



# N2 Gateway Project

The N2 Gateway Project started in 2005 and phase one is nearing completion. It is a project of the National Department of Human Settlements. Phase one will deliver about 15 000 houses. The project provides houses for residents of the informal settlements and backyarders along the N2. **Current projects include the following:** Joe Slovo • Delft Symphony • Delft 7-9 • Boystown • Temporary Relocation Areas (TRAs)

## BOYSTOWN PROJECT UPDATE

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### KEY FACTS BOYSTOWN

- Western Cape Department of Human Settlements is the developer
- Vula Joint Venture (VJV) is the turnkey contractor
- The Housing Development Agency (HDA) is the project manager
- The Boystown project is divided into 3 phases and will deliver 1 392 houses

### PROGRESS TO DATE BOYSTOWN

- **Installation of Services/Infrastructure**  
The contractor is on site and has commenced with the installation of services and infrastructure.
- **House Construction**  
A show house is currently being built in Boystown to give beneficiaries an opportunity to view the type of houses that will be built.
- **Sorting of waste material or rubble**  
Waste material and rubble has to be removed from the site in order to complete the installation of services and houses. Residents of Boystown have been employed to clear the site. This is in line with government's policy that a project of this nature should

also provide employment opportunities for the local community.

### FORTHCOMING IMPORTANT EVENTS BOYSTOWN

- Employment opportunities are an important part of the project. The recent unrest due to tensions among PSC members regarding the process for accessing employment opportunities is being resolved via the direct intervention of the MEC. The community will be advised of the steps that need to be followed to access these work opportunities.
- The beneficiary lists were displayed in the contractor's site office. Written queries and comments can be submitted to the contractor (site office) and/or PSC members.

### WHO TO CONTACT FOR FURTHER INFORMATION BOYSTOWN

Your local Project Steering Committee member. Alternatively, you can contact the Boystown Project Manager, **Bruce Malagas**, on (021) 481 2900 or at the offices of the HDA that are located at 129 Bree Street, Cape Town Central Business District.



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