon as dredging starts.

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As promised previously, a detailed Dredging Report will be published as soon as we have received a response from DFFE.

3.2. We have submitted our comments/objections regarding the latest Berg Estuarine Management Plan to the Department on 28 February 2022. We hope to see the response to that soon.

4. Embankments, Walkways and Open Spaces

We are on schedule with the planned maintenance work. Please do not hesitate to contact the Marina Manager in case of an emergency.

5. General

We sincerely hope to be able to give you positive news during the coming month and ask you to be patient for a little bit longer.

Enjoy the beautiful autumn weather and stay safe out there!

Abe Uys

The emergency number for the Cape Nature Rangers are as follows:

Marine Ranger Hotline – 067 412 9922

Reporting dead seals or other animals in the marina or beaches:

Louis Faroa – 083800 3519

Johannes Carolus – 083 876 2889

Richard van Hooi – 074 282 5221

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