

# Al-Jaami'ah Masjid

Extensions Fund Profile 2016 **Stegman Road, Claremont**

"Whosoever shares in building a masjid for Allah, even if it is as small as a bird's nest, Allah (S.W.T.) will build for him a house in Paradise."

Musalles of Al-Jaami'ah Masjid  
and the broader Muslim community

# Fundraising appeal for extensions to Al-Jaami'ah Masjid

The Al-Jaami'ah Masjid executive committee has started a project to upgrade the wudu facilities and create separate entrances for male and female musallees to ensure complete separation of the sexes.

The side entrance in the parking lot will be used exclusively by females to enter and exit the masjid, while a separate entrance and exit will be created for males.

## Message from Muhammad Nazeem Jamie Chairperson of the Executive Committee

The current executive committee was appointed in November 2015. It has been an honour to be appointed as the chairperson and to be surrounded by a highly committed executive team who have passionately driven the vision of reviving Al-Jaami'ah Masjid as the centre of the Muslim community.

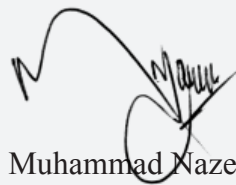
Despite a challenging year, we have forged ahead with several new initiatives and activities at the masjid, including a successful I'tikaaf programme during the month of Ramadaan. This programme was held in conjunction with the Darun Naim Sat/Sun Intensive and marked the start of our mission to bring new life to Al-Jaami'ah. We have identified the need for genuine and constructive change. Our primary focus is thus to do things differently by actively fulfilling our responsibility, and we intend to build the future of this masjid on volunteerism.

Our most ambitious initiative is the infrastructure project we have embarked on, together with the associated planning, consulting, fundraising and implementation challenges that will become the focus of our attention over the next two years. In this regard, we appeal to all our musallees and the broader community to financially contribute to this project and, in this way, plant a seed for their aakhirah.

I have to mention that this process has been diligently driven by a dedicated team of executive members who have supported me. We believe this project is in the interest of the community we serve.

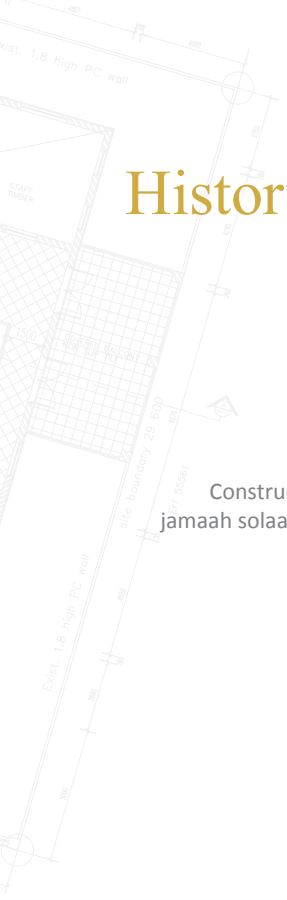
We also gratefully acknowledge the contributions made by our imam, under the current Shura leadership of MI Muhammad Carr (Amir) and Sheikh Ismail Londt.

The executive is looking forward to meeting the challenges of the future.



**Muhammad Nazeem Jamie,**  
Executive Committee Chairperson  
Al-Jaami'ah Masjid

# History



Construction completed and first jamaah solah, 12 Rabbil Owwal 1341

Sheikh Abdurragmaan  
Imam Achmat Bressar  
Sheikh Yasien Ely  
Imam Amien Slamang



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Imam Abubakr Fakier

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Sheikh Riyaad Walls



- 1860 — Makbara adjoining the masjid was established
- 1911 — Land acquired by Sha Mohamed Trust
- 1912 — Construction commenced
- 1922 —

## IMAAMAT

- 1911 – 1928 — Imam Magmoed Slamang
- 1928 - 1949 —
- 1950s — Imam Salie Ghak, Imam Hajwani, Imam Sondag
- 1955 - 1969 — Imam Abdullah Haron \*
- 1969 - 1973 — Imam Saliem Davids, H Omar Abrahams
- 1969 - 1991 — Imam Ebrahim (Sepp) Davids
- 1992 - 1994 —
- 1995 - 2004 —
- 2005 - 2016 —
- 2016 - Present — Moulana Mogamad Carr – Amir (in association with Sheikh Ismail Londt)



Imam Magmoed Slamang



Sheikh Ismail Londt

### Assisting Imaamat

Imam Amanullah Booley	1956 - 2016
Imam Rashaad Salie	1969 - 2016



### \* Imam Abdullah Haron

Imam Haron was appointed imam of the Al-Jaami'ah Mosque in Stegman Road, Claremont, in 1955, at the age of 31.

He is best remembered for opposing prejudice and racism, as manifested by his unwavering opposition to the apartheid regime. It was this committed activism that saw him being detained by the apartheid police on 28 May 1969. He died in police detention 123 days later, on 27 September, at the age of 45.



From Left: Imam Rashad Salie (Honorary Life Member); Amaan Kagee (Exco Member: Trustee Representative); Faghry Sallie (Vice-chairperson); Moulanaa Muhammad Carr (Amir & Resident Imam); Nazeem Jamie (Chairperson); Reza Solomons (Secretary); Sabier Patel (Treasurer); Imam Amanullah Booley (Honorary Life Member)

# Activity

## Activities that take place at the Masjid

- Thikr programmes
- Adult classes
- Zakaah programme: The programme runs throughout the year and provides more than 1 500 food parcels during Ramadaan
- Eid-ul Adha Qurbani programme
- Revert classes
- Silsila classes
- Weekday Madressa
- Hifth classes: Under the tutelage of Achmat Solomon and supervised by Moulana Muhammad Carr. The classes run from Mondays to Fridays, from after Fajr to Thur
- Monday Evening Arabic Classes with Sheikh Ismail Londt
- Tuesday Evening Quran Classes with Sheikh Ismail Londt
- Sunday Madressa: The Sunday Madressa has been operating at the masjid for over 20 years

## I'tikaaf Program (Ramadaan 1437 / 2016)

This was a fully catered programme for over 100 participants. On weekends, this number rose to above 150 participants. Females also attended the programme during the day.

# Expansion Project

## Plans

- Plans have been drawn up and submitted to Council for approval.
- Zoning Issues
- Consolidation of Erven

## Costs

This is a costly project. The current estimate for Phase 1 of the extensions is R3.4 million.

The committee appeals to musallees and the broader community to please contribute to the cost of the refurbishments. The committee has already embarked on this project and it is anticipated that the separate entrances will be operational by 1st Ramadaan 1438.

Banking details are provided for direct deposits.

### Phase 1

R3.4 million

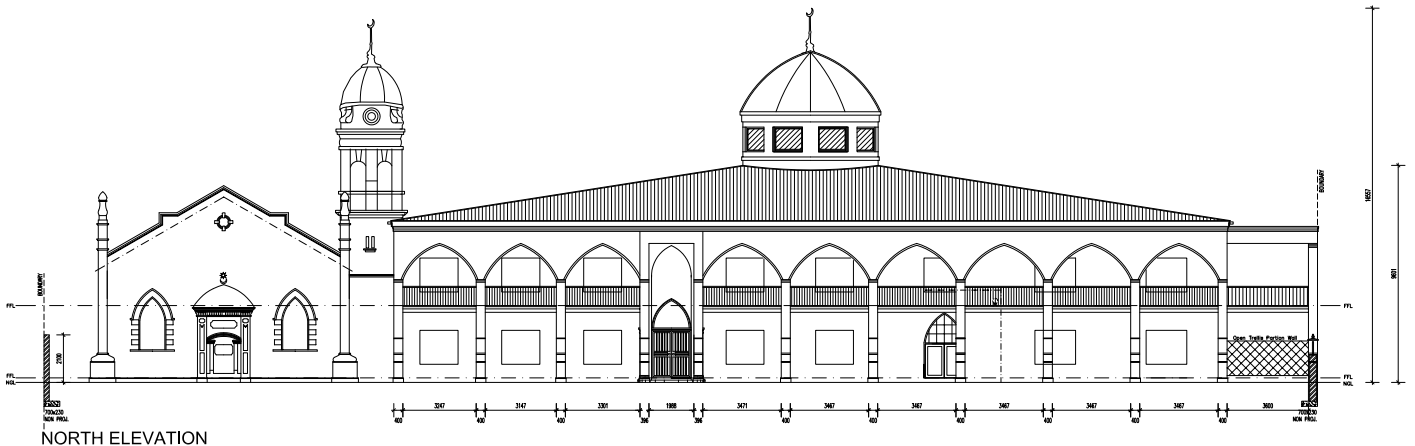
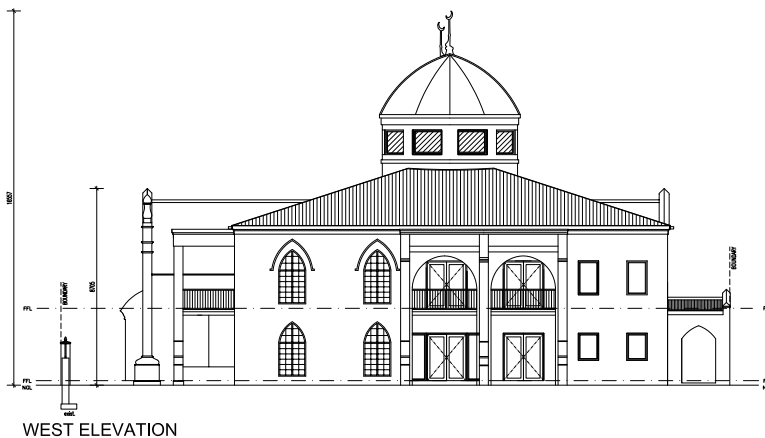
### Phase 2

R5.5 million

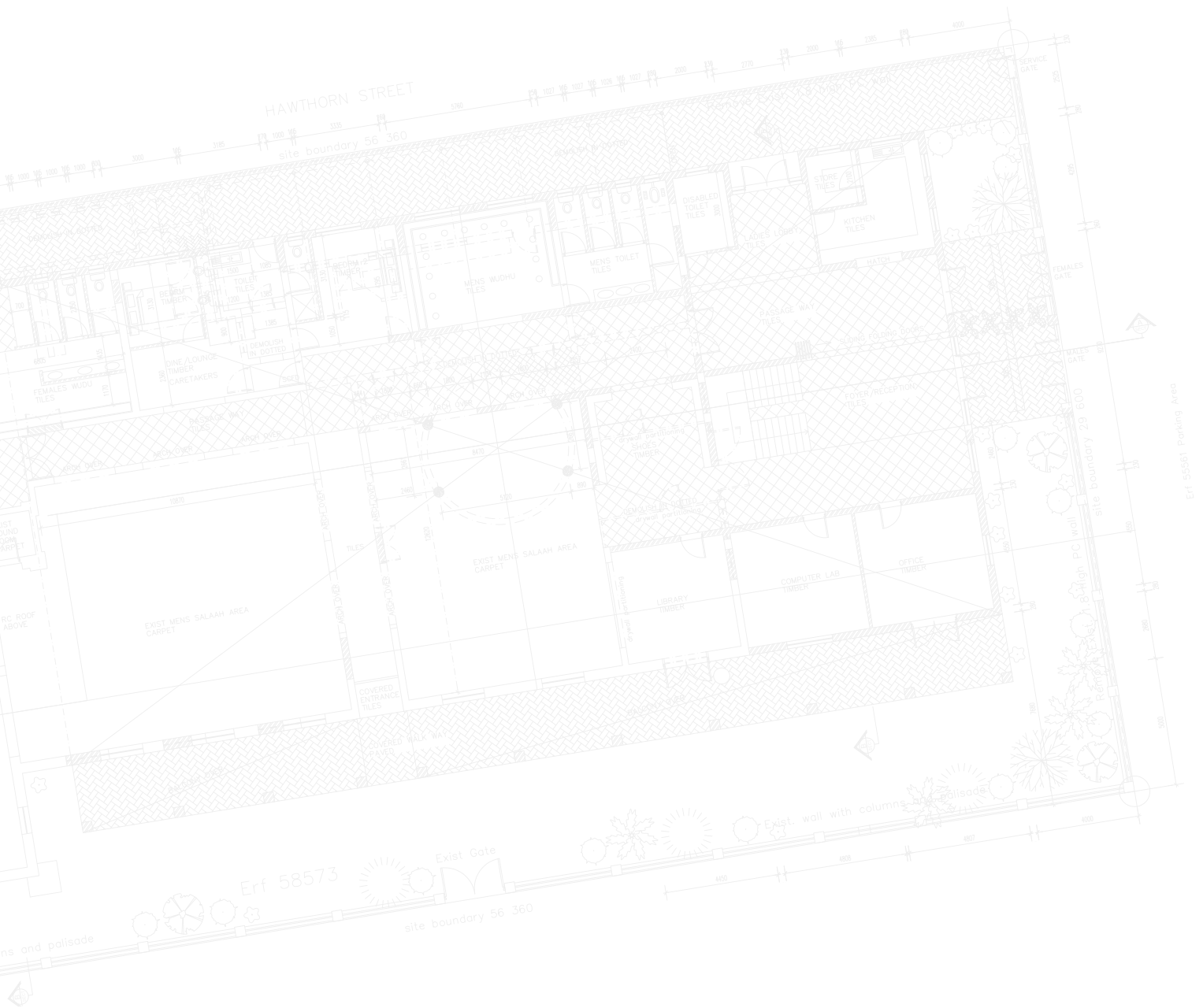
Shukran Jazeelan

  
**Nazeem Jamie**  
 Chief Executive

  
**Reza Solomon**  
 Executive Secretary







## Contact

### Executive Committee

N. Jamie (Chairperson)  
 F. Sallie (Vice Chairperson)  
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 R. Solomon (Secretary)  
 A. Kajee (Trustee Representative)

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## Bank Details

### Building Fund

Bank: First National Bank [FNB]  
 Account Name: Al-Jaami'a Masjid  
 Account Number: 620 539 530 08  
 Branch: Rondebosch  
 Branch Code: 20 15 09

### General Account

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 Account Number: 620 496 166 02  
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