

## ROAD NAMING PROPOSAL

### PRINCE OF WALES RECREATION RESERVE PRECINCT

City of Ballarat gives notice under the *Naming rules for places in Victoria – Statutory requirements for naming roads, features and localities 2016* of a proposal to name the roadway within the Prince of Wales Recreation Reserve located at Gillies Road, LAKE GARDENS VIC 3355.

The unnamed road is located opposite Ballarat Botanical Gardens and Lake Wendouree Reserve. The road provide access to the seven sporting facilities. Currently Council uses a range of addressing mechanisms at the sporting facilities which are not valid or accurate.

The nature of the activities operating in the precinct increases the likelihood of an emergency occurring, and the need for a specific address location to be determined. This proposal will provide accurate street addressing for the seven sporting facilities within the precinct to ensure effective incident management and public safety.

City of Ballarat is committed to reconciliation, working positively today and into the future with the Wadawurrung (Traditional Owners) and other Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander community members to learn, acknowledge and move forward together. In continuing this commitment, it is proposed that the unnamed roadway within the Prince of Wales Recreation Reserve be named **Kunuwarra Drive** (pronounced Koo-noo-warrah) is deemed appropriate as the name translates to 'black swan' in native Wadawurrung language, as support by Wadawurrung Traditional Owners Aboriginal Corporation.

Interested parties are encouraged to make submissions, whether for or against a proposal. If the proposed name is not supported, please indicate why and/or demonstrate why the proposal does not conform to the Naming rules for places in Victoria – Statutory requirements for naming roads, features and localities 2016. Further information on the naming guidelines is provided by the State Government at <https://www.land.vic.gov.au/place-naming/understand-the-naming-process/the-naming-rules> . If no submissions are made it will be assumed that there are no objections and Council will proceed with the road naming process.

Submissions quoting reference number **NP236 – PRINCE OF WALES RECREATION RESERVE PRECINCT** should be addressed to the Manager Revenue and Procurement Services and can be mailed to Post Office Box 655 BALLARAT VIC 3353, or emailed to [info@ballarat.vic.gov.au](mailto:info@ballarat.vic.gov.au).

Written submissions on the proposed name are invited and will be received by Council until 5pm Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2022.

All submissions will be considered in accordance with Section 223 of the Local Government Act 1989. Any person making a written submission is advised all submissions and personal information in the submission will be handled by Council in accordance with the provisions of the Privacy and Data Protection Act 2014. The purpose of collecting this information is to assist Council in obtaining the views of the community. The information may also be made available to third parties in accordance with the relevant legislation. The submission of personal information with your comments is voluntary but if not provided may affect the consideration of such comments. The information will be stored in Council's records system.

*Note Submissions will be considered in accordance with [Naming rules for places in Victoria, Statutory requirements for naming roads, features and localities - 2016](#). Only written submissions can be*

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*considered. Council cannot take verbal submissions, views expressed in newspaper comment (eg: a Letter to the Editor) or social media post, into account when making a decision on a naming proposal.*