NATIONAL
SPORT & RECREATION PLAN

Consultation in preparation for
National Indaba 26-27 September 2011

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Process Update

January 2011
• At a strategic workshop from 10 – 12 January 2011 delegates agreed to organise a National Sport Indaba to finalise South Africa’s first National Sport Plan.

• Minister Fikile Mbalula appointed a Steering Committee with Deputy Minister Gert Oosthuizen as Chairperson.

• All Provinces, SALGA, SASCOC and the private sector are represented on the Steering Committee.

April 2011
• The concept of the National Sport and Recreation Plan and Indaba launched through the media to stimulate public debate on 5 April.
Process Update

April 2011
• Indaba intentions reiterated at SASCOC AGM in East London on 16 April.

• Website and social media sites operationalised to encourage public participation and input.

May 2011
• Draft National Sport Plan finalised in May 2011.

• Release Public Opinion Piece released to stimulate debate.

• National Treasury engaged regarding budget programme realignment.

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Process Update

June 2011
• Draft Transformation Charter finalised.

July 2011
• Provincial Izindaba took place in Mpumalanga and Western Cape.

August 2011
• Rest of Provinces holding Provincial Izindaba.
• SRSA briefing session.
• NSP to be presented to identified stakeholders.

September 2011
• National Indaba scheduled for 26-27 September 2011.
“Sport has the power to change the world. It has the power to inspire. It has the power to unite people in a way that little else can. Sport can awaken hope where there was previously only despair.”

“In the dark days of our country’s history we found that sport had the power to change the world in a manner that little else can. Sport transcends racial, cultural and ethnic barriers in a manner that defies all reason.”

(Sport for Peace Gala Dinner: 8 June 2010)
“Apart from the significant and tangible economic benefits of the FIFA World Cup, it is the renewed spirit and confidence of our people that is the ultimate legacy – one that proves that all things are possible when we work together.”

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“We are all part of a process aimed at creating a vibrant sport system that encourages growth and development, and supports South Africans to be world-beaters. The National Sport and Recreation Indaba will provide a platform where sport and recreation issues can be discussed frankly and without prejudice; where policies can be translated into practice and a National Sport Plan for the country can be finalised. This is one of the most important times in the history of South African sport.”

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“Without a coordinated, integrated and aligned sport system within which all component parts are focused towards a common set of goals and objectives, the potential value of sport to the South African society cannot be fully realised. All sectors must buy-in and commit to the strategic direction and action plans that will emerge from the national sports indaba.”

5 April 2011
“SASCOC, as the country's Olympic governing body, fully supports SRSA in this exercise and are fully involved in the planning process. In the final analysis only good can come out of the Indabas. At SASCOC we have engaged all our federations and the various sports councils that make up the sports confederation in the country to ensure that they canvas the views of each and every one affected by the outcome of the National Sport and Recreation Indaba.”
Purpose of National Indaba

• To action the policy directives emanating from the revised White Paper – from the “what” to the “how”.

• To integrate the six priority areas identified in the SRSA 2011 Road Map into the National Sport and Recreation Plan.

• To consider feedback received from the Provinces; SASCOC; NFs and other inputs received.

• To facilitate collective buy-in from all stakeholders to the National Sport and Recreation Plan.
Purpose of National Indaba

• To streamline implementation towards common objectives.

• Fast-tracking a transformation charter and delivery mechanisms for all sectors and role-players involved in sport and recreation.

• To elevate public awareness of the National Sport and Recreation Plan by means of an effective and targeted media campaign.

• To agree on a monitoring and evaluation plan.

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OUTLINE OF PLAN

SECTION 1: INTRODUCTION

SECTION 2: NATIONAL SPORT PLAN

SECTION 3: POLICY IMPERATIVES

SECTION 4: IMPLEMENTATION

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SECTION 1: INTRODUCTION

- Background
- Case for Sport
- “Ideal future” – Vision 2020
- Vision Statement
- Statement of Purpose (Mission)
- Core Values
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SECTION 2: NATIONAL SPORT PLAN

Strategic Goal 1: Active Nation
Strategic Goal 2: Winning Nation
Strategic Goal 3: Enabling Environment

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STRATEGIC GOAL 1: ACTIVE NATION

1: To maximise sport and recreation in every school in South Africa.

2: To provide customised programmes to encourage participation in sport and recreation.

3: To improve the health and well-being of the nation by offering active recreation opportunities.

4: Campaigns to promote participation in sport and recreation.

5: To contribute to government’s priority of job creation.

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STRATEGIC GOAL 2: WINNING NATION

6: To support the identification and development of talented athletes.

7: To support the development of South African sport through the establishment of an academy system.

8: To assist athletes to perform optimally through the provision of world class scientific support services.

9: To expose athletes to national sporting events as part of their development programme.

10: To develop elite athletes by exposing them to international competitions.

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STRATEGIC GOAL 3: ENABLING ENVIRONMENT

11: To have an integrated and sustainable club structure providing formal sport participation opportunities.

12: A human resource base empowered through the provision of accredited education and training.

13: To support and empower South African coaches.

14: A formal structure to support and empower South African athletes.

15: To empower volunteers to adequately support the South African sports system.

16: To ensure that South African sport and recreation is supported by a well maintained facilities network.

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STRATEGIC GOAL 3: ENABLING ENVIRONMENT

17: To provide Federations with administrative and governance support through the medium of a Sports House.

18: To establish a Sports Information Centre that empowers South African sport and recreation.

19: To establish Provincial Sport Councils to provide for the integrated development of South African sport at provincial and local levels.

20: To ensure that South African sport and recreation benefit from strategic International Relations.

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SECTION 3: POLICY IMPERATIVES

- Transformation
- Sport Tourism
- Sport for Peace & Development
- Sport and the Environment
- Priority Codes
- National Emblem & Colours

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SECTION 4: IMPLEMENTATION

- Financial Resources
- Broadcasting & Sponsorships
- Roles & Responsibilities
- Ethical Environment
- Communication & Marketing

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SOME KEY ISSUES OF THE NATIONAL SPORT PLAN

• A Transformation Charter that will be formulated to bring about the establishment of a competitive and demographically representative sport system.

• A Transformation Performance Scorecard to measure where our sport system is in its transformation journey, whether it is improving and to set targets.

• Ensure that physical education is compulsory and implemented in all schools and that school sport contributes to the development of sport in line with national priorities.

• Engage the Ministry of Higher Education and Training to incorporate the training of teachers in sport and physical education into the teacher training curriculum.

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Mass participation initiatives will include the organisation of annual national youth camps to keep young people active in healthy physical activities.

Promote and enhance healthy lifestyles of South Africans through a new emphasis on recreation programmes.

Strengthen the delivery system of sport through the empowerment of SASCOC and Sport Councils at a local, regional, and provincial level.

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SOME KEY ISSUES OF THE NATIONAL SPORT PLAN

• Work towards greater cooperation between SRSA, the Police, Defence Force and Correctional Services that will enhance sport participation.

• Ensure that talent identification programmes, an academy system and sport scientific services are in place that will increase South Africa’s international sport successes.

• Link with mega sport events such as the Comrades and Argus to maximise initiatives of importance to Government such as sports tourism, sport for peace and sport and the environment.

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SOME KEY ISSUES OF THE NATIONAL SPORT PLAN

• Establish South Africa as a world leader in global initiatives of the United Nations regarding sport for peace and development.

• Address professionalism in sport and the issue of sport persons under the age of 18 years who are contracted and permanent located at an academy.

• Approve an international sports calendar that will guide South Africa’s bidding to host international events. Such a calendar must also be aligned with a sport-specific long term athlete development plan.

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SOME KEY ISSUES OF THE NATIONAL SPORT PLAN

• Establish a **Sports House** to serve as a centralized administration centre for especially smaller National Federations.

• Ensure that funding for sport and recreation facilities are ring-fenced in the **Municipal Infrastructure Grant (MIG)** and other funding resources.

• Engage Department of **Human Settlements** to include sport and recreation facilities in spatial planning.

• The successful implementation of the National Sport and Recreation Plan will depend on the availability of resources. A new **funding model** was developed in this regard.

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ANNEXURE:

TRANSFORMATION CHARTER AND SCORE CARD

• Part 1: Moral and strategic reasons for transformation
• Part 2: Transformation charter
• Part 3: Multi-dimensional transformation scorecard and measurement system
• Part 4: Commitment to the transformation charter

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WAY FORWARD

• Drafting team to evaluate all inputs received and update National Sport and Recreation Plan.

• National Sport and Recreation Indaba 26-27 September 2011.

• National Sport and Recreation Plan finalised with inputs from National Indaba.

• Launch of South Africa’s first National Sport and Recreation Plan during October/November 2011.

• Sign collaborative agreements with stakeholders that can assist with implementation of Plan.

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WAY FORWARD

• Table new SRSA strategic plan aligned to National Sport & Recreation Plan 2012-2016 (Feb ’12).

• All stakeholders to align their strategic and business plans with the National Plan.

• Ensure that a Monitoring & Evaluation system is in place.

• Evaluate and update the National Sport and Recreation Plan annually.

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CONTRIBUTIONS REQUIRED

• Inputs on the draft National Sport and Recreation Plan and Transformation Charter.

• Identify areas of possible contributions and cooperation.

• Provinces and SALGA must plan for sport and recreation support in their business plans and budgets.

• Activate the implementation of relevant activities as captured in the National Plan.

• Networking with relevant stakeholders on sport and recreation initiatives.

• All documents and information available on SRSA website at www.srsa.gov.za

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Inkomu

Ndi khou livhuha

Dankie

Thank you

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