

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

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

At Subcouncil meetings, organisations 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) minutes per issue.

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

## MEETING HELD ON July 2020

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## **ISSUE / TOPIC**

We humbly request public toilets be suitably sited in Fish Hoek and available 24 / 7.

- 1. Whilst the toilet in the Arcade is available during shopping hours, they are not available when businesses close. The Arcade is then sealed and locked at both entrances. This was confirmed with the Security Guards on duty at each entry point.
- 2. There is a public toilet building (old Fishermen's toilets) on the beach front behind the Yellow and White Striped Lighthouse which could perhaps be resurrected. It had facilities for men and women. The beach area is available 24 / 7 through the entry point behind the Town Square and it is only a five minute walk from the Main Road. Perhaps the route to this ablution block could be lit at night?
- 3. We note that the Fish Hoek Municipal premises have been fenced during the lockdown. Whilst the toilets in the Main Hall and Library are open to security personnel and patrons using the halls, those toilets also, are not available to homeless people overnight.
- 4. The Post Office informed us that people are still defecating and urinating on their premises, which cannot be sealed because some people go to collect

- mail from post boxes at odd hours. Soiling the premises is happening now mostly over weekends after which, the Post Office have to clean their premises which uses our precious potable water to flush it into the nearest stormwater gully. Therefore, this source is still polluting the Urban Run-off at the Yellow Light House culvert.
- 5. It appears that homeless people are also sleeping on the Standard Bank premises opposite the Arcade in the Main Road in the section where people can access their bank accounts through the computers on site.
- 6. Perhaps more police patrolling in the Main Road could be requested and their presence made known. If we have by-laws against loitering, perhaps homeless people could be put in Police cells overnight where toilets are available.

Fish Hoek's cleanliness and pollution at the Light House Culvert will be diminished.

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