



## UCP 33<sup>rd</sup> QUARTERLY MEETING – TUESDAY 09 NOVEMBER 2021

Venue: Hybrid (Resthaven Guesthouse, Matatiele, and online)

### Theme: GENERAL CATCH-UP and THINKING AHEAD 2022

PROPOSED AGENDA: 09h00 – 14h30

	ITEM	RESPONSIBLE PERSON
1.	<b>Welcome, Introduction and Apologies</b>	Chairperson – Joyce Loza (MDTP)
2	<b>Adoption of the Agenda</b>	All
3.	<b>Review of the last quarterly meeting minutes and matters arising</b>	All
4.	<b>MoU revision and Election of a new chairperson</b>	All
5.	<b>Updates, reports, and inputs from partners:</b>	
a	Alien plant management: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DFFE NRM inputs</li> <li>• Clearing update from local implementers</li> <li>• charcoal value-chain update</li> </ul>	Nicky McLeod (ERS) with: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tanya Lane (SANBI) and DFFE NRM colleagues</li> <li>• CSA, LIMA, ERS, MLM</li> <li>• Amohelang Sibi, Inhlabathi</li> </ul>
b	Launch of UCP Spring toolkit, and update on spring protection work underway	Fezile Matandela (CSA) and Mahabe Mojela (ERS)
c	Matatiele watershed stewardship update and plan for BioBlitz	Yonela Sipeka (ERS)
d	Freshwater Health Index Assessment update	Alice Barlow-Zambodla (CSA)
e	Catchment-based Indaba reflections	SANBI with local Vubu Ecochamps (upper & lower)
f	Research updates: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• UKZN Covid research</li> <li>• Fort Hare – Wageningen University WEF nexus</li> <li>• Coventry - CSA offsets</li> <li>• other</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prof Betty Mubangizi</li> <li>• Mme Sissie Matela and students</li> <li>• CSA (Dr Heidi Hawkins)</li> </ul>
g	Other	
6.	<b>Announcements and upcoming events</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GroundWork water and gas strategic planning</li> <li>• Meat Naturally PTY new local office</li> <li>• Carbon task team</li> </ul>	All
7.	<b>Any other items &amp; setting date for next meeting</b>	All
8.	<b>Way forward and closure</b>	All