

Circular 5 -2023 5 April 2023

Dear Resident.

Loadshedding has wreaked havoc in the lives of all South African's. At Evergreen Lifestyle our aim is to simplify the process of instillation of alternative energy in the homes.

In order to avoid confusion and provide absolute clarity on Solar installations, please find below information for your attention. Please don't hesitate to contact Village management directly should you require any further detail.

The process for the installation of inverters/batteries and solar panels starts with a variation request form, once this has been submitted to Village management along with a quotation and the specifications of the required work, Village management will facilitate the authorization of this request with the owner of the property.

The listed suppliers below are the preferred installers for all inverter and solar installations in all Evergreen Lifestyle Villages. Should any resident wish to make use of any other installers and products, the details of these must be submitted to Village management with a completed variation form for consideration. Please be reminded that no installation may continue before all approvals are in place.

The preferred suppliers are as follows:

- 1. Micasa Energy Solutions www.micasa.co.za
- 2. Ecoflow www.ecoflow.com
- 3. Solar-Saver www.solar-saver.net
- 4. Rubicon Sustainability Technology www.rubiconsa.com

Brochures and proposals of the above preferred suppliers are available via Village management with the costs for these installations available as per the brochure.

Key elements that will be considered for any installation is:

- 1. Tier 1 products are specified which ensures that the integrity of the electrical infrastructure is upheld.
- 2. Significant warrantee and technical support offered by the installer and the respective manufacturer.
- 3. Hybrid energy solutions and allows for add-ons in the form of solar PV and additional batteries.

<u>PLEASE NOTE</u> - Additional cost estimates that will be occurred for solar installations and the detailed process for the application thereof will be sent out to residents upon request.

I trust that the above resolves any confusion or uncertainty that may exist, as always, should you need further clarity you are most welcome to contact me directly.

Warm Regards Bronwyn