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GUIDELINES FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF-WASTE IN THE KWALUSENI WASTE CONTROL AREA

1. THE KWALUSENI WASTE CONTROL AREA

- 1. These By-laws shall apply to the Kwaluseni Waste Control Area as declared by the Minister responsible for the Environment including amendments by the same minister.
- 2. Waste management in the Kwaluseni Waste Control Area shall be considered A Public Service and NOT a profit making activity.
- 3. The Kwaluseni Solid Waste Society must comply with the Waste Regulation 2000 in every respect. These By-laws form an addendum to, and are additional to, the Waste Regulations 2000.

2. PARTICIPANTS

4. For the purpose of these By-laws, every homeowner, usinessowner,person, organisation or institution operating or having any other activity within the Waste Control Area shall be referred to as Participants.

3. SUPERVISION

- 5. The implementation of these By-laws shall be supervised by the Deputy Prime Minister's Office through the Regional Administration and the Kwaluseni Inkhundla
- 6. The Swaziland Environmental Authority shall ensure that the Deputy Prime Minister's Office is enforces the Waste Regulations 2000 in the waste control area.
- 7. The Health Inspectors and the Ministry of Housing and Urban Development shall provide the Inkhundla with technical support

8. The Swaziland Environmental Authority shall provide on request the necessary training in waste management to all stakeholders

4. THE WASTE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

- 9. Waste bins shall be installed by the Kwaluseni Solid Waste Society in public areas, adjacent to shops and, at least, one waste bin will be installed on the boundary of each residential plot.
- 10. The Kwaluseni Solid Waste Society shall ensure that waste collectors are hired to empty the waste bins, at a minimum frequency of twice a week, and convey the waste from the premises of the participants, and public places, to temporary holding areas, or refuse bunkers, using the provided hand pulled carts.
- 11. Temporary holding areas, or refuse bunkers, shall be constructed at strategic places
- 12. Waste from the sources shall be taken to the refuse bunkers.
- 13. The Kwaluseni Solid Waste Society shall ensure that the waste from the refuse bunkers is transported to the designated waste disposal site, at a minimum frequency of once per working day per refuse bunker however the stated frequency may be modified by the Health Inspectors (the designated waste disposal site is as stated in the Waste Regulations 2000) as determined necessary by the Health Inspectors.
- 14. The Kwaluseni Solid Waste Society shall use any form of transport found appropriate and cost effective to transport the waste from the refuse bunkers to the designated waste disposal site. This method shall be agreed upon in consultation with the Inkhundla.

5. MANAGEMENT OF THE SYSTEM

- 15. The waste management system shall be endorsed by the Deputy Prime Minister's Office.
- 16. An association known as the Kwaluseni Solid Waste Society shall be formed and be endorsed by the Inkhundla.

- 17. Members of the Kwaluseni Solid Waste Society shall be elected by the participants and endorsed by the Inkhundla.
- 18. The Kwaluseni Solid Waste Society shall be responsible for managing and coordinating the management of waste in the Waste Control Area including the maintenance of the system.
- 19. The location of the refuse bunkers shall be decided in collaboration with all the participants, Health Inspectors and the Swaziland Environmental Authority.
- 20. The refuse bunkers shall be documented and submitted to the Kwaluseni Inkhundla for endorsement.
- 21. The participants shall report all waste problems identified or experienced in the waste control area to the Kwaluseni Solid Waste Society.
- 22. The Kwaluseni Solid Waste Society shall communicate to the participants all developments regarding legislation and concerns by the Inkhundla and the Health Inspectors about the condition of the waste in the zones.

6. INSPECTION

23. The Health Inspectors and Officers from the Inkhundla shall be responsible for the inspection of the zones and ensure that the waste is managed in accordance with the Waste Regulations 2000 and these By-laws.

7. FACILITIES IN THE WASTE CONTROL AREA

- 24. The Kwaluseni Solid Waste Society shall ensure that
 - a. There are refuse bunkers that are maintained in good condition in all the designated areas;
 - b. Adequate waste bins are provided in all public places strategically placed to cater for customers and passers by;
 - c. Adequate waste bins are provided for every residential plot;
 - d. Adequate hand pulled carts are available for the transportation of the waste from source to the refuse bunkers, and
 - e. An office is established from which the Kwaluseni Solid Waste Society shall manage the Waste Management System.

- 25. The design of the refuse bunkers shall be decided in collaboration with the Swaziland Environmental Authority.
- 26. The location of the waste bins shall be decided in collaboration with the Health Inspectors.

8. RESPONSIBILITY OF PARTICIPANTS

- 27. All participants shall without fail have the responsibility to participate in the Waste Management System of the Waste Control Area.
- 28. Every participant shall keep the waste in waste bags within his/her premises, and place the full bags in the waste bins that have been provided at the boundary of the plot for collection by the waste collectors.
- 29. All participants shall without fail pay for the waste management services through the Kwaluseni Solid Waste Society.

9. MANAGEMENT OF FUNDS

- 30. Participants shall pay for the Waste Management Services directly to the Kwaluseni Solid Waste Society
- 31. The Kwaluseni Solid Waste Society shall be responsible for the management of the funds and shall practice proper bookkeeping
- 32. Funds paid by the participants or solicited anywhere under the auspices of waste management, shall be strictly used to further the cause of waste management in The Kwaluseni Waste Control Area
- 33. The Kwaluseni Solid Waste Society shall independently decide how the funds are spent on The Waste Management System.
- 34. The Deputy Prime Minister's Office shall ensure that financial statements are audited annually.