

Comments from residents

“Die Wilgers has a great community spirit of working together”. - 56-year-old professional

“Community patrols is the best way to contribute to making our area safe and secure”. - 46-year-old single mother

“We have dedicated and passionate leaders who make our area one of the best places to live, in any city”. - 23-year-old-student

“It gives me confidence to see the large numbers of retired people in the area. If they feel safe, my family is safe in Die Wilgers”. - 35-year-old-father of two

“The patrollers and the Comsafe staff were on the scene within minutes to help me when I needed it most”. - 72-year-old grandmother

“The Oulandsloop open space area is my favourite place to walk and enjoy the outdoors”. - Retired Professor

“I have lived in Die Wilgers for more than 20 years and I am not going anywhere”. - 47 year old civil servant

“The high degree of safety and the two schools nearby is a deciding factor to buyers”. - 51-year-old estate agent

(Above comments made to committee members over time and not verbatim quotes)

CONTACT DETAILS

Membership of DWRA

www.dwra.co.za (at the bottom of the page click on: “[join the Association here](#)”)

OR chair@dwra.co.za

Joining the Radio Network

radios@dwra.co.za

Joining the Community Patrols

patrols@dwra.co.za

Joining  **COMSAFE**
COMMUNITY SAFETY

(home security and armed response)

Tel : 0861122407 OR anton@comsafe.co.za

**Die Wilgers 24h Emergency Number
0861122407**



Die Wilgers
**RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION
INWONERSVERENIGING**



**“Striving to keep
Die Wilgers
a sought-after
area to live in”**

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Die Wilgers Residence Association

Purpose

- DWRA is able to represent, speak and act on behalf of more than 600 houses and 850 units in complexes
- DWRA communicates with the Tshwane Municipality, the South African Police Services and with other residence associations in the area
- DWRA focuses on matters of SAFETY and SECURITY, ENVIRONMENT, TRAFFIC and BUILDING DEVELOPMENTS and related issues.

Map of the area represented (shaded green)



Two high schools and many day-care centres are located in this area and two nearby primary schools are located just outside the borders!

Benefits

- DWRA is managed by a voluntary committee elected at an Annual General Meeting
- DWRA operates through sub-committees focusing on the main concerns of residents
- For a nominal voluntary annual fee, residents get benefits on the issues of keeping DIE WILGERS clean, safe and maintaining it as a pre-dominantly residential area for individuals, families, children and many retired folk

Achievements

- DWRA has facilitated the formation of a 24/7 staffed central point for the community for co-ordinating services. This is located on the first floor of Willows Crossing Shopping Centre
- DWRA spearheaded the daily community patrols as well as the use of a radio network which has led to the effective reduction of crime-related incidences locally and in neighbouring areas
- Together with developers we have found alternatives to high-rise buildings, thus protecting the character of the area

SPONSORS active in the area:



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FOUR WAYS TO SUPPORT THE EFFORTS OF THE DWRA

Membership: A voluntary contribution of R150 p.a. or any other donation per individual household OR R250 p.a. per complex + R10 per unit. R250 for businesses.

Standard Bank
012190764 (012445)

Radio Network

Purchase a two-way radio, joining more than 400 radios in Die Wilgers. Radio owners can reach the community centre instantaneously with all and any emergencies. Community announcements keep you informed of issues

Community Patrols

Do a two-hour patrol, once a month at night, or during the day and be the ears and eyes of the community keeping Die Wilgers safe. This activity is safe, as patrollers call in, using the radios, and trained individuals respond to emergencies

ComSafe (private company)

A purposefully, locally operated security company was formed to specifically provide services to Die Wilgers residents. A call to Comsafe gets a response in less than three minutes.



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