

## **Telkom**

Telkom is currently conducting a maintenance project to enhance and upgrade their existing underground copper lead infrastructure in Anderson and Windsor Roads. Installation of the cabling and rehabilitation of the roads and pavements should be complete by the end of May 2016.

Telkom informs us that the benefits of this operation will be less disruptions in the area, higher speed for internet service and will facilitate later installation of Fibre to Home cabling. Regarding the Fibre to Home program by which phone companies are installing new fibre optic cabling in various areas of Cape Town to enable high speed internet access, Telkom has informally told us that although they have no plans to install this system in St James and Kalk Bay this year or next, we can expect this to be done in the next three years - good news for our long suffering internet users.

Martin and East has been instructed by the City to add ducts along the road between Kalk Bay harbour and Clovelly for the future installation of fibre optic cables.

**In the event of problems with trenching and the like contact Service Providers: Coreline - Hennie - 082 510 2420**

## **Security**

Bert Stafford, security portfolio KBSTJ SRA, together with some concerned residents, met with Paul Booth (City Council), Andy Rush (Knight Pieshold) and Jaco Smit (Martin and East) to discuss the residential security problems associated with the stop-go traffic arrangements currently in place on the Main Road construction project. It was agreed that the City Council would pay for a security patroller to work a 12 hour night shift, every night in the Behr Road/Main Road area, until the stop-go traffic control system ceases to operate, probably mid-September 2016.

Upon the suggestion of the SRA, Lake Security has been contracted to supply this additional patroller and to make the operation part of their existing system, using existing communications with the SRA patrollers and the Mountain Men. Payment for this additional service will be made by the City Council through the roadworks contract.

The SRA acts purely as a conduit in this matter.

As a result of increased criminal activity in the St James area, the SRA is posting an additional SRA Lake Security patroller from 18.00 hrs to 06.00 hrs who will operate from Carrisbrooke through to Heytor only. The SRA has used this method successfully in other areas of the Village to solve similar problems. This additional patroller has already started operating and will continue until the situation stabilises.