

# Super Eagles Social Club NPO 140 -133

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# RE: MOTIVATIONAL LETTER FOR EMPD SERVICES WAIVER FOR OUR 16 DAYS OF ACTIVISM AGAINST WOMEN AND CHILDREN ABUSE

To: EMPD Manager at Thokoza CCC

#### WHO ARE WE

We are a community based volunteer driven social club formed by youth that stay in and around Ekurhuleni. We are committed to showing people how to "get out there", have fun and participate in an active and social lifestyle within their community.

The Club's developmental goals are to better young peoples' physical and mental skills and abilities and to develop each individual's character skills. We expect each young person to learn how to compete, be disciplined, dedicated and understand the importance of being a team. We encourage young people to respect the life and in return the life will respect them.

Our programs promote strong team dynamics, active and healthy living, good nutrition and the importance of goal-setting. As a social club, none of this would be possible without the valued support of our prospective partners.

### **FOCUS**

SES Club implements programmes that focus on Health & Hygiene; Education; Sport Development; Child Protection; and HIV/AIDS. Under each area, a number of programmes and projects have been designed. The target group for these programmes is children and the youth from less privileged communities.

## **OUR REQUEST**

Our club executive has planned to organize an annual event in order to create awareness against women and children abuse.

Our request is for EMPD SERVICES WAIVER to utilize corner Sekonyela Street and Khumalo Street to corner Mabuya Street on the  $06^{th}$  December 2014 from 09h00 to 15h00 as well as have traffic officers.





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### **Event Outline**

Each year, an ever-increasing number of men, women and their families are joining the award-winning Walk a Mile in Her Shoes®: The International Men's March to Stop Rape, Sexual Assault & Gender Violence. A Walk a Mile in Her Shoes® Event is a playful opportunity for men to raise awareness in their community about the serious causes, effects and remediation to men's sexualized violence against women.

SES Club has decided to use the main street (Khumalo Street) of Thokoza as a pilot project for this event;

The event will take place between the Sekonyela Street and Mabuya Street as the venue where the event will take place;

- The old bus stop at the Sekonyela Street corner will be the Check-In and Start point for every participant;
- Mabuya Street will be the end point where all participant will Check-out and hand over the Shoes;

NB: ALL PROCESS WILL BE DONATED TO CHARITY





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#### 2014 Theme: Walk a Mile in Her Shoes®

This year the executive committee wanted to take part in the 16 days of activism against women and children abuse, however, the hope to have a significant impact on males of this country on how serious this campaign and awareness thereof.

We therefore wanted to associate ourselves with campaigns that have a significant global impact on society against women and children abuse. A research team was developed to see if they could find anything that will have an everlasting impact. The team came up with a couple of themes and amongst those the Walk-a-Mile-in-Her-Shoes campaign took the cup.

Frank Baird created Walk a Mile in Her Shoes<sup>®</sup> in 2001. What started out as a small group of men daring to totter around a park has grown to become a world-wide movement with tens of thousands of men raising millions of dollars for local rape crisis centres, domestic violence shelters and other sexualized violence education, prevention and remediation programs.

In 2007, Frank formed Venture Humanity, Inc, a non-profit 501(c)(3) corporation. Venture Humanity, Inc. develops peace, violence prevention and community projects. Walk a Mile in Her Shoes® is a Venture Humanity, Inc. project.

The project is now a world-wide project which we are partners Super Eagles Social Club is an International partner in South Africa.

Your earliest response will be greatly appreciated,

Yours in Good Faith,

**Organizing Committee** 

