

# The Greenridge initiative.

## Brackenridge traffic circles interest group.

Traffic Circle audit: 21 March 2024 Steve Harcourt-Cooke.

The first phase of the Traffic Circle initiative has been completed with Home from Home contracted to cleaning up and pruning the traffic circles. As evidenced from the photographs the traffic circles road signage is now clearly visible, trees and shrubs have been trimmed and dead foliage has been removed. There was quick intervention by concerned residents to save the spotted thick knee breeding pair and their chicks near the park, and to ensure that shrubs were not pruned to a “formal” uniform height, and indigenous trees attracting birdlife were not cut too short.

At this stage the traffic circles are weed free, and indigenous feature rocks have been exposed. Much needed topsoil/compost/woodchips need to be added before groundcovers can be split and new indigenous hardy plants are added before the rainy season.

The next phase is for our newly appointed Environmental Control Officer to assist with meeting with Home from Home contractors to do a formal induction and training regarding ongoing maintenance, thereafter, to do a layout plan of each circle and document the plant species with this interest group. Consideration will be given to selected indigenous colour theme planting in each traffic circle to integrate with plants endemic to our eco-state.

House numbers have been added to the photographs to encourage residents closest to each circle to voluntarily with ad-hoc watering etc.

### 1. Watsonia Heights/ to Orchid Valley

Nearest house numbers: 10/16/11&13 Watsonia Heights





## 2. Orchid Valley

Nearest house numbers: 5/8/10 Orchid Valley



## 3. Watsonia Heights to Protea Dale

Nearest house numbers: 48/49/50/51 Watsonia Heights





#### 4. Watsonia Heights approaching the park

Nearest house numbers: 53/56/58 Watsonia Heights



#### 5. Watsonia Heights Protea Dale/Bitou Glade junction

Nearest house numbers: 16/25/32/34 Protea Dale





## 6. Protea Dale

Nearest house numbers: 39/48/50/55 Protea Dale



## 7. Erica Heath

Nearest house numbers: 26/28/3032/34 Erica Heath





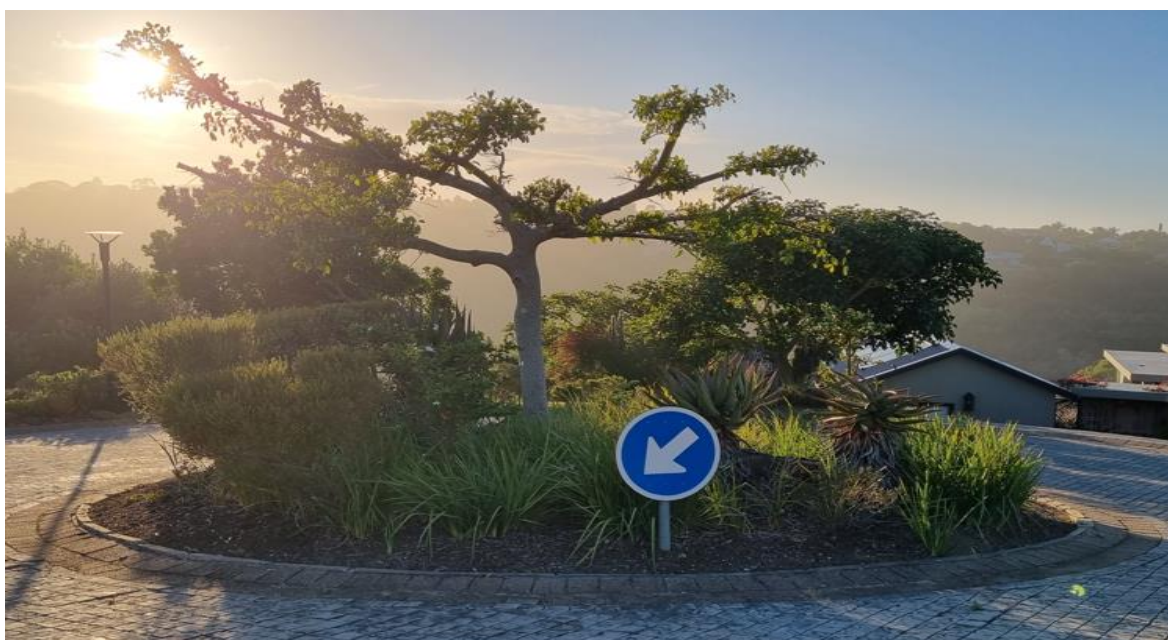
## 8. Bitou Glade

Nearest house numbers: 18/20/25/38 Bitou Glade



## 9. Bitou Glade

Nearest house numbers: 28/30/32/34 Bitou Glade





## 10. Bitou Glade

Nearest house numbers: 66/68/71/71 Bitou Glade



## 11. Bitou Glade

Nearest house numbers: 66/68/71/71 Bitou Glade





## 12. Bitou Glade

Nearest house numbers: 53/55/57 Bitou Glade

