

the boats are tied up. The construction work
aren't on site today. There is a sign that reads NO TRESPASSING on
the beach right where Thandi used to play as a child, which was
once an extension of River Bank. The hotels are building along the
coastlines. Slowly but surely they are coming, like a dark sea. Little
Bay, which used to be two towns over from River Bank, was the
first to go. Just five years ago the people of Little Bay left in droves,
forced out of their homes and into the streets. It was all over the
news when it happened, since the people—out of anger—ended up
blocking roads with planks and tires and burning them. In the past