

ABSTRACT

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In 2010 South Africa hosted the FIFA World Cup and as a result many areas of the city of Cape Town underwent massive redevelopment including the construction of the new Cape Town Stadium in Green Point and housing projects like the Breaking New Ground Strategy and its pilot N2 Gateway Project in Langa and Symphony Row in Delft. Both the construction of Cape Town Stadium in the Green Point neighborhood and the new housing developments along the N2 Gateway in Langa and Symphony Row in Delft have had major impacts on the city and its FIFA World Cup Legacy. These impacts include new public enhancements to Green Point and the relocations of people in Langa and Delft so that new housing could be built. The overall research project aims to analyze the impacts of these infrastructure developments and their legacy using methods such as mapping and field observation. This paper outlines the results of research conducted through 2018 and 2019 and included a trip to Cape Town, South Africa in January of 2019 to conduct field work.