

FROM THE DESK OF THE CEO (2/22)
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***"Ability is what you're capable of doing. Motivation determines what you do. Attitude determines how well you do it."* Lou Holtz**

CGA REGIONAL DIRECTORS UP FOR RE-ELECTION

CGA Directors are elected for a two-year period, meaning that approximately half of the Directors come up for review every two years. We have sent nomination forms to all growers in the regions where Directors are up for re-election (for the period April 2022 to March 2024), if you have not received a form and have a farm in one of these regions please contact tanya@cga.co.za. These are the regions that will be electing Directors:

Senwes: present Directors Charles Rossouw and Piet Engelbrecht are both available for re-election

Sundays River Valley: present Directors Hennie Ehlers and Hannes de Waal are both available for re-election

Limpopo River: present Director Guy Whitaker is available for re-election

East Cape Midlands: present Director Jock Danckwerts is available for re-election

Zimbabwe: present Director Paul Bristow is available for re-election

Patensie: present Director Phillip Dempsey is available for re-election

Hoedspruit: present Director Tommie Landman is available for re-election

Letsitele: present Director Jan Louis Pretorius is available for re-election; present Director Ben Vorster is not available for re-election

Nominations will be open until 28 January 2022. Should there be more than one nomination in regions with one Director (Zimbabwe, Limpopo River, Patensie, East Cape Midlands and Hoedspruit), or more than two nominations for regions with two Directors (Senwes, Sundays River Valley and Letsitele) then a vote will take place. Voting is done per PUC weighted by export cartons.

The CGA would like to thank Ben Vorster for his nine-year tenure on the Board serving the Letsitele region. Over that period Ben also served as CGA Chairman, Vice Chairman and on the CGA Executive Committee. Thank you, Ben, for your leadership and for always putting the grower first; you definitely focussed the CGA's activities on what is best for the grower.

CGA ROADSHOWS 2022

The CGA Board and management have decided to hold physical roadshow meetings in 2022 – should it be evident that this is not possible we will revert to virtual meetings (we can make this call towards the middle of February). We are really looking forward to meeting with CGA members. The dates and times have been set, in some cases the venue still needs to be confirmed. Please could you note down these dates in your diaries, and we will add more detail as it becomes available.

As usual Paul Hardman will head up one group. His group will have meetings as follows – **Patensie:** Tuesday 22 February, 15h00 @ Suurvelder; **Sundays River Valley:** Wednesday 23 February, 15h00 @ Africanos; **East Cape Midlands:** Thursday 24 February, 15h00 @ Kat River Board Room; **Senwes:** Monday 28 February, 15h00 @ Maroela Game Trails; **Onderberg:** Wednesday 1 March, 15h00 (venue TBC); **Nelspruit:** Tuesday 2 March, 15h00 @ CRI; **Eswatini:** Thursday 3 March, 15h00 @ Tambuti; **Nkwalini:** Friday 4 March, 12h00 @ Nkwalini Farmers Hall.

Justin Chadwick will head up the second group with meetings as follows – **Oranje Rivier:** Monday 21 February, 15h00 @ Lake Grappa; **Citrusdal:** Wednesday 23 February, 15h00 @ Piekenierskloof; **Boland:** Thursday 24 February, 15h00 @ Ashton Cellars; **Burgersfort/Ohrigstad:** Tuesday 1 March, 09h00 @ Hanna Lodge; **Hoedspruit:** Tuesday 1 March, 15h00 @ Francines; **Letsitele:** Wednesday 2 March, 15h00 @ Letaba Junction; **Limpopo River:** Thursday 3 March, 15h00 (venue TBC); **Zimbabwe:** Friday 4 March @ 15h00.

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