

# COEGA **PLANT RESCUE OPEN DAYS**

## INVITATION TO COLLECT PLANTS FOR YOUR GARDEN

The Coega Development Corporation (CDC) is the Operator of the 9003 ha Coega Special Economic Zone (SEZ). Development is guided by a wide range of best practice environmental management mechanisms. Prior to the development of any site in the Coega SEZ, a search and rescue operation is undertaken where:

- Plants to be rescued are identified and relocated to the Coega Conservation areas
- Plants are removed for landscaping the Coega SEZ and are made available to the public for collection and personal use

The CDC invites members of the public to participate in the Coega Plant Rescue Open Days on a regular basis.

#### WHAT YOU WILL GET

Aloe humilis (Spider Aloe): An example of the type of plants available for collection on Coega Plant Rescue Open Days

- Safety Briefing
- Overview of the Coega SEZ
- Introduction to the indigenous gardens of the CDC
- Overview of water wise gardening and sustainability
- Learning how to rescue plants from the Coega SEZ
- Plants for your home garden
- Opportunity to donate to the Coega Development Foundation

#### **WHAT TO BRING**

- Own transportation (to safely transport your rescued plants)
- Footwear and weather protection clothing (for working in natural thicket vegetation)
- Digging implements (spade, fork, pick required for self digging out of plants)

### WHEN ARE THE OPEN DAYS

- Open days are scheduled according to the demand for new development sites and public demand for plants
- In general, one Coega Plant Rescue Open Day is held per month for registered users

#### REGISTRATION

To receive notifications of Coega Plant Rescue Open Days, please register on www.coega.co.za

#### COEGA DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION (CDF)

The CDF exists to provide needs driven holistic education, training and skills development solutions that prepare recipients for lifelong learning, employability and or entrepreneurship; contribute in the improvement of early childhood development and facilitate funding of socio-economic development initiatives.







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