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REPORT TO EXECUTIVE MAYOR

1. **ITEM NUMBER: C 27/05/16**
2. **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION RESULTS FOR THE PROPOSED RENAMING OF VOORTREKKER ROAD IN DURBANVILLE TO PAMPOENKRAAL LANE –**

UITSLAE VAN DIE OPENBARE DEELNAMEPROSES VIR DIE VOORGESTELDE NAAMSVERANDERING VAN VOORTREKKERWEG IN DURBANVILLE NA PAMPOENKRAALLAAN

IZIPHUMO ZENTATHO NXAXHEBA YOLUNTU EZIJOLISWE KWISIPHAKAMISO SOKUTHIYWA KWEGAMA NGOKUTSHA KWE-VOORTREKKER ROAD ESE DURBANVILLE UKUBA IBEYI PAMPOENKRAAL LANE LSU G5294

3. **RECOMMENDATION FROM THE NAMING COMMITTEE: 13 APRIL 2016 (NAME 07/04/16)**

It is recommended to the Executive Mayor that the 225 m access road to the Pampoenkraal Heritage Square; namely Voortrekker Road, be renamed Pampoenkraallaan/ lane

AANBEVELING VAN DIE NAAMKOMITEE: 13 APRIL 2016 (NAME 07/04/16)

Daar word by die uitvoerende burgemeester aanbeveel dat die toegangspad van 225 m na die Pampoenkraal-erfenisplein, naamlik Voortrekkerweg, na Pampoenkraallaan/lane hernoem word.

ISINDULULO ESIVELA KWIKOMITI EJONGENE NOKUTHIYWA KWAMAGAMA: 13 EPRELI 2016 (NAME 07/04/16)

Kundululwe kuSodolophu weSigqeba ukuba indlela yokungena engama-225 m kwi-Pampoenkraal Heritage Square; eyi-Voortrekker Road mayithiywe igama ngokutsha ukuba ibeyi-Pampoenkraallaan/lane.

CHAIRPERSON NAMING COMMITTEE

SUPPORTED FOR ONWARD SUBMISSION TO MAYOR / MAYCO / COUNCIL

NOT SUPPORTED

REFERRED BACK

COMMENT:

DATE

19 / 04 / 2016

EXECUTIVE MAYOR

SUPPORTED FOR ONWARD SUBMISSION TO MAYCO / COUNCIL

PC RECOMMENDATION

RECOMMENDATION AS CONTAINED IN ORIGINAL REPORT

ALTERNATIVE RECOMMENDATION TO BE REFLECTED BELOW

APPROVED I.T.O. DELEGATED AUTHORITY

NOTED

REFUSED

REFERRED BACK

COMMENT:

DATE

21.04.2016



REPORT TO NAMING COMMITTEE

DATE

LC14793

1. ITEM NUMBER :
2. SUBJECT

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VOORTREKKER ROAD IN DURBANVILLE TO PAMPOENKRAAL LANE**

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VOORGESTELDE NAAMSVERANDERING VAN VOORTREKKERWEG IN
DURBANVILLE NA PAMPOENKRAALLAAN**

ISIHLOKO

**IZIPHUMO ZENTATHO-NXAXHEBA YOLUNTU EZIJOLISWE
KWISIPHAKAMISO SOKUTHIYWA KWEGAMA NGOKUTSHA KWE-
VOORTREKKER ROAD ESE- DURBANVILLE UKUBA IBEYI-
PAMPOENKRAAL LANE**

LSU G2537

3. STRATEGIC INTENT

- Inclusive City

This report gives effect to the IDP strategic focus area 4, i.e. the Inclusive City and more specifically strategic objective 4.1. "Ensure responsiveness by creating an environment where citizens can be communicated with and be responded to."

4. PURPOSE

The purpose of this report is to present to the Naming Committee the public participation results for the proposed renaming of Voortrekker Road to Pampoenkraal Lane.

5. FOR CONSIDERATION BY

The Naming Committee

6. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The Naming Committee at its meeting on 16 April 2015 (NAME 07/04/15), recommended to the Executive Mayor that the proposed renaming of Voortrekker Road in Durbanville, be subjected to a localised public participation exercise. This report highlights the outcomes of the public participation process and includes the cost implications involved in the implementation of the proposed renaming of Voortrekker Road in Durbanville.

7. RECOMMENDATION

That the Naming Committee considers the outcomes of the public participation process and advise the Executive Mayor in terms of Section 9(1) of the Naming Policy 2012.

AANBEVELING

Daar word aanbeveel dat die naamkomitee oorweging skenk aan die uitslae van die openbaredeelnameproses en die uitvoerende burgemeester ingevolge artikel 9(1) van die Naambeleid, 2012, van raad bedien.

ISINDULULO

Kundululwe ukuba iKomiti engokuthiywa kwamagama mayithathele ingqalelo iziphumo zenkqubo engentatho-nxaxheba yoluntu kwaye icebise uSodolophu weSigqeba, ngokungqinelana necandelo-9(1) loMgaqo-nkqubo wokuThiywa kwamagama, wango-2012.

8. DISCUSSION/CONTENTS

On 17 November 2014 Councillor Theresa Uys submitted a motion to Subcouncil 7 for the renaming of Voortrekkerweg, Durbanville, to Pampoenkraal Lane/Laan. This was unanimously supported by the Subcouncil vide resolution 07SUB 32/11/14.

The Pampoenkraal Heritage Square conceptual design process for the upgrading of the Town Hall site at the entrance to Durbanville has been completed and the project is in implementation phase.

The site contains a rich history revolving around elements that made up the Outspan such as the feeding trough and the water fountain and it became clear that the heritage elements of the site were the main inspiration for the design concept.

To complement the project, the renaming of the 225m access road to the heritage site i.e. Voortrekker Road, has been recommended.

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The public participation period commenced on 1 October 2015 and concluded on 31 October 2015.

The participatory methodologies employed were as follows:

- 1) Regional newspaper adverts in the Weekend Argus: 26/27 September 2015 and the weekend edition of Die Burger: 26 September 2015.
- 2) Community newspaper adverts in the Northern News(Bellville/Durbanville): 1 October 2015 and the Tygerburger (Durbanville): 30 September 2015.
- 3) Ward Committee members of Ward 21 were invited to comment on the renaming proposal.
- 4) Registered community based organisations for Subcouncil 7 were invited to comment on the renaming proposal.
- 5) Invitations for comment were sent to businesses.
- 6) Invitations for comment were sent to Durbanville Heritage.
- 7) Invitations for comment were sent to the Durbanville Community Forum.
- 8) The public participation process was advertised on the City of Cape Town website.
- 9) The public participation process was advertised on the website of Subcouncil 7.
- 10) The public participation process was advertised at the offices of Subcouncil 7 and the library.
- 11) Surveys were conducted at Voortrekker Road, abutting businesses and at Mikahaja Court, the only residence in Voortrekker Road, as well as surrounding streets i.e. Church Street and Wellington Road.

The results of the public participation process is reflected in the following table.

Total participants		76
Total supports	39	52%
The renaming proposal is suitable and it has merit in terms of the history and heritage of Durbanville	22	57%
Outright support (without a motivation therefore)	11	28%
The proximity of the road to the Pampoenkraal Heritage Site supports renaming it	4	10%
The renaming proposal will ease directional confusion (for business related deliveries) as regards the other Voortrekker Road in Cape Town.	2	5%
Total objections	37	48%
Renaming streets is a fruitless, wasteful exercise and not a priority	18	49%
Will be costly to local affected businesses in Voortrekker Road	6	17%
The current name is part of Afrikaner history and heritage	5	14%
Pampoenkraal is an ugly or unsuitable name	4	10%
Outright objection (without a motivation therefore)	2	5%
Alternative renaming submissions	2	5%

Two persons submitted the following alternative renaming proposals during the public participation process, where the proposers were of the view that these would be more suitable and appropriate to replace the Pampoenkraal Lane proposal.

Sauvignon Lane/ Laan	In keeping with the wine names in Durbanville
Vintage Road	In keeping with the wine names in Durbanville
D'Urban Lane/Laan	In honor of Sir Benjamin D'Urban, Governor of the former Cape Colony 1834 -1838
Fountains Street	More in keeping with the water features which will form part of the Pampoenkraal Heritage Site and the original fountain which served as a water supply to humans, animals and the pumpkins, which lead to the naming of the area as Pampoenkraal. It is also a politically neutral renaming proposal.

8.1. Constitutional Legal and Policy Implications

8.1.1 Section 152 (1) (e) of the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa: "encourage the involvement of communities and community organisations in the matters of local government";

8.1.2 Chapter 4 Section 17 (1) (b) of the Local Government Systems Act 32 of 2000: "Participation by the local community in the affairs of the municipality must take place through - the mechanisms, processes and procedures for participation in municipal government establishment in terms of this Act"; and

8.1.3 Section 9 (ss-9.1) of Amended Naming Policy 2012: "Council must establish a Section 80 Committee (the Naming Committee) to advise the Executive Mayor on all issues relating to naming, renaming and the implementation of this policy so as to enable the Executive Mayor to make recommendations to Council".

8.2. Sustainability Implications

Does the activity in this report have any sustainability implications for the City? No Yes

8.3. Financial Implications

Financial implications are minimal as this is a short street, 225 m in distance, which runs alongside the site where the Durbanville Town Hall is situated and where the Pampoenkraal Heritage Site Upgrade Project is currently underway (3 year project).

The financial implications for the proposed new street name would entail the following:

- Painting of the name on the curbstone (x2)

According to the Department of Transport for Cape Town, Mr. Alwyn van Rooyen (Infrastructure Manager, District 2), the total cost should not exceed R 5000. This will be funded from an operating project under Repairs & Maintenance via contracted services.

Cost centre	19070047
Cost Centre Description	District: Kraaifontein
Cost Element	453050
Cost Element Description	R&M: Contracted Services Building & Infrastructure Contractors
Budget provision	R23 965 651.39
Spent to date/ committed	R4 160 700.24
Budget Available	R19 804 951.15
Funds Required	R 5 000

Financial details checked:

Directorate Finance Manager:

Print name: P. MANTHEY

Date: 26/11/2015

Signature:

Operations Budget checked

Corporate Operating Budget Office:

Date: 07/12/2015

Signature:

8.4. Legal Implications

As stated in the above-mentioned legislation said process of renaming can only be accommodated within the legal framework prescribed in above-mentioned legislation and non-compliance could lead to legal challenges by members of the community

8.5. Staff Implications

Does your report impact on staff resources, budget, grading, remuneration, allowances, designation, job description, location or your organisational structure?

No

8.6. Other Services Consulted

Dave Buerger: Manager: Capital Programmes Transport for Cape Town

ANNEXURES

Annexure A: Record of public comments

Annexure B: Letter from Mr. George Sieraha, Durbanville Community Forum

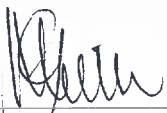
Annexure C: Article in the Northern News

Annexure D: Letter from Mr. Pierre van Vuuren, Durbanville Heritage

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NAME GERALDINE METTLER

DATE 24/11/15


COMMENT: _____

COMMISSIONER: TRANSPORT FOR CAPE TOWN

NAME MELISSA WHITEHEAD

DATE _____

COMMENT: _____




CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER (EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR: FINANCE)

NAME KEVIN JACOBY

DATE 9/12/2015

COMMENT: _____

REPORT COMPLIANT WITH THE PROVISIONS OF COUNCIL'S DELEGATIONS, POLICIES, BY-LAWS AND ALL LEGISLATION RELATING TO THE MATTER UNDER CONSIDERATION.

NON-COMPLIANT

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DATE 10/12/2015

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Based on the contents of the report.

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ACTING 17 - 31 Dec 2015

Comment:

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DATE 21 Dec 2015

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CHAIRPERSON: NAMING COMMITTEE

COMMENT:

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DATE 24/12/2015

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