

Maps and Information on Route of Underground Cable

City of Cape Town Section

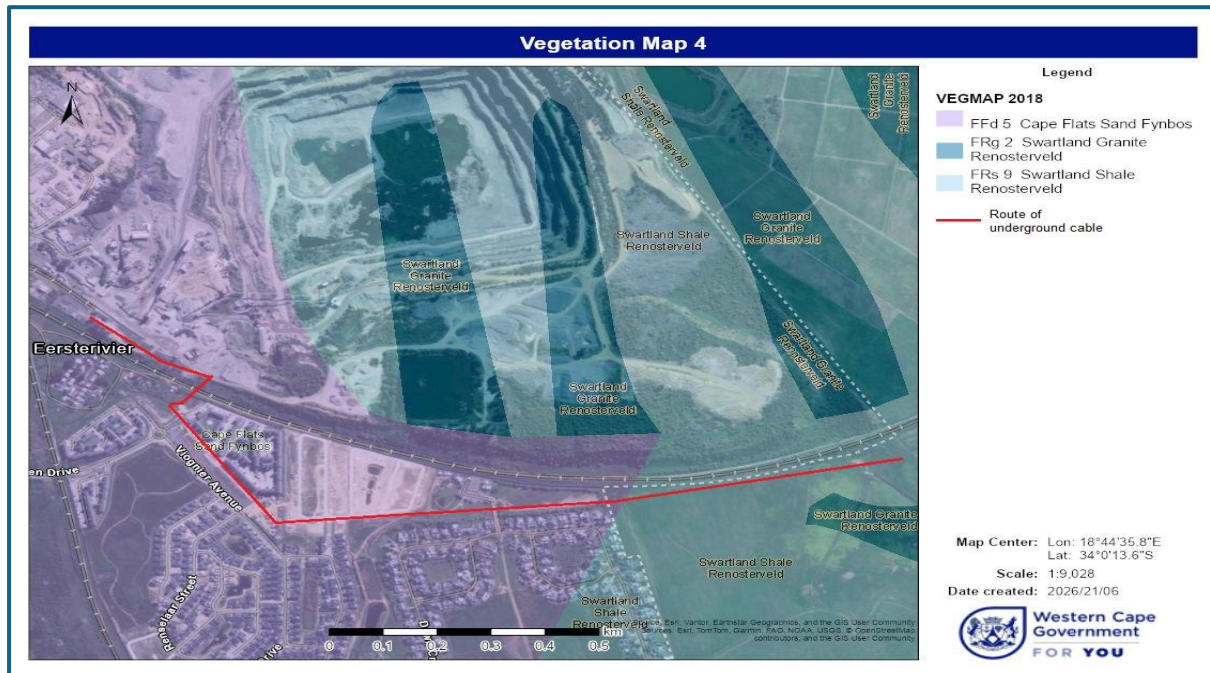


Fig 1: Ecosystem Map of Underground Cable Route. Quarry Section. Cape Flats Sand Fynbos and Swartland Shale Renosterveld. Both are critically endangered. There is however no indigenous vegetation left on the footprint of the cable route.

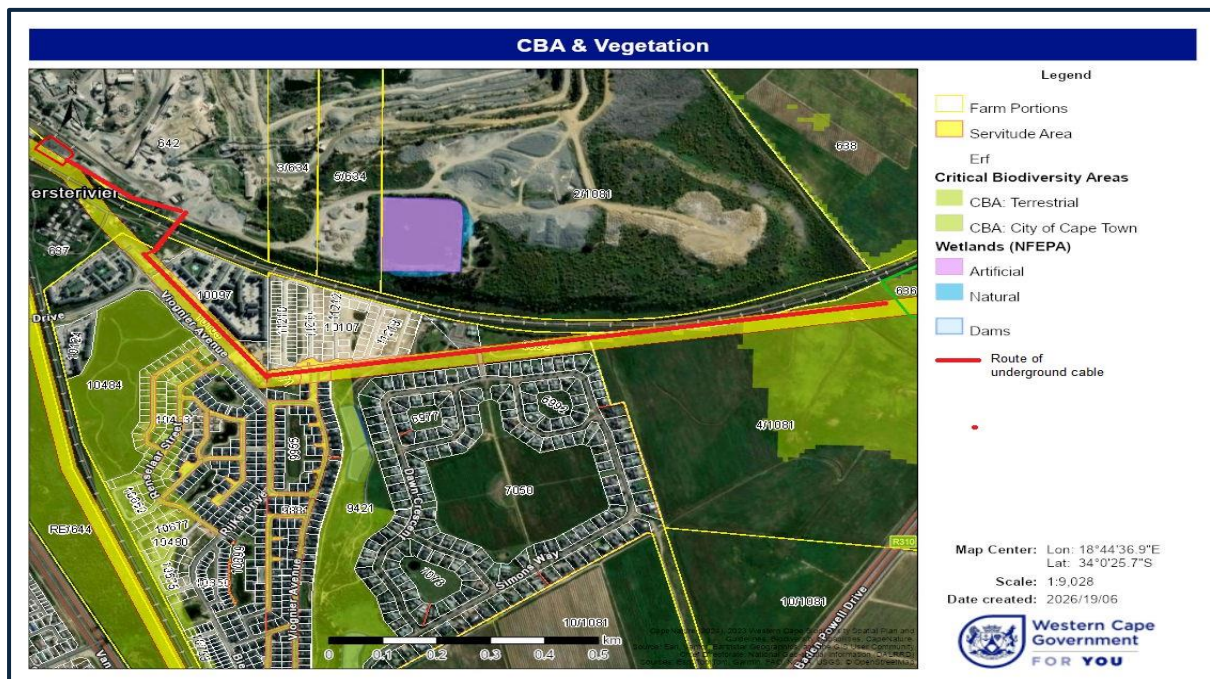


Fig 2: CBAs and wetlands. The cable route impacts on a Terrestrial CBA in the area where the cable terminates at the overhead line pole. It is a ploughed field and devoid of indigenous vegetation.



Fig 5: First section. The Open Space 3 section is used for parking and is totally transformed. The open space 1 section is paved. There is no indigenous vegetation left.



Fig 6: Street view of Open Space 3 area where the route of the cable enters the large Eskom Servitude. There is no indigenous vegetation left.



Fig 7: Second section. The Open Space 1 and Open Space 3 sections are totally transformed. There is no indigenous vegetation left.



Fig 8: Third Section. Open Space 3 Section is totally transformed. No indigenous vegetation left.



Fig 9: Forth section. The Open Space 3 part of the route is regularly mowed and no indigenous vegetation remains. The rest is a ploughed wheat field with no indigenous vegetation.

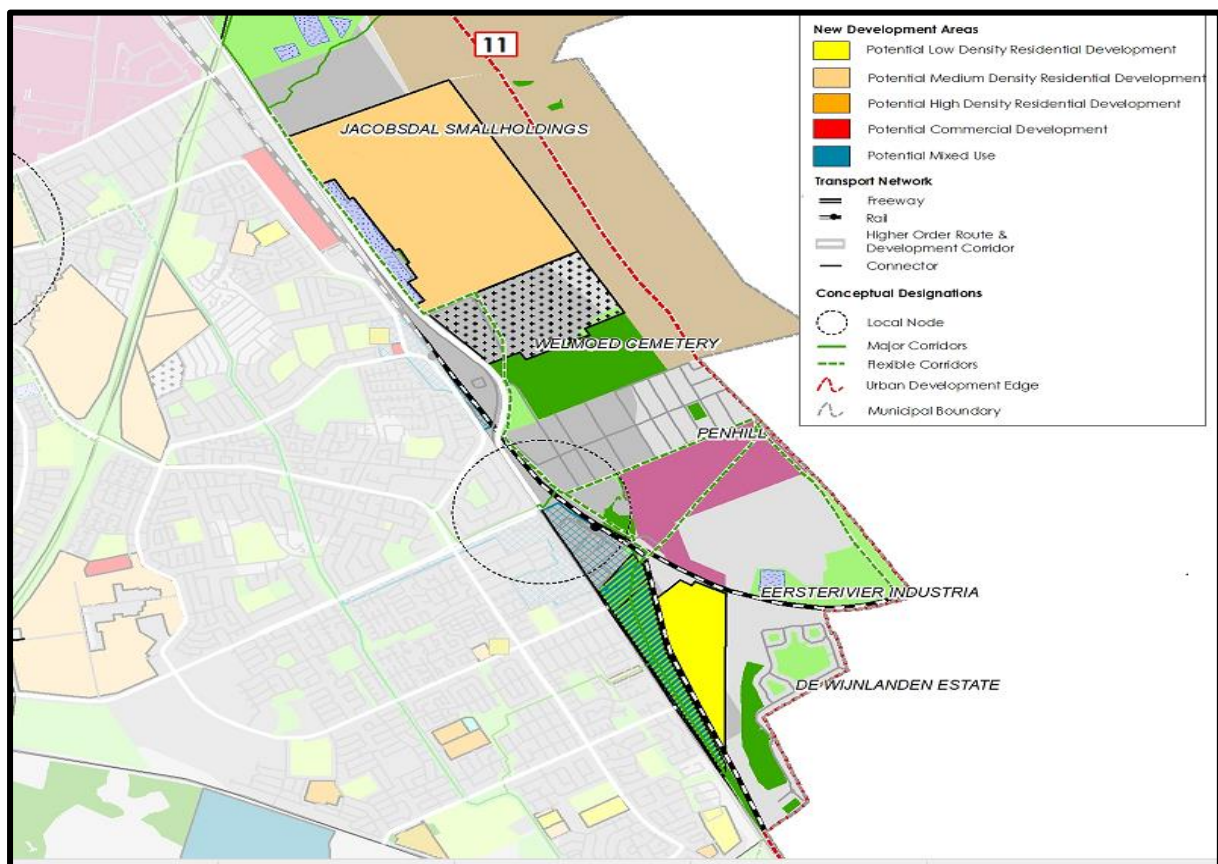


Fig 10: City of Cape Town Urban Edge in the vicinity of the proposed underground cable