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La Cambuse public beach

INTRODUCTION

Over the years, Mauritius has become more and more popular with increasing number of tourists confirming its reputation as being one of the most desired tourists' destinations in the world. One of the main strength of attraction to tourists is the clean, magnificent white sandy beaches and idyllic lagoons. No effort is being spared by the Beach Authority to maintain our public beaches clean and safe.

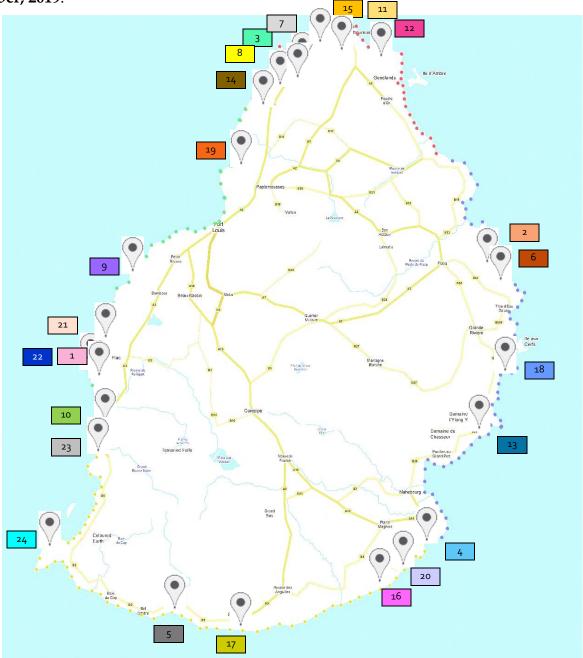
Our mission is to make it possible for the general public, including tourists, to fully enjoy all amenities and facilities made available to them on all public beaches. The Beach Authority has upheld its objectives and is consistent with its mandate to conserve and shield the environment of all public beaches.

This document gives a brief description of all the activities carried out by the Beach Authority during the month of **November**, **2019** including Action Plan for Cleaning of Beaches and Lagoons as well as Embellishment of public beaches, Lifesaving Programme and Sensitisation Campaign in the context of Ganga Snan festival celebrated on 12 November, 2019 in addition to our never-ending quest for upgrading and embellishment of our public beaches.

Participants:

- 1. Beach Authority
- 2. Mauritius Police Force (National Coast Guard and Special Mobile Force)
- 3. Ministry of of Environment, Solid Waste Management and Climate Change
- 4. Ministry of Health and Wellness
- 5. Ministry of of Blue Economy, Marine Resources, Fisheries and Shipping (Fisheries Division)
- 6. Central Water Authority
- 7. Hotel Groups
- 8. Life Saving Groups
- 9. First Aiders
- 10. Scavenging Contractors

Public beaches where activities were carried out during the period of **01 November to 30 November, 2019**:



1	Flic en Flac public beach	13	Bois des Amourettes public beach
2	Belle Mare public beach	14	Pointe aux Piments public beach
3	Mont Choisy public beach	15	Pereybère public beach
4	Blue Bay public beach	16	Le Bouchon public beach
5	Saint Felix public beach	17	Riambel public beach
6	Palmar public beach	18	Grand River South East public beach
7	Grand Baie public beach	19	Le Goulet public beach
8	Trou aux Biches public beach	20	La Cambuse public beach
9	Albion public beach	21	P. G. Anna public beach
10	Tamarin public beach	22	Wolmar public beach
11	Bain Boeuf public beach	23	La Preneuse public beach
12	Grand Gaube public beach	24	Le Morne public beach

Activities:

- 1.0 Implementation of Action Plan for Cleaning of Beaches (including lagoons) and Embellishment of public beaches
- 2.0 Implementation of projects under Financial Year 2018/2019 (ongoing)
- 2.1 Construction of a new Sub Office at Saint Felix public beach
- 2.2 Infrastructural Development Works at Riambel public beach
- 3.0 Implementation of projects under Financial Year 2019/2020
- 4.0 Minor Works carried out on public beaches
- Minor Works carried out at the level of Pereybère Sub Office in the Northern 4.1 Region (from Baie du Tombeau to Von Moltke public beaches)
- 4.2 Minor Works carried out at the level of Saint Felix Sub Office in the Southern Region (from P. G. Comptesse La Marque to Remy Ollier public beaches)
- 4.3 Minor Works carried out at the level of Belle Mare Sub Office in the Eastern Region (from Roches Noires to Rivière des Créoles public beaches)
- 4.4 Minor Works carried out at the level of Flic en Flac Sub Office in the Western Region (from Grand River North West - Sable Noir to P. G. Petite Case Noyale public beaches)
- 5.0 Events held on public beaches
- 5.1 Life Saving Programme and Sensitisation Campaign (Ganga Snan Festival)
- 5.2 Sensitisation Campaign on public beaches
- 5.3 Crackdown Operations on public beaches
- 5.4 Clean-Up Campaign at Bel Ombre, Ruisseau Des Creoles and Baie Du Cap public beaches
- 6.0 Meetings attended by Officers of the Beach Authority
- Dr. Dhuneeroy Bissessur General Manager Beach Authority

November 2019

1.0 Implementation of Action Plan for Cleaning of Beaches (including lagoons) and Embellishment of public beaches

The following activities as per the Action Plan were carried out during the month of **November**, **2019** at the level of the sub offices of the Authority:

- cleaning of beaches
- cleaning of lagoons
- tree plantation
- sensitisation campaign through distribution of plastic bin bags and pamphlets

The activities were carried out at Belle Mare, Pereybère, Mont Choisy, Grand Baie, Blue Bay and Flic en Flac public beaches in collaboration with several stakeholders.

- 1.1 Cleaning of lagoon and embellishment campaign at Belle Mare public beach held on 26 November, 2019
 - > Cleaning of public beach



➤ Cleaning of lagoon at Belle Mare public beach



Waste collected from cleaning of lagoon together with Staff from Beach Authority, Emeraude Beach Attitude Hotel and Divers from National Coast Guard

Tree plantation



Personnel of National Coast Guard



Staff of Beach Authority



Staff of Beach Authority



Staff of Emeraude Beach Attitude Hotel

- 1.2 Cleaning of lagoon and embellishment campaign at Mont Choisy, Grand Baie and Pereybère public beaches held on 27 November, 2019
 - > Cleaning of public beach





Mont Choisy public beach

Cleaning of lagoon



Grand Baie public beach



Waste collected at Pereybère public beach together with Staff of Beach Authority, Personnel of National Coast Guard and Maxi Clean Ltd

Cleaning of lagoon (continued)



Waste collected at Mont Choisy public beach together with Personnel of National Coast Guard

> Sensitisation Campaign







Distribution of plastic bin bags to beach users at Pereybère public beach

1.3 Cleaning of lagoon and embellishment campaign at Blue Bay public beach held on 29 November, 2019

> Cleaning of public beach



Cleaning of public beach by Scavenging Contractor



Cleaning of public beach by Association Brancardier de Plaine Magnien (NGO)

> Cleaning of lagoon



Cleaning of lagoon by Divers from Special Mobile Force



Pest control by personnel of Ministry of Health and Wellness



Monitoring of pleasure craft activities by personnel of Tourism Authority

Stakeholders present for cleaning of lagoon at Blue Bay public beach



Association Brancardier de Plaine Magnien



Divers from Special Mobile Force



Personnel of Mauriclean Ltd



Members of Rotaract of Triolet

Tree plantation





> Sensitisation Campaign



Distribution of plastic bin bags and pamphlets to beach users

- 1.4 Cleaning of lagoon and embellishment campaign at Flic en Flac public beach held on 29 November, 2019
 - > Cleaning of public beach and lagoon







Staff of the Beach Authority together with members of Force Vives de Flic en Flac and personnel of Atics (Scavenging Contractor)

> Tree plantation



> Sensitisation Campaign at Flic en Flac public beach





Distribution of plastic bin bags to beach users



Flic en Flac public beach

2.0 Implementation of projects under Financial Year 2018/2019 (ongoing)

2.1 Construction of a new Sub Office at Saint Felix public beach

In the context of the decentralisation of its activities, a fourth sub office is presently under construction at Saint Felix (South) public beach as from June, 2019. Works are expected to be completed by end of **December**, 2019.



Casting of slab (work completed)



External rendering (work completed)

2.2 Infrastructural Development Works at Riambel public beach

In line with its mandate to embellish public beaches in Mauritius, the Beach Authority has embarked on infrastructural development projects on several public beaches. After Bel Ombre and Petit Sable public beaches, infrastructural development works are being carried out as from May, 2019 at Riambel public beach. The works are ongoing and are expected to be completed by end of **December**, 2019.

The project consists of:

- construction of a new toilet block
- construction of a parking area for 25 vehicles
- fixing of composite plastic bollards within the perimeter of the parking area and along the coastal road to prevent vehicular access to the beach
- landscaping works



Laying of ecoblocks and backfilling with crushed corals (work completed)



Enclosure of public beach and parking area with plastic composite poles (work in progress)



Construction of new toilet block at Riambel public beach (work in progress)

3.0 Implementation of projects under Financial Year 2019/2020 - Construction of open showers on public beaches

The most widespread activities on the public beaches refer to leisure and recreation. With a view to satisfy the increasing demand of the beach users, the Authority has embarked on the implementation of a project relating to the construction of open showers on public beaches. The works are ongoing and are expected to be completed by **December**, **2019**.



Flic en Flac public beach (work in progress)



Bain Boeuf public beach (work in progress)



Belle Mare public beach (work in progress)

4.0 Minor Works carried out on public beaches

The activities of the Beach Authority have been decentralised so as to ensure an effective service delivery through the setting up of four sub offices in the four geographical zones around the island namely Pereybère (North), St. Felix (South), Belle Mare (East) and Flic en Flac (West) public beaches. Various minor works are thus carried out in house (such as repairs and maintenance, mowing of grass, painting and landscaping, amongst others) on a region wise basis by a team of Handy Workers and General Workers posted at the sub offices.

- 4.1 Minor Works carried out at the level of Pereybère Sub Office in the Northern Region (from Baie du Tombeau to Von Moltke public beaches)
 - Upgrading of toilet block at Pereybère public beach

Painting of toilet block - Before











Upgrading of toilet block at Pereybère public beach (continued)

Electrical works inside toilet block - Before





Upgrading of soak away - Before



After





➤ Construction of concrete platforms for toilet blocks at Trou aux Biches (opposite Ex-Aquarium) and Grand Gaube public beaches



Trou aux Biches public beach (opposite Ex-Aquarium)



Grand Gaube public beach

- 4.2 Minor Works carried out at the level of Saint Felix Sub Office in the Southern Region (from P. G. Comptesse La Marque to Remy Ollier public beaches)
 - Upgrading of Blue Bay public beach
 Painting of toilet block Before



Painting of main bin - Before



After



Repair of damaged bench (due to vandalism) at Pomponette public beach Before
After





Demolition of unused building at Surinam public beach







➤ Upgrading works at Telfair public beach Painting of picnic table - Before



Painting of bin - Before



After

After



Painting of water fountain - Before



After



Upgrading of picnic area - Before



After





Painting of bins at P. G. L'Embrazure public beach Before

After



Grass cutting at La Pointe Cassis Le Morne Village public beach

Before



After



➤ Painting of concrete bollards at Bel Ombre public beach Before

After





4.2.1 Maintenance works at St. Felix public beach





- 4.3 Minor Works carried out at the level of Belle Mare Sub Office in the Eastern Region (from Roches Noires to Rivière des Créoles public beaches)
 - Upgrading works at Bois des Amourettes public beach

Painting of commemorative plate - Before



Painting of concrete base of lever arm - Before



After



After



> Upgrading works at Belle Mare public beach

Painting of main concrete bin - Before



Painting of bins - Before



Before



After



After



After



Mowing of grass at Grand River South East public beach

Before After





Before



After



- 4.4 Minor Works carried out at the level of Flic en Flac Sub Office in the Western Region (from Grand River North West Sable Noir to P. G. Petite Case Noyale public beaches)
 - ➤ Removal of eyesore at Tamarin public beach

Before



After



Upgrading works at Tamarin public beach (continued)

Removal of eyesores - Before

After



Painting of bins - Before



After









Upgrading works at Tamarin public beach (continued)

Painting of bench – Before







➤ Painting of water tank at Le Morne public beach

Before

After





Pest control at Flic en Flac, P. G. Anna and Wolmar public beaches



Spraying of pesticides at P. G. Anna public beach

5.0 Events held on public beaches

5.1 Lifesaving Programme and Sensitisation Campaign (Ganga Snan Festival)

In the context of the Ganga Snan Festival celebrated on 12 November, 2019, Lifesaving and Beach Patrol Programme was carried out in collaboration with several stakeholders with a view to ensure safety and security of beach users on all public beaches around the island. A meeting was held at the Beach Authority with representatives of the Mauritius Police Force, Ministry of Ocean Economy, Marine Resources, Fisheries, Shipping and Outer Islands (Fisheries Division), Ministry of Social Security, National Solidarity and Environment and Sustainable Development (Solid Waste Management Division), Central Water Authority, Ministry of Health and Quality of Life, Life Saving Groups and Scavenging Contractors at the seat of the Authority on 06 November, 2019 with a view to finalise all arrangements.

The roles and responsibilities of each stakeholder were discussed.

The activities comprised of:

- Lifesaving Programme (to ensure safety and security of beach users)
- Sensitisation Campaign (distribution of plastic bin bags to beach users)

5.1.1 Meeting organised by the Beach Authority



Meeting held at the seat of the Authority in the context of Ganga Snan Festival

5.1.2 Northern Region

Stretch: Baie du Tombeau public beach to Von Moltke public beach

➤ Lifesaving programme and sensitisation campaign at Le Goulet public beach



Personnel of National Coast Guard and Beach Authority





Distribution of plastic bin bags to beach users at Le Goulet public beach

For cleaner, greener and safer public beaches

Lifesaving programme and sensitisation campaign at Mont Choisy public beach



Representatives of Ministry of Health and Wellness – provision of ambulance together with Officers from the Beach Authority



Personnel of National Coast Guard and Beach Authority



Personnel of Maxi Clean Ltd (Scavenging Contractor) and Beach Authority at Mont Choisy public beach

➤ Lifesaving programme and sensitisation campaign at Pointe aux Piments (near Fish Landing Station) and Pereybère public beaches



Distribution of plastic bin bags to beach users at Pointe aux Piments public beach (near Fish Landing Station)



Distribution of plastic bin bags to beach users at Pereybère public beach

5.1.3 Eastern Region

Stretch: Roches Noires public beach to Rivière des Créoles public beach

> Lifesaving programme and sensitisation campaign at Palmar public beach



Personnel of Beach Authority and Police Department





Distribution of plastic bin bags to beach users at Palmar public beach

Lifesaving programme and sensitisation campaign at Belle Mare public beach



Distribution of plastic bin bags to beach users at Belle Mare public beach



Personnel of Beach Authority and members of Flacq Swimming Association



Representatives of Ministry of Health and Wellness – provision of ambulance together with Officers from the Beach Authority

5.1.4 Southern Region

Stretch: Remy Ollier public beach to P. G. Comptesse La Marque public beach

➤ Lifesaving programme and sensitisation campaign at Blue Bay public beach



Provision of ambulance from Ministry of Health and Wellness



Presence of life savers and First Aiders



Distribution of plastic bin bags to beach users

Lifesaving programme and sensitisation campaign at Riambel public beach



Personnel of Beach Authority and National Coast Guard



Monitoring of Beach Traders' Licence by Personnel of Beach Authority in collaboration with the Mauritius Police Force

Lifesaving programme and sensitisation campaign at St. Felix public beach



Distribution of plastic bin bags to beach users



Personnel of Beach Authority and National Coast Guard



Personnel of Beach Authority and Maxiclean Ltd

5.1.5 Western Region

Stretch: P. G. Petite case Noyale public beach to Sable Noir public beach

➤ Lifesaving programme and sensitisation campaign at Albion public beach



Personnel of Beach Authority and members of Albion Life Saving Club

➤ Lifesaving programme and sensitisation campaign at Flic en Flac public beach



Personnel of Beach Authority and National Coast Guard



Distribution of plastic bin bags to beach users

➤ Lifesaving programme and sensitisation campaign at P. G. Anna and Wolmar public beaches



Distribution of plastic bin bags to beach users at P. G. Anna public beach



Distribution of plastic bin bags to beach users at Wolmar public beach

Lifesaving programme and sensitisation campaign at Tamarin public beach





Distribution of plastic bin bags and pamphlets to beach users at Tamarin public beach

➤ Lifesaving programme and sensitisation campaign at La Preneuse and Le Morne public beaches



Distribution of plastic bin bags and pamphlets to beach users at La Preneuse public beach



Personnel of Beach Authority and National Coast Guard at Le Morne public beach



Distribution of plastic bin bags to beach users at Le Morne public beach

5.2 Sensitisation Campaign on public beaches

A sensitisation campaign was carried out by the Beach Authority at La Cambuse, Le Bouchon and Blue Bay public beaches on **24 November**, **2019** with a view to create awareness amongst the public for a cleaner, greener public beaches. Plastic bin bags were distributed to beach users.

Distribution of plastic bin bags to beach users at La Cambuse public beach





➤ Distribution of plastic bin bags to beach users at Le Bouchon and Blue Bay public beaches



Le Bouchon public beach



5.3 Crackdown Operations on public beach

Crackdown operations on public beaches are regularly carried out in collaboration with stakeholders with a view to prevent any illegal trading activities and to ensure compliance to existing regulations in force. Crackdown operations were carried out at Pereybère and Grand Baie public beaches on 28 November, 2019 by Officers of Pereybère Sub Office in collaboration with personnel from the Mauritius Revenue Authority, Ministry of Health and Wellness as well as National Coast Guard.

The outcomes of the crackdown operations are as follows:

- Pereybère public beach no contraventions were established and it was observed that all beach traders were in compliance with the conditions and criteria of their respective Beach Trader Licences
- *Grand Baie public beach* three (3) contraventions were established:
 - two (2) for 'trading without licence'
 - one (1) for parking 'motor vehicle on public beach'





Verification of Beach Trader Licences by personnel of Ministry of Health and Wellness, National Coast Guard and Mauritius Revenue Authority at Pereybère public beach

Crackdown Operations on public beaches (continued)



Verification of Beach Trader Licence at Grand Baie public beach

5.4 Clean-Up Campaigns at Bel Ombre, Ruisseau des Créoles and Baie Du Cap public beaches

Clean-up campaigns were undertaken by the Beach Authority in collaboration with members of Mauritius Scouts Association at Bel Ombre, Ruisseau des Créoles and Baie du Cap public beaches on 30 November, 2019 with a view to sensitise the public on the importance to maintain our public beaches clean and safe. Plastic bin bags were provided by the Beach Authority.

The clean-up campaigns comprised of:

- Cleaning of public beaches
- Tree plantations

5.4.1 Cleaning of public beach



Cleaning of Baie du Cap public beach

5.4.1 Cleaning of public beach (continued)





Carting away of wastes at Ruisseau des Créoles public beach

5.4.2 Tree plantation





Tree plantation by members of Mauritius Scouts Association at Bel Ombre public beach



Members of Mauritius Scouts Association at Baie du Cap public beach

6.0 Meetings attended by Officers of the Beach Authority

➤ Meetings held at the Head Office

S.N	Date	Name and Grade(s) of Officer(s) concerned	Subject/Purpose	Outcome of Meeting
1	6 November, 2019	All Beach Works Inspectors and Beach Enforcement Officers	Life Saving Programme and Sensitisation Campaign (Ganga Snan Festival)	Discussion about roles and responsibilities of different stakeholders
2	15 November, 2019	Mr. O. Gobin, Project Officer	Signature of Contract Agreement	Signature of Contract Agreement with SMS Contracting Ltd for the 'Upgrading of Entrance and Exit Accesses at P. G. Union Ribet, Bain Boeuf, Trou aux Biches and Pointe aux Piments public beaches'
3	18 November, 2019	Under the chairmanship of Dr. D. Bissessur, General Manager with Head of Sections and Staff of the Technical Department	Management meeting	To discuss and report on status of projects under FY 2019/2020 as well as works undertaken at the level of each Sub Offices
4	26 November, 2019	Mr. O. Gobin, Project Officer	Signature of Contract Agreement	Signature of Contract Agreement with LESMCL c/o Leal Energie Ltd for 'Provision of Solar Lighting Facilities on public beaches'
5	27 November, 2019	Dr. D. Bissessur, General Manager Mr. L. Chaytoo, Administrative Manager	10 th (2019) Board Meeting	Implementation of Board decision taken

> Other Meetings at Ministries/Departments and on public beaches

S.N	Date and place of meeting	Name and Grade(s) of Officer(s)	Subject/Purpose	Outcome of Meeting
1	5 November, 2019 (Surinam public beach)	Mr. K. Megha, Beach Enforcement Officer	Anti - drowning measures	Bathymetry survey by Mauritius Hydrographic Service and current/ecological survey by Mauritius Oceanography Institute
2	5 November, 2019 (La Cambuse public beach)	Mr. K. Megha, Beach Enforcement Officer	Beach Volley activities at La Cambuse public beach	Dry and dangerous trees identified to be felled and dry branches to be lopped

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S.N	Date and place of meeting	Name and Grade(s) of Officer(s)	Subject/Purpose	Outcome of Meeting
3	6 November, 2019 (Blue Bay public beach)	Mr. K. Megha, Beach Enforcement Officer	Beach erosion problem at Blue Bay public beach	Trees with exposed roots to be removed and views awaited from Ministry of Environment, Solid Waste Management and Climate Change as regards to erosion problem
4	11 November, 2019 (Pereybère and Grand Baie public beaches)	Mr. Y. Jhurry, Beach Works Inspector	Resurfacing of parking areas at Pereybère and Grand Baie public beaches (pre bid meeting)	Potential bidders briefed on the project
5	12 November, 2019 (Baie Jacotet, Rivière des Galets public beach)	Mr. K. Beezadhur, Beach Works Inspector	Construction of Ste Marie bridge	Road Development Authority to submit official request as regards to proposed landscaping works for approval
6	14 November, 2019 (Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Regional Integration and International Trade)	Mr. A. Beeputh, Senior Beach Enforcement Officer	Second Feasibility Workshop	Presentation of proposed projects by relevant stakeholders
7	15 November, 2019 (Pereybère Sub Office)	Mr. R. Nundoo and Mr. Y. Jhurry, Beach Works Inspectors	'Upgrading of Entrance and Exit Accesses at P. G. Union Ribet, Bain Boeuf, Trou aux Biches and Pointe aux Piments public beaches	Arrangements for handing over of sites with SMS Contracting Ltd
8	19 and 20 November, 2019 (Blue Bay marine park)	Mr. Y. Ramlochun, Beach Works Inspector	Validation Session on Consultancy for Strengthening the marine protected area management	Analysis of the institutional and governance arrangement for marine protected area
9	19 November, 2019 (Le Morne Pointe Sud Ouest public beach)	Mr. V. Sumessur, Beach Enforcement Officer and Officer in Charge of Flic en Flac public beach	Sites visit with Ministry of Environment, Solid Waste Management and Climate Change i.c.w dried/dead trees on public beach	Approval for felling of trees awaited from Ministry of Agro-Industry and Food Security (Forestry Service)

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S.N	Date and place of meeting	Name and Grade(s) of Officer(s)	Subject/Purpose	Outcome of Meeting		
10	19 November, 2019 (Mont Choisy public beach)	Mr. M. Bohorun, Beach Enforcement Officer	Use public beach by Hindi Speaking Union	Application for use of public beach to be submitted by Hindi Speaking Union		
11	20 November, 2019 (Ministry of Tourism)	Dr. D. Bissessur, General Manager Mr. L. Chaytoo, Administrative Manager Mrs. M. Khodabocus, Accounting Technician Mr. L. Appadu, Senior Beach Works Inspector	1st Management meeting with Hon. G. P. Lesjongard, Minister of Tourism	Presentation of Beach Authority		
12	21 November, 2019 (Ministry of Environment, Solid Waste Management and Climate Change)	Mr. O. Gobin, Project Officer	UNDP GCF Project – Enhancing the resilience of coastal zone of ROM to climate change using the Ridge to Reef Approach	Preliminary discussion about the project		
13	21 November, 2019 (Bain des Dames beach)	Mr. S. Thakoor, Beach Enforcement Officer	Joint site visit with Ministry of Tourism i.c.w Festival International Kreol 2019	To liaise with scavenging contractor for cleaning of beach and provision of collection of wastes		
14	21 November, 2019 (P. G. L'Embrazure public beach)	Mr. K. Megha, Beach Enforcement Officer	Joint site visit with Ministry of Environment, Solid Waste Management and Climate Change (Solid Waste Management Division) and Ministry of Agro- Industry and Food Security (Forestry Service) i.c.w dry and dangerous trees on public beach	Approval awaited for felling of trees from Ministry of Agro-Industry and Food Security (Forestry Service)		
15	22 November, 2019 (Ministry of Environment, Solid Waste Management and Climate Change)	Mr. Y. Ramlochun, Beach Works Inspector	10 th EIA meeting	Proposal for construction of jetty by Anahita Mauritius		

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S.N	Date and place of meeting	Name and Grade(s) of Officer(s)	Subject/Purpose	Outcome of Meeting	
16	25 November, 2019 (Quay D)	Mr. K. Megha, Beach Enforcement Officer	Coordination meeting on-board Indian Naval ship – Darshak	Survey to update Naval publications and publishing of new charts	
17	25 November, 2019 (Ministry of Environment, Solid Waste Management and Climate Change)	Mr. A. Beeputh, Senior Beach Enforcement Officer	Launching of Clean- Up activities pre- festive period	Launching scheduled on 05 December, 2019. Follow-up action done by relevant Officer in Charge of Sub Offices.	
18	26 November, 2019 (Rivière des Galets public beach)	Mr. K. Megha, Beach Enforcement Officer	Reconstruction of Ste Marie bridge	Plants awaited from Ministry of Agro Industry and Food Security (Forestry Service) for embellishment	
19	27 November, 2019 (P. G. L'Embrazure public beach)	Mr. R. Gowreea, Technical Officer and Officer in Charge of St. Felix Sub Office Mr. K. Beezadhur, Beach Works Inspector	Joint site visit with Ministry of Arts and Cultural Heritage i.c.w Festival International Kreol 2019 - Sware Tipik	Works ongoing	
20	27 November, 2019 (La Cambuse public beach)	Mr. K. Megha, Beach Enforcement Officer	Joint site visit with Grand Port District Council regarding Beach Volley activities	To ensure that all arrangements have been made for beach volley activities at La Cambuse public beach	
21	29 November, 2019 (Riambel to Le Morne public beaches)	Mr. R. Gowreea, Technical Officer and Officer in Charge of St. Felix Sub Office	Joint visit with Ministry of Environment, Solid Waste Management and Climate Change i.c.w post cyclone beach rehabilitation works from Riambel to Le Morne public beaches	Scavenging contractor to continue with daily maintenance works and casuarina trees with exposed roots to be removed upon approval obtained from Ministry of of Agro-Industry and Food Security (Forestry Service)	

WAY FORWARD

The activities related to the Action Plan for cleaning of beaches (including lagoons) and embellishment of public beaches are ongoing and the Beach Authority is fully involved in this laudable initiative.

Moreover, in line with its mandate, the Beach Authority is doing its utmost effort to uplift all proclaimed public beaches in Mauritius with basic facilities such as toilet blocks, fireplaces, lighting facilities, picnic tables, kiosks and bins for the benefit and comfort of the beach users.



Gris Gris public beach