

## GREYTON PRIMATE MANAGEMENT PLAN V.2

### Situation statement

Occasional opportunistic seasonal foraging visits for fruit and veggies now becoming regular and unseasonal

Problem of unoccupied/seasonal properties with old neglected fruit trees and vines which are not harvested

Baboons still wild and timid

No contacts with or attacks on people or pets, never mind injuries

Baboons only come into the village roughly north of Regent Street, mostly of Nerina Street end & environs

There have been no scientific studies of the local baboons and the human interface and why a problem has not occurred hitherto.

**Objective: Continuation of essentially harmonious relationship**

**Proactive - prevention of new problems developing**

### Responsible parties:

- **TWKM**
  - Baboon-proof bins in area north of Regent Street
    - Investigate costs/feasibility/cost-sharing with residents?
  - **Environmental Manager:** Johan Viljoen
    - Funding for monitors
    - Overall responsibility and management of programme
  - **Town Manager:** Jeremy Prins
    - Signage
    - Early garbage collection in Park, Main and Vlei Streets north of Regent Street.
    - Prompt emptying of municipal street bins
    - Time-keeping of monitors
- **Baboon Matters**
  - Monitor training
  - Advice and educational materials
- **Owners, residents, tenants**
  - Refuse control
  - Pet control
  - Fruit and veg availability – remove unwanted/unused trees & vines
  - Shoo baboons off property
  - NO FEEDING

- **Property letting agents**
  - As for owners above
  - Inform and educate renters
- **Estate agents**
  - As for owners above
  - Inform and educate buyers and renters
- **Conservation and local interest groups and societies**
  - Communication with community and press
  - Advice, educational
  - Limited funding available?

### **Monitors**

- Duties & responsibilities
- Area of operation – strictly adhere to mapped areas
- Supervision
- Reporting
  - Line management - to whom?
  - To the TWK Environmental Manager
  - To the community