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coordinated set of documents that address not only what happens after death but also what happens if you're incapacitated or unable to make decisions yourself. 1. The Will – Foundation of Your Legacy

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assets are to be distributed after your death,
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your estate may be divided according to
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Enduring Power of Attorney – Decision-Making in Your Lifetime

This document allows a trusted person to manage your financial or personal affairs if you're unable to do so due to illness, injury, or diminished capacity. Unlike a standard power of attorney, an enduring one continues to be valid even if you lose mental capacity - a vital safeguard for ongoing care and business continuity.

3. Access to Medical Information & a Living Will – Guiding Health Decisions Granting access to your medical records and creating a living will (or advance directive) ensures your healthcare preferences are known. These documents guide doctors and family members in making

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Why This Matters

Life can change in an instant. Without these documents, families face confusion, legal hurdles, and stress at a time when they are least equipped to handle it. Together, these instruments create a clear roadmap, reduce conflict, and ensure that your financial, medical, and personal affairs are handled exactly as you intend, whether you're alive but incapacitated or after your death. By investing time now to assemble a full suite of estate and life-planning documents, you're not just protecting assets - you're safeguarding dignity, reducing uncertainty, and giving your loved ones the greatest gift of all: peace of mind.

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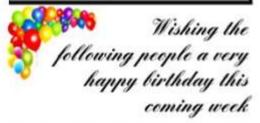
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- 2. Your Position
- Position of casualty.
- Nature of casualty.

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Plett Shark Spotters

It's that time of year again when we start keeping our eyes peeled (3) for the arrival of white sharks in Plettenberg Bay! In 2024, our first sighting was in May, with activity peaking around September . Robberg remains a truly special place (A) one of the few spots where you can witness these apex predators cruising just metres from shore, right alongside the mountain. Recently, four white sharks were tagged along the east coast and eight in Mossel Bay . Shark Spotters are now operating daily from 07:00 to 18:00 at five beaches: Lookout Beach, The Wedge, Central Beach, Robberg 1, and The Wreck. Lifeguards will raise the white shark flag | if a shark has been seen within the past hour. 80

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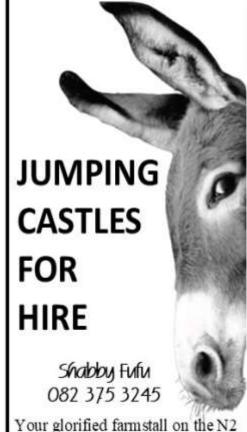
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# IDP WARD BASED PUBLIC MEETINGS

# BITOU MUNICIPALITY (WC047) NOTICE NUMBER: 329 /2025

Notice is here-by given of scheduled Ward based IDP Public Meeting in terms of Chapter 4 of the Systems Act.

All community members are invited to attend the IDP Ward meetings as scheduled.

|        | VENUE                       | DATE       | TIME    |
|--------|-----------------------------|------------|---------|
| WARD 1 | KURLAND COMMUNITY HALL      | 27/10/2025 | 18:00PM |
| WARD 1 | WITTEDRIFT COMMUNITY HALL   | 30/10/2025 | 18:00PM |
| WARD 2 | PIESANG HALL                | 13/10/2025 | 17:30PM |
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| WARD 4 | NEW HORIZONS COMMUNITY HALL | 29/10/2025 | 18:00PM |
| WARD 5 | KWANOKUTHULA COMMUNITY HALL | 20/10/2025 | 18:00PM |
| WARD 6 | KWANOKUTHULA COMMUNITY HALL | 21/10/2025 | 18:00PM |
| WARD 7 | KRANSHOEK COMMUNITY HALL    | 22/10/2025 | 18:00PM |

For more information, please contact the IDP office at 044 5013364/3198 or send an e-mail to <a href="mailto:thenge@plett.gov.za">thenge@plett.gov.za</a>

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