



BEAUTY MOKGWAMME

The Empowerment Trust

# Mohair Empowerment Trust

The Mohair Empowerment Trust aims to establish black commercial Angora goat farmers within the world's most prolific mohair producing country.

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# Empowerment Trust

Established 2010

- Promotes black economic empowerment within the mohair industry
- To ensure sustainable supply of Mohair by establishing large scale mohair producers
- To establish black participants and entrepreneurs
- To commercialise Black Farmers within the Mohair Industry





## Trustees of the Empowerment Trust:

- Chairman of the Mohair Trust
- Chairman of Mohair South Africa
- Chairman of South African Mohair Growers Association (SAMGA)
- Two Trustees of Mohair Trust (1 Black Commercial farmer)
- Two Trustees from the National Agricultural Marketing Council (NAMC)



# What we provide

- Angora goats via Free Interest Loan for a period of 5 years
- Training – to ensure successful large scale mohair producers
- Support and assistance to upcoming farmers



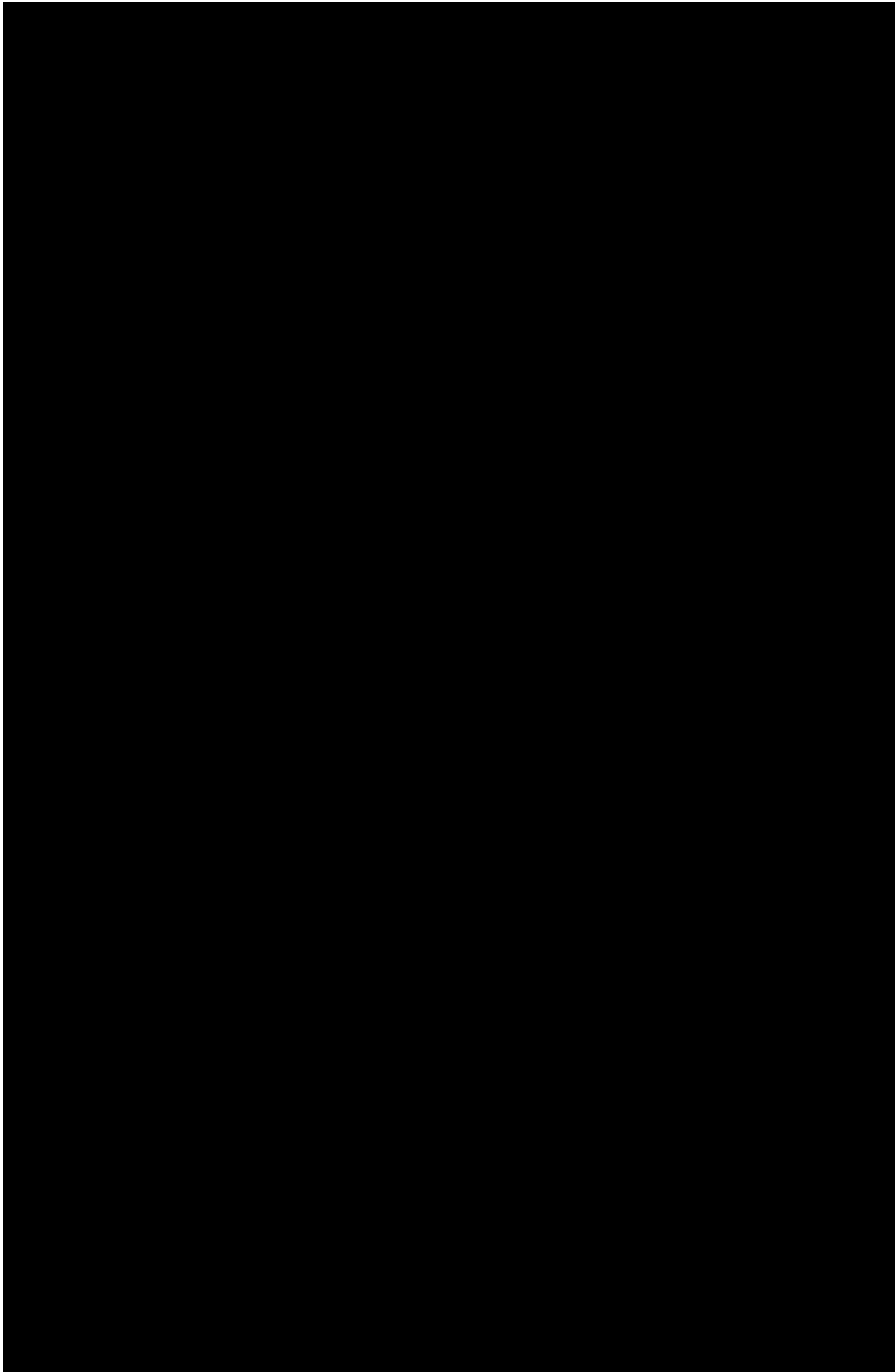


# Current Developments & Progress

- The Trust is currently running 7 development projects involving a total of  $\pm$  5000 goats
- 6 projects settled in total (2019-2023)
- The MET farmers contributes about  $\pm$  18 000kg of mohair per year
- New farmers –In a process to become Responsible Mohair Standard certified
- Farmers, Farmworkers , Students and officials Training ,
- Strengthening relationship with Government







# WHY FARM WITH ANGORA GOAT?

- Market demand
- High profitability
- Regular income – Supporting cash flow
- Industry stabilization support structure for producers
- Excellent grazing utilization & stocking rate
- Mohair speciality fibre utilized globally

Eastern Karoo  
suitable land  
for Angora's





## MANAGEMENT OF GOATS

- Make sure you have sheds or shelters
- Make sure goats have enough feeds at all Times & clean water
- During shearing , don't kraal goats without feed
- Shorn goats - sheltered during cold weather
- Keep goats in camp with good natural cover
- Maintain fencing
- Check the forecast- avoid cold/stressed goats
- Reliable staff on standby, weekends & Holidays

**The welfare of the angora goats is critical – increase good quality production and healthy angora goats.**

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# Thank you



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