

High-tech security promised by Riverspray

It's a sad indictment of society when your home security becomes the single most important factor in contributing towards your quality of life.

Our country has lost the benefit of support from a government whose priority is supposed to be the safety of its citizens, but unfortunately exhibits no enthusiasm in this regard. It therefore falls to the private sector to take care of its own. This is precisely the stance that Riverspray Lifestyle Estate has adopted in ensuring that all its residents are sheltered from constant crime that other families and households in the Gauteng region are subjected to.

The Estate's top priority, according to Developer Mr Wynand Haywood, is the level of security.

"The perimeter walls are 2.5 metres high with electric fencing added to that, and that is merely the first line of defence" he adds.

Twelve camera's will form part of the extremely high-tech security system. These will monitor the gate and various points on the perimeter wall. Besides the snapshots which will be taken of all entrants to the Estate these cameras also possess the ability to zoom and turn, and will be monitored 24 hours around the clock from the Estate control room.

Mr Charl van der Berg, head of security for Riverspray, was excited by the fact that sections of the perimeter such as the Riverfront, which for obvious reasons cannot be walled, will be monitored by microwave detectors.

"This is fantastic, brand new technology and we are very privileged to have the opportunity of implementing it at Riverspray" he proclaimed.

The control room at the gatehouse serves as the heart of the extensive security operation, with all residents, contractors and domestic workers being pre-registered by photograph and fingerprint.

Fifteen guards will be permanently on site on a 24-hour rotational basis. They will occupy posts at the gatehouse, control room and some of them will be on constant bike and golf-cart patrol around the estate. All the security officers are in constant communication with each other and the control room. In fact, van der Berg was full of praise for his well trained team who have had to, besides their security experience, also undergo stringent fire-fighting and first-aid training. As an added precaution, all homes will be linked to the control room by a basic alarm system. This means that, should an activation occur, the internal security will respond immediately. No longer will residents be subjected to a lengthy waiting period whilst external aid is in transit.

From an outsider's point of view it's very refreshing to witness the level of planning and execution that is going into this facet of the project. It provides a wonderful element of faith to residents of this beautiful Estate. It seems that Riverspray is leaving nothing to chance. They have decided the future is in their hands. That means your future as well. It really is rather impressive.



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