9.9 Naming of a new street in a subdivision off Railway Street, Gulgong

REPORT BY THE REVENUE OFFICER

TO 17 AUGUST 2022 ORDINARY MEETING GOV400098, P04862, R0790141

RECOMMENDATION

That Council:

- 1. receive the report by the Revenue Officer on the naming of a new street in a subdivision off Railway Street, Gulgong;
- 2. name this street Millennium Court; and
- 3. advertise the proposed name and receive a further report at the end of the exhibition period to formalise the name of the street.

Executive summary

A new subdivision off Railway Street in the town of Gulgong includes one new street. Addressing requirements for the new subdivision will necessitate the naming of this new street.

Disclosure of Interest

Nil

Detailed report

Council, being the Roads Authority, is required to name new and unnamed streets and roads. The purpose of this report is to provide a list of names submitted by the public from which Council can choose a name for this new street.

Following the approval of a new subdivision off Railway Street in the town of Gulgong, Council wrote to the property owner and neighbours of the subdivision on 15th June 2022 requesting their naming suggestions. Public consultation was also invited in an advertisement placed in the 17th June 2022 issue of the Mudgee Guardian and on Council's website. Submissions closed on 8th July 2022 and during this period two submissions were received with the following names suggested:

Millennium	Budhin	Bulan
Wayimaa	Wambuwuny	

These names were evaluated via the Geographical Names Board and an issue was found with Bulan as it is sounds similar to Ulan Road.

Millennium, Budhin, Wayimaa and Wambuwuny were accepted for use.

The recommended name of Millennium relates to a time when one period ends and another begins.

Street naming is legislated under the Roads Act, 1993. This Act empowers the authority in charge of the road with the rights to name it. The naming of this new street will allow the completion of street

addressing within this new subdivision. Section 162 of the Roads Act (1993) states that "a road authority may name and number all public roads for which it is the authority. A roads authority may not alter the name of a public road unless it has given the Geographical Names Board (GNB) at least two months' notice of the proposed name."

In accordance with Council's Road, Bridge and Place Naming Policy, the name that Council endorses for this street will be:

- 1. Advertised in the Mudgee Guardian and on Council's website inviting submissions in writing from the public for a period of 21 days.
- Concurrently, notice of the new name will be sent to Australia Post, the Registrar General, the Surveyor General, the NSW Ambulance Service, NSW Fire & Rescue, NSW Rural Fire Brigades, NSW Police Force, NSW State Emergency Service and NSW Volunteer Rescue Association, and, in the case of a classified road – Transport for NSW, inviting submissions in writing for a period of 14 days.

At the expiration time for lodgement of submissions, a further report will be prepared for Council addressing any submissions received and recommending the formal adoption of the proposed street name, and Gazettal of the new street name.

Community Plan implications

Theme	Connecting Our Region	
Goal	High quality road network that is safe and efficient	
Strategy	Provide traffic management solutions that promote safer local roads and minimise traffic congestion	

Strategic implications

Council Strategies

Not Applicable

Council Policies Road, Bridge and Place Naming Policy

Legislation

Roads Act 1993 Road Regulation 2008 Geographical Names Act, 1996 Geographical Names Board of NSW Address Policy and User Manual, October 2019

Financial implications

The cost and installation of a street sign at the intersection of Railway Street and the street to be named. The costs of which will be met by the developer.

Associated Risks

Nil

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20 July 2022

- Attachments: 1. Submission.
 - 2. Submission.
 - 3. Map.

APPROVED FOR SUBMISSION:

BRAD CAM GENERAL MANAGER From: Sent: To: Cc: Subject: Morgan Blamey Friday, 10 June 2022 12:42 PM Carolyn Atkins Daniel McNamara; Kayla Robson Railway Street, GULGONG

Re: Railway Street, GULGONG - DA0333/2022

Hi Caroyln,

Thank you for following up, we would like to commence the road naming process with Council.

Proceeding with a single street for road naming purposes, the name we would like to put forward is 'Millennium Court'. The reason for selecting this name is personal preference amongst the development team. Please see below definitions of the word 'Millennium' for reference:

the millennium the time when one period of 1,000 years ends and another begins

i.e. a new beginning for residential development within Gulgong.

Happy to discuss further.

Morgan Blamey | Development Planner dmps

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