

CORPORATE REPORT

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COUNCIL DATE: June 27, 2022

### **REGULAR COUNCIL**

TO:	Mayor & Council	DATE:	June 23, 2022
FROM:	General Manager, Engineering Acting General Manager, Planning & Development		5400-80 (17550) 5430-01 (Guru Nanak Village Way)
SUBJECT:	Proposed Commemorative Naming of 175A Street (6400 Block)		

# RECOMMENDATION

The Engineering Department and the Planning & Development Department recommend that Council:

- 1. Receive this report for information;
- 2. Authorize staff to implement the commemorative actions requested by Progressive Intercultural Community Services as generally described in this report; and
- 3. Authorize staff to install commemorative street name signs on the 6400 block of 175A Street as Guru Nanak Village Way.

### INTENT

The purpose of this report is to advise council of the request from Progressive Intercultural Community Services ("PICS") for the commemorative naming of the 6400 block of 175A Street, and to seek Council approval for a commemorative street naming in response to that request.

# BACKGROUND

PICS is a non-profit community-based organization that provides a variety of services including seniors' care services and housing programs. PICS will operate the Guru Nanak Diversity Village (the "Village") long-term care facility, which is the subject of two development applications. In December 2019, through Development Application No. 7915-0268-00, the Village project received approval in principle. Development Application No. 7921-0149-00, for the detailed development permit, is scheduled for Final Approval at the June 27, 2022 Regular Council Land Use Meeting.

PICS has requested that the 6400 block of 175A Street, which provides access to the Village site, as shown in Appendix "I", receive a secondary street name in the form of the commemorative name Guru Nanak Village Way, in both English and Punjabi.

### DISCUSSION

City Policy O-60 Surrey Street Naming Policy and Engineering Department practices provide criteria and processes associated with the commemorative naming of roads. There are several categories of people, places, and events that can be recognized through a commemorative street name, including a large non-profit, private cultural, religious or community institution. This request meets the City Policy and Engineering Department practice requirements.

The official name of the road would remain 175A Street and would be used for addressing and all documentation, including business licensing, permits, and fire alarm monitoring. The commemorative street name sign would be installed on the corner of 64 Avenue and 175A Street. The proposed design is attached to this report as Appendix "II". The sign will be installed in July 2022, should Council support the recommendations of this report.

## SUSTAINABILITY CONSIDERATIONS

The proposed commemorative street name supports the objectives of the City's Sustainability Charter 2.0. In particular, this commemorative street name relates to the Sustainability Charter 2.0 theme of Inclusion. Specifically, this street name supports the following Desired Outcome (DO):

• Diversity and Accessibility DO1: Surrey welcomes, includes, embraces and values the diversity of people who live here.

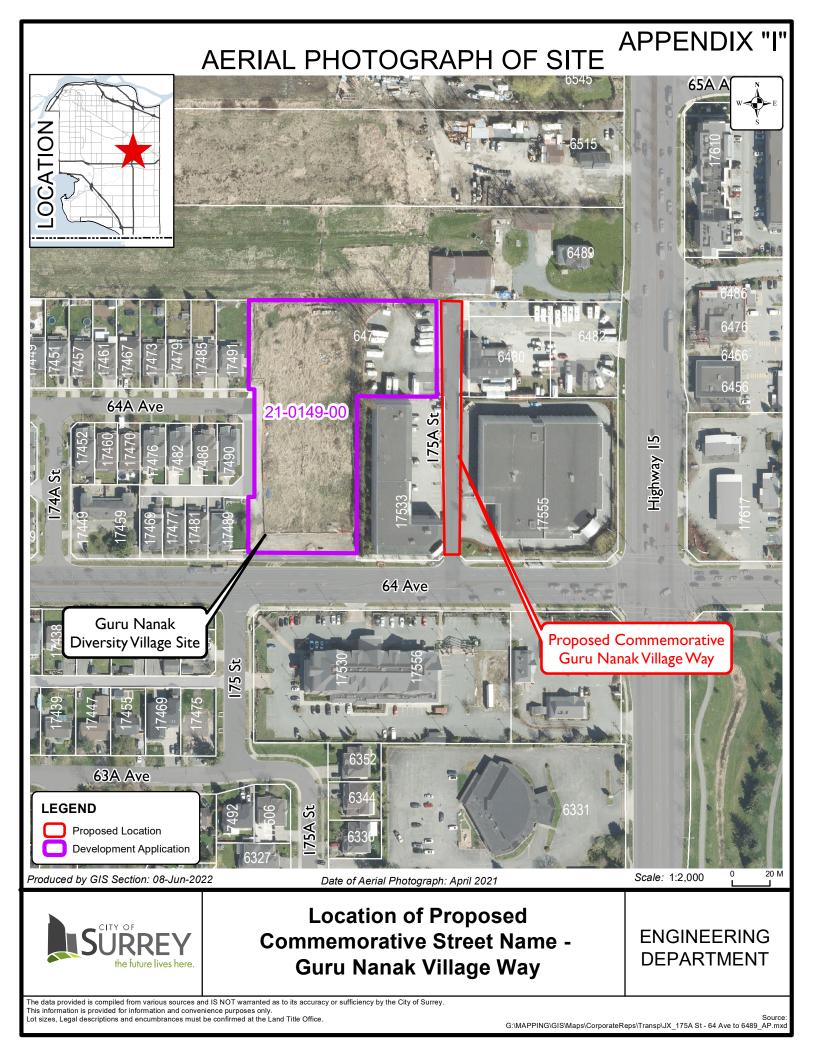
### CONCLUSION

The Engineering Department and Planning & Development Department recommend that Council approve the commemorative street naming of Guru Nanak Village Way to the 6400 block of 175A Street.

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Appendix "I" – Location of the Proposed Commemorative Street Name – Guru Nanak Village Way Appendix "II" – Sample of the Guru Nanak Village Way Commemorative Sign

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Sample of the Guru Nanak Village Way Commemorative Sign