PUBLIC AGENDA
NAMING ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Thursday, February 16, 2017, 10:30 a.m.
Committee Room A, Second Floor, City Hall
Members:

His Worship Mayor C. Clark, Chair
Councillor T. Davies
Councillor A. Iwanchuk
Heritage and Design Coordinator C. Kambeitz
Senior Planner P. Kotasek-Toth
Aboriginal Inclusion Consultant L. Standing

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1. CALL TO ORDER

2. CONFIRMATION OF AGENDA

Recommendation

That the agenda be confirmed as presented.

3. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

3.1 Minutes of Regular Meeting - December 15, 2016

Recommendation

That the minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Naming Advisory Committee held on December 15, 2016, be adopted.

4. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

4.1 Naming Process and Policy Review (File No. CK. 6310-1) 4 - 32

At its meeting held on December 15, 2016, the Naming Advisory Comittee expressed interest in receiving a copy of the attached report that was submitted to Council in May of 2014 and that it be added to this agenda for discussion.

Recommendation

That the information be received.

5. COMMUNICATIONS

5.1 Letter from L.P. Smith dated January 17, 2017 (File No. CK. 6310-1) 33 - 33

Recommendation

That the information be received.

6. REPORTS FROM ADMINISTRATION

6.1 Policy Review for Special Street Naming Requests (File No. CK. 6310-1) 34 - 37

Recommendation

That the Naming Advisory Committee recommend to the Standing Policy Committee on Planning, Development and Community Services that it recommend to City Council that the proposed amendments to Naming of Civic Property and Devlopment Areas Policy No. C09-008, as outlined in the report of the General Manager, Community Services Department dated February 16, 2017, be approved.

6.2 Naming Advisory Committee Report - First Quarter 2017 (File No. CK. 6310-1) 38 - 68

Recommendation

That the Naming Advisory Committee issue direction with respect to the following naming submissions and inquiry:

Former Mayor and City Councillors

- Atchison
- Olauson
- Paulsen

General Naming Requests

- Bachman
- Rathie
- Kerr - currently on Names Master List

Specific Naming Request

- Donald C. Kerr

Ms. Peggy Sarjeant will be present to speak to 'Kerr' applications.

7. IN CAMERA SESSION (OPTIONAL)

[In Camera - Personal Information - Consulations/Deliberations - Sections 16(1)(b) and 28 - LAFOIPP]

8. ADJOURNMENT

The following is a copy of **Clause 4, Report No. 7-2014** of the **Executive Committee**, which was **DEALT WITH AS STATED** by City Council at its meeting held on **May 5, 2014**:

4. Naming Process and Policy Review
(File No. CK. 6310-1)

RECOMMENDATION: that Policy C09-008, Naming of Civic Property and Development Areas be amended, as outlined in the report of the General Manager, Community Services Department, dated February 11, 2014.

Your Committee has considered and concurs with proposed amendments to the Naming of Civic Property and Development Areas policy, as outlined in the following report of the General Manager, Community Services Department dated February 11, 2014:

'**TOPIC AND PURPOSE**

This report proposes a number of minor policy amendments to Naming of Civic Property and Development Areas Policy No. C09-008 (Naming Policy) and other non-policy measures. This will address concerns raised by the Naming Advisory Committee (NAC) and City Council with the current policy and process.

REPORT HIGHLIGHTS

1. The Naming Policy, in its current form, was established in 2002, and was updated in 2008.
2. The current naming process requires that all names be screened by the NAC and approved by City Council. The only variation in the process is how names are assigned – sometimes by the Mayor and sometimes by City Council.
3. The Administration researched naming policies and processes from a number of Canadian municipalities. There are no clear best practices, but some relevant clauses have been adapted for inclusion in the City of Saskatoon's (City) Naming Policy.
4. The Administration has undertaken a policy review and is proposing process improvements and amendments to the Naming Policy, to address concerns brought forward by the NAC and Executive Committee, as well as a number of minor housekeeping/clarity issues.
5. The Administration will develop a communication plan to renew the public perception/awareness of the naming program and to encourage more inclusion and a greater diversity of names.

STRATEGIC GOAL

This report supports the Strategic Goal of Continuous Improvement by exploring process improvements and proposing policy amendments for better managing naming applications.

BACKGROUND

The Naming Policy was originally established in 1991, and significant amendments in 2002 gave the policy and process its current form. Attachment 1 contains a summary of the amendments.

During its September 9, 2013 meeting, City Council considered a report from the NAC where City Council resolved, in part, that the Administration undertake a review of the Naming Policy and submit a report.

REPORT

Current Naming Process – Summary

There are three different ways names can be applied to municipally owned or controlled facilities. Attachment 2 contains an explanation and diagrams that illustrate the process for each: 1a) and 1b) general naming; 2) specific naming; and 3) renaming.

In all of these cases, all naming submissions must be screened by the NAC as to whether the names satisfy the criteria in the Naming Policy. All names must then be approved by City Council.

The primary difference between the above cases is that for general naming the Mayor selects the name from the City Council approved Names Master List to be assigned to a particular street or facility, whereas for specific naming and renaming applications, City Council both approves the name and assigns it to a particular street or facility.

Best Practices Review

The Administration has undertaken a review of several other cities' naming policies/processes (see Attachment 3). There is no clear best practice, as each municipality's naming policy and process is unique.

Policy/Process Review

The Administration has undertaken a review of the Naming Policy, and has proposed a number of policy amendments and changes in process that are intended to address concerns raised by the NAC and Executive Committee. Attachment 4 contains the proposed changes. Additionally, a number of "housekeeping" policy amendments are proposed by the Administration to improve clarity, consistency with current process, and administrative process. The following is an overview of the elements of the Naming Policy that were reviewed and the proposed amendments.

1. Composition of NAC and Committee Review Process

The NAC indicated general support for the current composition and the overall process for the screening of names.

A. The Administration considered the NAC's suggestion that all name screenings could be forwarded to Executive Committee for information. The Administration considered this, but is not recommending this approach since it risks burdening Executive Committee with operational details and would duplicate the function of the NAC.

Instead, the Administration has implemented a change in the NAC meeting agenda circulation process that will address the notification of City Councillors (see Communication Plan section).

B. A clause was added to the Naming Policy [Section 3.2 e) i)], which clarifies that the deliberation portion of NAC meetings may be held In Camera, at the discretion of the chair, but that the decisions rendered by the NAC are public. This ensures a transparent process while also addressing the sensitivity around discussing the merit of a naming application in public.

2. How Names are Assigned

Names are currently assigned either by the Mayor or City Council depending on the circumstances (see Attachment 3). The NAC expressed support for the status quo. The Administration is therefore not proposing any changes to the process for assigning names.

3. Role of Developers

The process for applying to add a name or names to the Names Master List is the same for individual members of the public as it is for developers. All names must be screened and approved by both the NAC and City Council before being added to the Names Master List. Once a name is on the Names Master List, it can be applied to a street, park, etc. upon request.

Developers are primarily responsible for requesting names to be assigned to streets and other features because they are responsible for the subdivision of land and the creation of new streets, parks, etc.

The Administration is not proposing any amendments to impose restrictions on developers' ability to apply for names. The Administration will work with developers to encourage the use of names that are already on the Names Master List rather than submitting specific requests for new names to be added. This will help ensure that names already on the list and those submitted by the general public are assigned in a more timely fashion.

4. Housekeeping and Process Clarification/Improvement

The following minor policy amendments are proposed to improve clarity and refine the current process:

A. Reuse of Names (Section 3.9) - When a name is removed from a street, park, or other facility due to renaming or decommissioning, the name will be returned to the Unassigned Names category of the Names Master List and flagged "high priority for reuse".

B. Extension of Streets [Section 3.3 b) xii) and xiii)] – This will allow for the Administration to assign names for straightforward street extensions rather than requiring the Mayor's approval.

C. Naming Contests (Section 3.8) – This will sanction contests to name municipally-owned or operated facilities at the discretion of the NAC and City Council. Any naming contests and rules must be consistent with the intent of The Naming Policy.

D. Preferential Treatment [Section 3.3 b) xi)] – This clarifies that no naming will result in, or be perceived to give, any benefit or preferential treatment to the named party.

E. Naming of Facilities Within a Park (Section 2.6) – Naming of sports fields, off-leash recreation areas, or other amenities within parks are excluded from the application of the Naming Policy. The naming of such park amenities will be at the discretion of the responsible division(s).

F. "Housekeeping" (Sections 2.2 and 4.5) – These minor changes are to ensure consistency with the recent corporate re-alignment, to recognize the role of the City Clerk's Office in the naming process, and to clarify that all screened/approved names should be included on the Names Master List and be categorized as Assigned Names or Unassigned Names.

5. Names Master List Clean-up

The NAC identified a concern with the overall number of names on the Names Master List, as well as the number of duplicates. The Administration will review this list and report back in due course with recommendations to address the number and duplication of names.

OPTIONS TO THE RECOMMENDATION

The Administration has considered a number of options to the recommended policy amendments outlined in the report. If any of these options are selected, the Administration recommends that no amendments be approved at this time so that amendments to the Naming Policy can be considered comprehensively and reported on in due course.

1. Committee Composition

The option exists to change the composition of the NAC. The Administration reviewed the composition of naming committees from other municipalities, as well as other City advisory committees in consideration of this matter.

If this option is chosen, the Administration recommends that the NAC be primarily composed of members of the public with one City Council representative (similar to the Municipal Planning Commission). This committee composition would lead to increased public involvement, and reduced political involvement in the naming process. It would also eliminate Administration's role on the NAC as voting representatives, though the Administration would still provide technical support. Including the public on the NAC may improve the level of diversity/inclusion on the Names Master List and in the naming process. A drawback of this approach is that sensitive discussions around the merit of names would likely need to occur in public.

2. How Names are Assigned

The option exists to change how names are assigned to streets and other facilities. The Administration reviewed the following alternatives for who is responsible for assigning names:

a) Mayor plus Ward Councillor(s) of the affected area;
b) the Administration only; or
c) NAC.

While some of the above options may result in a moderate improvement in the transparency of the process, the Administration does not support them for a number of reasons. In all cases, it would add complexity to the decision making process. Assigning names is often time sensitive and all of the above options increase the possibility of delay. They would also increase the demands on administrative resources. For options b) and c), additional policy guidance would need to be developed to ensure names are assigned appropriately.

If this option is chosen, a more comprehensive review of the Naming Policy would be necessary to ensure that appropriate criteria are developed to guide the assigning of names.

3. Role of Developers

The option exists to impose greater restrictions on the role of developers in the assigning of names in new developments. One option explored by the Administration would be to restrict developers to applying for specific names for only certain parts of neighbourhoods, such as the overall

neighbourhood name and key street/park names. In this option, all other names would need to come from the Names Master List.

This option is not recommended since it would rule out the ability of developers to suggest innovative names or propose themes for the areas they are responsible for developing and marketing. The Administration proposes to work with developers to achieve the same result on a voluntary basis, while still allowing flexibility. If the voluntary approach is not successful, this policy option could be re-evaluated at a later time.

POLICY IMPLICATIONS

If the NAC recommends and City Council adopts the above noted recommendations, the Naming Policy will be amended.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

No financial implications have been identified as a result of this report or adoption of its recommendations. The public communication plan may incur nominal costs which will be covered by the naming program operating budget.

PUBLIC AND/OR STAKEHOLDER INVOLVEMENT

The NAC has been consulted on the proposed policy. The NAC's feedback has been incorporated into the Naming Policy amendments and process improvements identified in this report. As per the direction of the NAC, this report will be presented to the Developers Liaison Committee (DLC) for its feedback prior to this report being sent to City Council for approval. If the DLC does not support the proposed policy amendments, the NAC will be consulted prior to the report proceeding to City Council.

COMMUNICATION PLAN

Public
The Administration will develop a communications strategy to encourage more diverse and inclusive involvement in the naming program, as well as renew the existing communication and application materials.

City Council
To ensure that City Councillors are made aware of all forthcoming naming applications and other naming issues before they reach City Council, the City Clerk's Office will now forward all City Councillors a copy of the NAC agenda prior to each meeting.

DUE DATE FOR FOLLOW-UP AND/OR PROJECT COMPLETION

If the recommendations of this report are adopted by City Council, the Naming Policy amendments will be in place and the Administration will proceed with implementation of any process changes.

If the recommendations are not recommended or adopted and/or if any of the alternative options are selected instead, the timeframe will depend on the level of additional review required based on the direction of the NAC and City Council.

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPLICATIONS

No environmental and/or greenhouse gas implications have been identified at this time.

PRIVACY IMPACT

There are no privacy implications.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public Notice pursuant to Section 3 of Policy No. C01-021, Public Notice Policy, is not required.

ATTACHMENTS

1. Amendments to Naming Policy from 2002-2008
2. Current Naming Process
3. Naming Process Best Practices Review
4. City of Saskatoon Council Policy No. C09-008'

IT WAS RESOLVED: 1) *that the Administration report back on developing the appropriate criteria for assigning names;*

2) *that the Administration report back with alternative options for populating the Names Master List in order to improve the diversity of the options on that list; and*

3) *that Housekeeping and Process Clarification/ Improvement Policy Amendments outlined in this report and identified as items 4A through F be approved.*

Amendments to Naming Policy from 2002 to 2008

The following is a summary of the changes from 2002 to 2008.

A. Major policy elements established in 2002 included:
   1) creation of the Naming Advisory Committee (NAC) to screen names with membership comprised of:
      a) six members from the Administration;
      b) two City Councillors; and
      c) three members of the general public.
   2) creation of a Pre-Approved Names Master List;
   3) assignment of responsibility to the NAC for receiving and reviewing request to rename existing streets and civic property; and
   4) incorporation of provisions to complement Sponsorship Policy No. C09-028.

B. Policy amendments in 2005 included:
   1) reduction of the size of the NAC from twelve (12) members to six (6) and a change in the composition. The new committee membership comprised of:
      a) the Mayor;
      b) two City Councillors (appointed by City Council); and
      c) three members from the Administration.
   2) City Councillors' appointment to the NAC changed to a one-year term, instead of the previous two-year term.

C. Policy amendments in 2008 included:
   1) addition of a description of four categories of "outstanding contributions", which provided guidelines regarding the names that merit nomination and selection;
   2) clarification that, where the name of a person is being used for the naming of streets, suburban development areas, and neighbourhoods, surnames alone are to be used;
   3) clarification that names are to be removed from the Names Master List once they have been used, except in the case of former elected officials of the City of Saskatoon;
   4) addressing the use of duplicate surnames for former City-elected officials and other officials; and
   5) other housekeeping items to address inconsistencies and clarify process.

Current Naming Process

Overview:

A. All naming submissions are screened by the Naming Advisory Committee (NAC) according to the guidelines of the Naming of Civic Property and Development Areas Policy No. C09-008.

B. If a proposed name meets Naming of Civic Property and Development Areas Policy No. C09-008 guidelines and has sufficient merit, the NAC forwards its recommendation to City Council to add the name to the Names Master List or to name/rename specific assets.

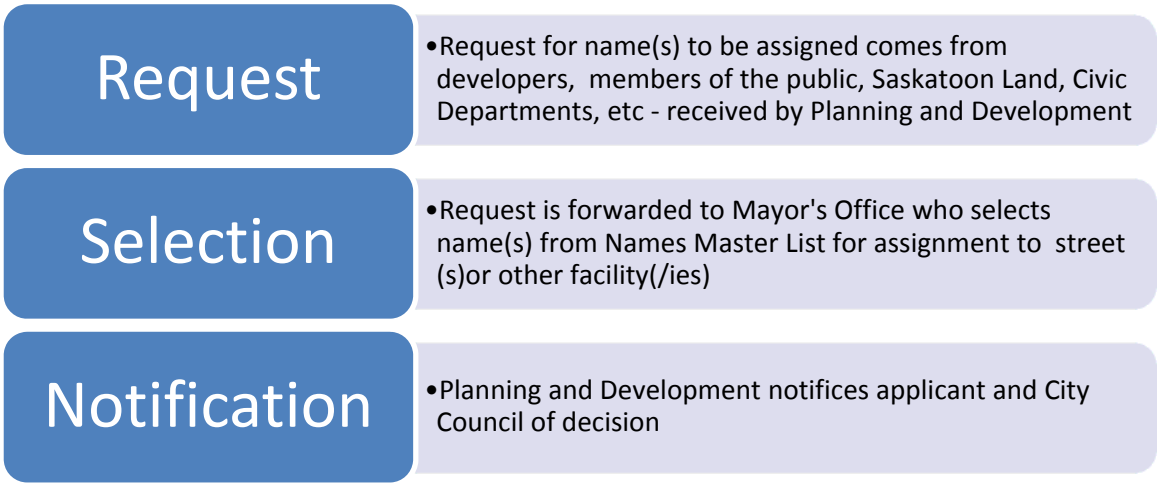
C. City Council approves or denies the NAC's recommendations for names to be added to the Names Master List or, in the case of naming/renaming specific assets, to assign the name to a street or facility.

D. After a name is approved to be on the Names Master List, it can be selected by His Worship the Mayor to be applied to a roadway or other asset. Selections usually occur as new neighbourhoods are developed and developers submit requests for specific names, or will ask His Worship the Mayor to select appropriate names from the Names Master List. At this stage, the selected name then undergoes a technical review to ensure there are no significant issues before it is applied to a street or asset.

Naming Application Types:

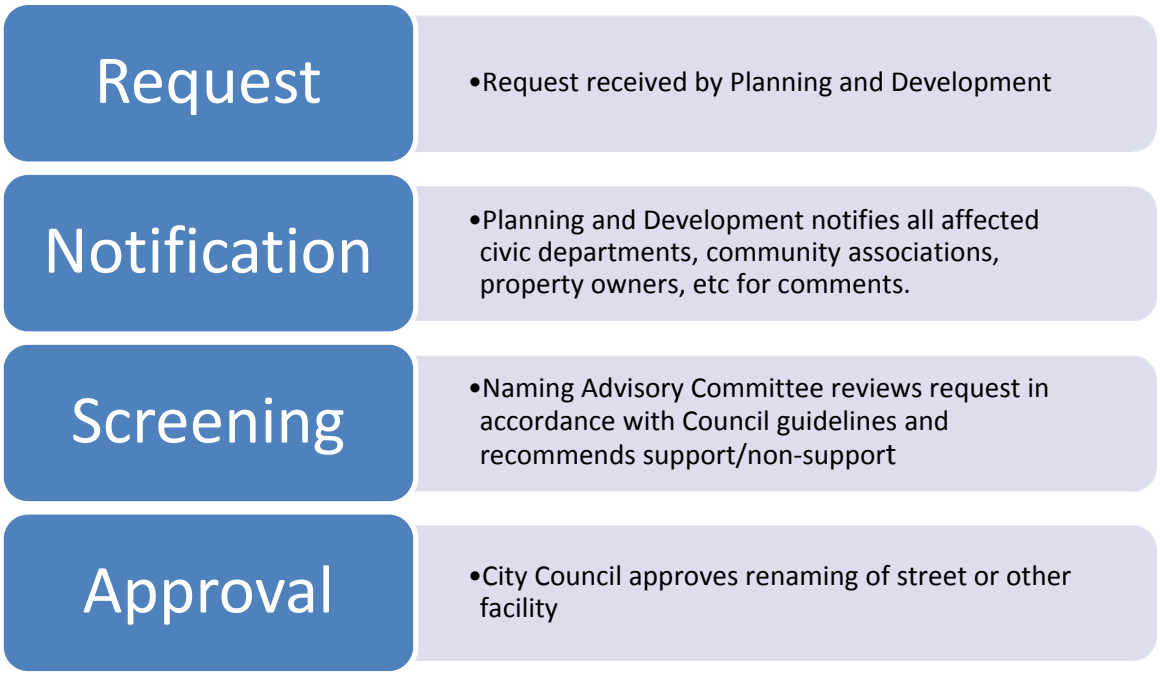
A. General Naming Requests:
   1) requests for names to be added to the Names Master List;

2) request for names from the Names Master List to be assigned to civic-controlled property;



B. Specific naming requests to be assigned directly (name is not yet on the Names Master List); and

C. Renaming requests.



Municipality	Naming Submissions Screened by:	Screening Committee Composition:	Role of City Council:	Names Applied by:
Saskatoon	Naming Advisory Committee (Advisory committee to City Council)	• Mayor • Two (2) City Councillors • Three (3) representatives of Administration	• Approves all additions to Names Master List (NML) • Approves some specific naming and all renaming requests • Approves all policy amendments	• Mayor – for general and specific requests where a name is already found on the NML • City Council – for specific naming requests where the name is not already found on the NML and for all renaming requests
Edmonton	Naming Committee (Council Committee)	• One (1) member of the Edmonton Historical Board • Six (6) Citizens at large	• Only approves amendments to the Naming Committee Bylaw and the 'Naming of Development Areas, Parks, Municipal Facilities, Roads and Honorary Roads' policy	• Naming Committee – applies all names
Calgary	Municipal Names Committee (Advisory Committee to City Council)	• Six (6) representatives of Administration	• Approves all recommendations for naming of municipally-owned facilities	• City Council – applies all names
Regina	Civic Naming Committee (Administrative Committee)	• Six (6) representatives of Administration	• Approves park and street renaming	• Civic Naming Committee – applies street and park names • City Council – renaming only
Winnipeg	Community Committees (Council Committee – Each committee is made up of Councillors in specific geographical areas)	• Three (3) Councillors on each Committee • There are five (5) Community Committees	• Approves street renaming and honorary street naming	• Community Committee – applies all street and park names that are located within their geographical boundary and adds names to their reserve list • City Council – applies renaming and honorary names • Mayor – applies honorary names

Municipality	Naming Submissions Screened by...:	Screening Committee Composition:	Role of City Council:	Names Applied by:
Halifax	Not really a committee. Names are screened by members of specific departments and a Councillor where the asset being named is located	• Two (2) representatives of Administration • One (1) Councillor	• Approves the placement of all asset names (administrative and commemorative) with the exception of street names that are already on the pre-approved naming list	• Regional Council - applies all asset names with the exception of street names which are applied by the Administration from a pre-approved list of names (both administrative and commemorative) • Administrative names list includes names that have already been applied or are based on a locational reference to a community. • Commemorative names list includes people, group of people, historical events, topographic features and native flora and fauna.
Toronto	Not really a committee. Names are screened by the head of specific divisions, a Councillor and the community association where the asset being named is located	• Honourific names: One (1) representative of Administration, One (1) Councillor and the community association where the asset being named is located. • Naming/renaming of streets: Five (5) members of Administration, One (1) Councillor (depending on location of street), and the preservation panel.	• Only approves names when it is brought forward by a Community Council.	• Names for new streets/lanes are applied administratively as long as Police Services, Fire Services, Emergency Medical Services, Preservation Panel and Community Councillor agree on name. • Community Council – approves all renaming.

Municipality	Naming Submissions Screened by...:	Screening Committee Composition:	Role of City Council:	Names Applied by:
Ottawa	For Street names the Director of Building Code Services Branch screens names. For Parks and facilities the Commemorative Naming Committee is responsible for the screening of names.	• City Clerk and Solicitor (or designate) • Chief Building Official (or designate) • General Manager, Parks, Recreation and Culture (or designate) • General Manager, Public Works (or designate) • Mayor (or designate) • Ward Councillor (or designate)	• Approves all commemorative names for parks and facilities	• The Director of Building Code Services Branch is responsible for the application of commemorative street names. • City Council - applies all commemorative names for parks and facilities.
Vancouver	Civic Asset Naming Committee	• One (1) representative from the Vancouver Historical Society • One (1) representative from the Vancouver Public Spaces Network • Three (3) members of public residing in Vancouver • Two (2) representatives of the Multicultural Advisory Committee • Two (2) representatives of the Urban Aboriginal Peoples' Advisory Committee	• Approves naming on all civic assets excluding parks and library assets.	• City Council - applies all names on civic assets excluding parks and library assets.

CITY OF SASKATOON COUNCIL POLICY

NUMBER
C09-008

POLICY TITLE	ADOPTED BY:	EFFECTIVE DATE
Naming of Civic Property and Development Areas	*City Council*	*November 18, 1991*
		UPDATED TO *~~May 20th~~, ~~2008~~(TBD)*
ORIGIN/AUTHORITY *Planning and Development Committee Report No. 33-1991; Planning and Operations Committee Report No. 17-2000; and Administrative Reports No. 9-2002; 1-2005; ~~and~~ 10-2008; and (TBD)*	**CITY FILE NO.** *CK. 500-1 & 6310-1 and PL. 4001-5*	**PAGE NUMBER** *1 of ~~8~~10*

1. PURPOSE

To ensure proper screening of suggested names and consistency with Council naming guidelines, and to avoid duplication in the naming of municipally-owned or controlled facilities, streets, suburban development areas, neighbourhoods, and parks.

2. DEFINITIONS

2.1 Municipally-owned or Controlled Facility - any building, or structure owned by or under the direction and control of the City, including bridges, civic buildings, firehalls, substations, etc. The naming of halls, rooms, or other facilities within a municipally-owned or controlled facility, and libraries are excluded from this policy.

2.2 Names Master List – a master list, kept in the Mayor's Office, containing all screened and approved name suggestions for naming municipally-owned or controlled facilities, streets, suburban development areas, neighbourhoods, and parks. The Names Master List is divided into two categories: Assigned Names and Unassigned Names.

2.3 Neighbourhood - for purposes of this policy, a neighbourhood is any residential development area recognized by the City of Saskatoon Development Plan as a neighbourhood, or a residential section having distinguishing characteristics.

2.4 Suburban Development Area - an area consisting of multiple neighbourhoods and includes housing and related facilities for approximately 50,000 persons.

2.5 Street - for the purpose of this policy, a street is any roadway (excluding laneways and unimproved right-of-ways) under the direction and control of the City of Saskatoon.

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2.6 Park - for the purpose of this policy, a park is any area owned or controlled by the City for which the primary uses are the provision of leisure services and beautification of the community. Small pieces of City land not suitable for Park development are excluded from this policy. The naming of sports fields, Off Leash Recreational Areas, or other amenities within a park are excluded from this policy. This policy does apply to municipally-owned or controlled facilities located in a park.

3. POLICY

Suburban Development Areas, Neighbourhoods, Streets, Parks and major municipally-owned or controlled facilities, shall be named. Names are to be chosen from a pre-screened Names Master List.

3.1 Names Master List

a) A Names Master List for naming municipally-owned or controlled facilities (excluding libraries), streets, suburban development areas, neighbourhoods and parks, shall be created by the Naming Advisory Committee and approved by City Council. Libraries will be named by the Board of the Saskatoon Public Library.

b) The Names Master List shall be kept in the Mayor's Office.

3.2 Naming Advisory Committee

a) A Naming Advisory Committee shall be formed to review and screen all suggestions and requests for naming municipally-owned or controlled facilities, streets, suburban development areas, neighbourhoods and parks.

b) The Naming Advisory Committee shall be comprised of the following members:

i. The Mayor.
ii. Two (2) City Councillors (appointed by City Council).
iii. Three (3) members from the Administration.

c) The two City Councillors shall be appointed to serve on the Naming Advisory Committee for a one (1) year term.

d) The Naming Advisory Committee shall appoint a chair and shall meet at the call of the Chair.

e) The Naming Advisory Committee shall screen all requests and suggestions for naming, or renaming, municipally-owned or controlled facilities, streets, suburban development areas, neighbourhoods and parks to ensure that each suggestion or request meets the Council Guidelines for naming as set out in 3.3 below.

i) Deliberations regarding the screening of names may be carried out In-Camera at the discretion of the Chair; however the outcome of all Naming Advisory Committee recommendations regarding name screening shall be public information.

f) The Naming Advisory Committee shall report to Council as new requests and suggestions are screened and recommended for approval and addition to the Names Master List.

g) The Naming Advisory Committee may also report and recommend to Council on any other matter related to this policy.

3.3 Guidelines

a) The screening of new name submissions for the naming or renaming of municipally-owned or controlled facilities, streets, suburban development areas, neighbourhoods and parks, shall be done in consideration of, but not limited to, the following criteria:

i) Outstanding contribution by any individual from the public at large, in any of the following ways:

- A person who has demonstrated excellence, courage, or exceptional dedication to service in ways that bring special credit to the City of Saskatoon, Province of Saskatchewan, or Canada;

- A person who has volunteered significant amounts of time, effort, and/or resources to support community services or humanitarian causes;

- A person who has risked his or her life to save or protect others; and

- A person who has achieved a deed or activity performed in an outstanding professional manner or of an uncommonly high standard that brings considerable benefit to the City of Saskatoon, Province of Saskatchewan, or Canada.

ii) Former Department Heads, City Managers, Fire Chiefs, or elected officials of the City of Saskatoon;

iii) Historical names celebrating an historic event or figure;

iv) Names which recognize the flora and fauna of the local area or the geographical or topographical feature of the local area; and

v) The name of a person or a name other than a person may be added to the Names Master List when unique or extenuating circumstances warrant.

b) The naming or renaming of municipally-owned or controlled facilities, streets, suburban development areas, neighbourhoods, and parks, shall be done in consideration of, but not limited to, the following guidelines:

i) Ease of identification and avoidance of confusion for the public;

ii) Consistency in the theme of an area;

iii) Purpose of facility and logical connection to the name;

iv) The suffix 'Street' will be reserved for streets that are aligned east to west, and the suffix 'Avenue' will be reserved for streets that are aligned north to south;

v) Surnames alone will be used for the naming of streets, urban development areas, and neighbourhoods;

vi) The surname alone will be used for the naming of municipally-owned or controlled facilities and parks, except in the case of former elected officials of the City of Saskatoon, where given name(s) and surname together may be used;

vii) For the naming of fire halls, any former Fire Chief of the City of Saskatoon, serving a minimum of five (5) years;

viii) For the naming of electrical substations, any former Electrical Distribution Department Head;

ix) An external party may become a title sponsor (namesake) of a future or existing facility in recognition for its funds, goods, and service support, as set out in Council Policy C09-028, "Sponsorship"; ~~and~~

x) When a name has been applied, it will be removed from the Names Master List and placed in the City's naming records, except in the case of former elected officials of the City of Saskatoon, where the name will be retained in an Appendix to the Names Master List;~~.~~

xi) The naming must not result in, or be perceived to confer, any competitive advantage, benefit or preferential treatment to the named party;

xii) Names applied to extensions of streets should normally be the same as the existing street that is being extended; and

xiii) The name of an extension of an existing street may be applied administratively where the name being applied is the same as the name of the existing street.

3.3.1 Duplicate Surnames

a) Subject to the approval of City Council as provided in this policy, where a name submission duplicates a surname that is on the Names Master List or that has been used for naming or renaming:

i) in the case of an individual who is not a former elected official of the City of Saskatoon, the individual's history will be acknowledged in the Names Master List without creating a new record or in the City's naming records, as appropriate; and

ii) in the case of an individual who is a former elected official of the City of Saskatoon, the name will be added to the Names Master List and given name(s) and surname may be applied together to a municipally-owned or controlled facility, suburban development area, neighbourhood, or park.

3.4 Suggestions for Adding to Names Master List

a) All suggestions for adding names to the Names Master List for naming of municipally-owned or controlled facilities, streets, suburban development areas, neighbourhoods and parks shall be submitted to the Community Services Department, Planning & Development Division.

b) All suggestions will be screened by the Naming Advisory Committee and forwarded to City Council for approval.

3.5 Requests for Naming Specific Municipally-Controlled Property

a) All requests for a name to be applied to a specific municipally-owned or controlled facility, street, suburban development area, neighbourhood or park shall be submitted to the Community Services Department, Planning & Development Division.

b) The Naming Advisory Committee will screen all requests for naming a specific municipally-controlled property and forward a recommendation to Council for approval.

3.6 Requests for Re-Naming a Specific Civic-Controlled Property

a) All requests for the specific renaming of municipally-owned or controlled facilities, streets, suburban development areas, neighbourhoods or parks shall be submitted to the Community Services Department, Planning & Development Division.

b) The Community Services Department, Planning & Development Division shall notify all property owners, civic departments, agencies, community associations, etc. who may be affected by the proposed renaming and gather comments.

c) The Naming Advisory Committee will screen all requests for re-naming any municipally-controlled property and forward a recommendation to Council for approval.

d) The City of Saskatoon will not provide compensation for any third party costs associated with a name change.

3.7 Selection of Names from Names Master List

a) Upon request from the Community Services Department, the Mayor will select the appropriate name for each municipally-owned or controlled facility, street, suburban development area, neighbourhood or park from the Names Master List.

b) Upon selection of name(s) by the Mayor, the Community Services Department will forward a brief report to City Council noting the selection(s) for Council's information.

3.8 Naming Contests

a) Any naming contests to name a municipally-owned or controlled facility, street, suburban development area, neighbourhood or park shall be consistent with the intent of this policy.

b) Naming contest rules will be approved by the Naming Advisory Committee and City Council.

3.9 Re-use of Names

a) Names from renamed or decommissioned municipally-owned or controlled facilities, streets, and parks will be transferred to the Unassigned Names category of the Names Master List and flagged with a high priority for re-use.

b) In the case of reused street names, a note will be included within the Names Master List that the same suffix cannot be re-used to avoid any confusion.

4. RESPONSIBILITIES

4.1 City Council

a) Approves all names to be included on the Names Master List for naming municipally-owned or controlled facilities, streets, suburban development areas, neighbourhoods and parks.

b) Receives and approves all requests for naming, or renaming, specific municipally-owned or controlled facilities, streets, suburban development areas, neighbourhoods or parks.

4.2 Office of the Mayor

a) Selects names for municipally-owned or controlled facilities, streets, suburban development areas, neighbourhoods and parks upon request from the Community Services Department.

b) Keeps the Names Master List on file for use when appropriate.

c) Notifies the nominator and/or family when a name is selected for use.

4.3 Naming Advisory Committee

a) Recommends amendments to this policy to City Council.

b) Screens all suggestions for adding new names to the Names Master List, naming a specific municipally-controlled property and renaming of any municipally-controlled property and recommends support or non-support of suggestion to City Council.

4.4 Community Services Department – Planning & Development Division

a) Receives all suggestions and requests for naming or renaming of any municipally-owned or controlled facilities, streets, suburban development areas, neighbourhoods or parks.

b) Forwards all suggestions and requests for naming or renaming to the Naming Advisory Committee for screening and recommendation.

c) Notifies applicants of the opportunity to be heard by the Naming Advisory Committee.

~~d) Prepares reports to City Council on behalf of the Naming Advisory Committee recommending that new names be added to the Names Master List, and the naming, or renaming, of specific municipally-owned or controlled facilities, streets, suburban development areas, neighbourhoods or parks.~~

de) Prepares information reports to Council upon selection of names from the Names Master List by the Mayor.

e~~f~~) Notifies all affected property owners, neighbourhood associations or any other organization where a re-naming of a municipally-owned or controlled facility, street, suburban development area, neighbourhood or park is proposed.

f~~g~~) Performs all related administrative duties associated with the effective administration of this policy.

g) Applies street names to street extensions when permitted by this policy.

CITY OF SASKATOON COUNCIL POLICY

NUMBER
C09-008

POLICY TITLE	EFFECTIVE DATE	UPDATED TO	PAGE NUMBER
Naming of Civic Property and Development Areas	*November 18, 1991*	*May 20, 2008*	*10 of ~~9~~10*

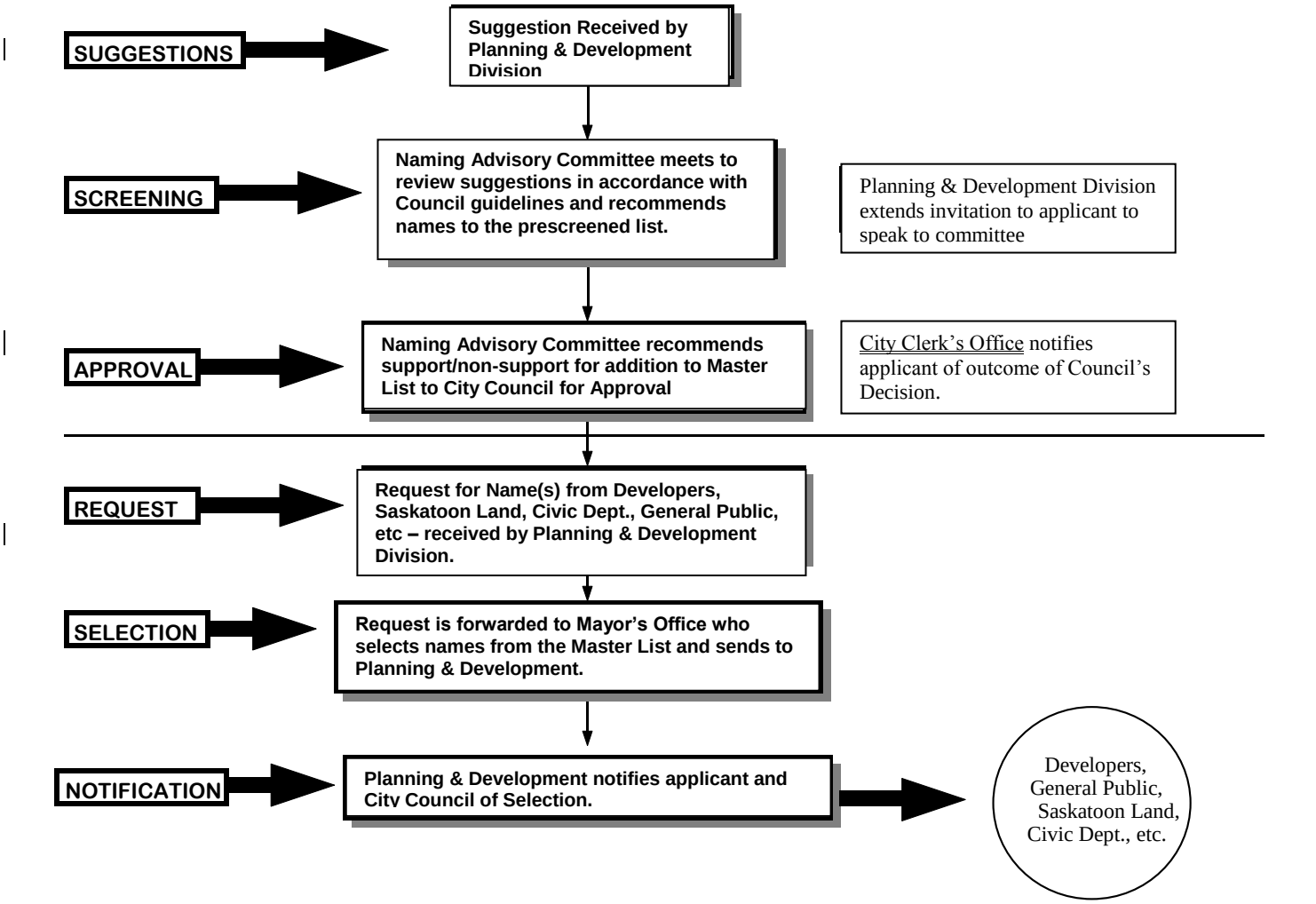
4.5 City Clerks Office

a) Prepares reports to City Council on behalf of the Naming Advisory Committee recommending that new names be added to the Names Master List, and the naming, or renaming, of specific municipally-owned or controlled facilities, streets, suburban development areas, neighbourhoods or parks.

CITY OF SASKATOON COUNCIL POLICY C09-008

NAMING OF CIVIC PROPERTY AND DEVELOPMENT AREAS

PROCEDURE FOR HANDLING NAME SUGGESTIONS FOR PLACEMENT ON MASTER LIST



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NAMING OF CIVIC PROPERTY AND DEVELOPMENT AREAS

PROCEDURE FOR HANDLING NAMING REQUESTS FOR SPECIFIC CIVIC-CONTROLLED PROPERTY

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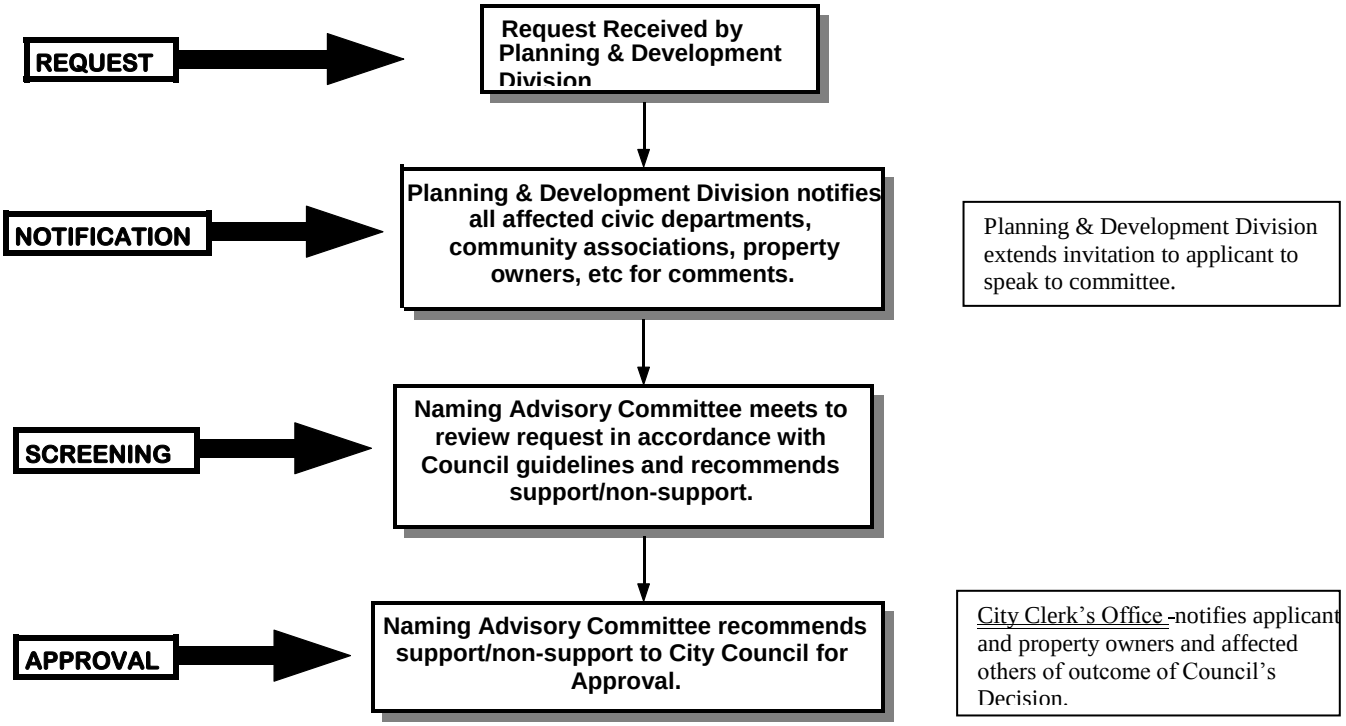

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To: The Saskatoon Street-Naming Committee:

When searching for worthy candidates to honor with street-naming, please consider the large pool of people, who, in their respective years, were celebrated as Saskatoon's "Citizen of the year." Each of these citizens was so named for their outstanding contributions to the quality of life in this city. Although some of these worthy citizens have already been honored with street name designations, many more could be so recognized for their noteworthy achievements.

Respectfully submitted
L.P. Smith

Policy Review for Special Street Naming Requests

Recommendation

That the report of the General Manager, Community Services Department, be submitted to the Standing Policy Committee on Planning, Development and Community Services to recommend to City Council that the proposed amendments to Naming of Civic Property and Development Areas Policy No. C09-008, as outlined in this report, be approved.

Topic and Purpose

The purpose of this report is to consider amending Naming of Civic Property and Development Areas Policy No. C09-008 to include a process for special street naming requests.

Report Highlights

1. Special street naming involves assigning a name to an existing roadway that is symbolic and does not replace the legal street name.
2. A review of the practice of special or temporary street naming in other Canadian municipalities was undertaken.
3. Special street naming differs from standard street renaming in that the legal requirements and costs of a formal renaming are eliminated.
4. Special street naming requests can be integrated into existing Naming of Civic Property and Development Areas Policy No. C09-008 (Naming Policy).

Strategic Goal

This report supports the City of Saskatoon's (City) Strategic Goal of Quality of Life by including policy options to address special street naming requests. Special street naming requests can contribute to creating a sense of identity and culture for the City and community.

Background

During its March 21, 2016 meeting, City Council considered a request for temporary street renaming and street signage for the 200 Block of Avenue M South, on behalf of St. George's Cathedral and Musee Ukraina Museum, and resolved:

> "1. That the request to temporarily rename the 200 block of Avenue M as "Sister Theodosia Lane" from April 15, 2016 to August 31, 2016 and to have honourary street signs placed above the Avenue M block face signs on both the north and south sides of the 200 block of Avenue M, with the name "Sister Theodosia Lane", from April 10, 2016 to August 31, 2016, be approved and that the costs of installation and removal of the signs be apportioned to the applicants; and

2. That the Administration look into setting a policy for future special street naming requests for report back to the Committee and that the matter be referred to the Naming Advisory Committee as well."

Furthermore, during its August 18, 2016 meeting, City Council resolved:

> "That the request to have the honourary signage for Sister Theodosia Lane on the 200 Block of Avenue M South remain in place on a permanent basis be approved."

Report

"Special" Street Naming

Special street naming involves assigning a name to an existing roadway that is symbolic and does not replace the legal street name. It may include temporarily or permanently providing street signage alongside the legal street signs. The assignment of a special street name to all or a portion of a street does not change the official name of the street for any purposes. Assigning a special name to a street requires consideration of the impact of multiple signs on the street, the broader street network, and the public realm to ensure that signage is not confusing to the public.

Relevant Policies in Other Jurisdictions

A review of "special" or "temporary" roadway naming procedures in other cities has been undertaken and summarized below. Four Canadian municipalities that address this situation specifically are as follows:

1. Edmonton – Honourary road name applications are considered on a long-standing (permanent) basis. The honourary name does not change the legal name of the roadway.
2. Calgary – Dual naming of roadways is not permitted, with two exceptions:
   a) "naming for the purpose of historical integrity," i.e. 4th Street SW, formerly Broadway; and
   b) "naming for the purpose of recognition of international/national event or activity," i.e. Olympic Way to recognize the 1988 Winter Olympics held in Calgary.

   A dual name does not change the legal name of the roadway.
3. Winnipeg – Applicants, including the Mayor, may apply to include honourary names to roadways. The application includes a fee, and the suggestion should comply with the general guidelines for street naming. An honourary name does not change the legal name of the roadway and is assigned for five years from the date of the installation.
4. Toronto – A ceremonial name may be assigned to a roadway. Ceremonial street naming will be considered prior to renaming a street. All costs involved will be the responsibility of the applicant. Ceremonial street naming does not change the legal name of the roadway.

While the four cities varied in their level of regulation for special street names, all recognized a potential use or benefit. A special street name provides the opportunity for a symbolic gesture to honour a significant individual, event, or organization without the full cost of a legal street name change.

Comparison between Special Street Naming and Renaming

Special street naming provides a secondary name to a roadway without removing the existing legal name. As such, the legal requirements to change the name, for both the municipality and for residents and businesses on the street, is removed. The time and cost to officially rename the roadway is saved. No addresses using the special street name may be assigned, and existing addresses are not altered by the assignment of a special street name, thus, saving residents of the street time and expense. Nevertheless, special street naming impacts the public, residents, business owners, and users of the street. Therefore, consultation prior to allowing special street naming is recommended.

Proposed Amendments to the Naming Policy

The proposed approach to implement special street naming in Saskatoon is to have the process align with the existing Naming Policy. A summary of the proposed policy for special street naming is provided below:

1. An application for a special street name is submitted to the Planning and Development Division, Community Services Department.
2. Applications should meet existing guidelines for naming, and the roadway suffix must be approved by the Administration. As part of the application, the applicant must provide an indication of support of the name from nearby property owners, community organizations, and relevant stakeholders. Addresses and relevant contact information would be provided by the Administration.
3. The Administration will forward applications for a special street naming to the Naming Advisory Committee, along with a report considering the impact on the street, the broader roadway network, and the public realm. The physical location and final design of the sign(s) will be approved by the Administration.
4. The application is to be screened by the Naming Advisory Committee, and then considered for approval by City Council.
5. Special street naming, if approved, is to be applied for a maximum of one year and may be extended by resolution of City Council.
6. Any costs associated with special street naming will be the responsibility of the applicant.

Options to the Recommendation

An option exists to not amend the Naming Policy and maintain the status quo. Special street naming requests would be dealt with on an individual basis. This option is not recommended, however, as requests for special street naming may increase and will require handling in a fair and equitable manner.

An option also exists for City Council to reject specific amendments proposed in this report; further direction would then be required.

Public and/or Stakeholder Involvement
Stakeholders and members of the public are able to make an application for names to be considered for specific facilities, streets, and parks. Those applications are received by the Community Services Department prior to screening by the Naming Advisory Committee, and then forwarded to City Council for a decision. Should the recommendation of this report be adopted, this process would be used for both general naming applications and special street naming requests.

Policy Implications
Should City Council choose to support the recommendation, the Naming Policy will be amended to consider special street naming requests, as outlined in the report.

Other Considerations/Implications
There are no financial, environmental, privacy, or CPTED implications or considerations; a communication plan is not required at this time.

Due Date for Follow up and/or Project Completion
No follow-up is required.

Public Notice
Public notice, pursuant to Section 3 of Public Notice Policy No. C01-021, is not required.

Report Approval

Written by:	Daniel McLaren, Planner, Planning and Development
Reviewed by:	Lesley Anderson, Director of Planning and Development
Approved by:	Randy Grauer, General Manager, Community Services Department

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Naming Advisory Committee Report – First Quarter 2017

Recommendation

That the Naming Advisory Committee issue direction with respect to the naming submissions and enquiries contained within this report.

Topic and Purpose

The purpose of this report is to consider naming requests to ensure they meet City Council guidelines, as set out in Naming of Civic Property and Development Areas Policy No. C09-008.

Report Highlights

1. Former Mayor and City Councillor names to be considered for addition to the Names Master List: Atchison, Olauson, and Paulsen. The name "Lorje" has previously been added to the Names Master List.
2. The following naming submissions require screening: Bachman, Rathie, and Kerr.
3. A request to name a park using Donald C. Kerr's full name has been received and requires consideration.

Strategic Goal

Under the City of Saskatoon's (City) Strategic Goal of Quality of Life, this report supports the recognition of our built, natural, and cultural heritage. The naming of civic facilities, streets, and parks celebrates the history, environment, and outstanding contributions of our diverse community.

Background

According to Naming of Civic Property and Development Areas Policy No. C09-008 (Naming Policy), all names proposed for the Names Master List will be screened by the Naming Advisory Committee (NAC) and meet City Council's guidelines for name selection. All requests for naming of roadways from the Names Master List will be selected or endorsed by His Worship the Mayor. Name suffixes are circulated through the Administration for technical review.

Report

<u>Former Mayor and City Councillor Names</u>

The following names can be considered for addition to the Names Master List:

1. "Atchison" – Donald Atchison served on City Council from 1994 to 2003 and as Mayor from 2003 to 2016, for a total of 22 years as an elected official of the City.
2. "Olauson" – Eric Olauson served on City Council from 2012 to 2016.
3. "Paulsen" – Tiffany Paulsen served on City Council from 2000 to 2016.

Former City Councillor Pat Lorje, who served on City Council for a total of 22 years, from 1979 to 1991 and again from 2006 to 2016, has previously been added to the Names Master List.

Naming Requests

The following naming requests have been received and require screening:

1. "Bachman" – Derek Bachman was involved in the music industry as a musician, manager, producer, and event promoter, as well as acting as the Program Manager for SaskMusic beginning in 2009. He received a number of awards, including the City's Certificate of Distinguished Community Service. The full submission is included as Attachment 1.

2. "Rathie" – Caren (Rathie) Reindl was an internationally competitive athlete in track and field and has been inducted into both the Saskatoon and Saskatchewan Sports Halls of Fame. Caren Reindl and her husband Bob Reindl have previously been recognized in 2008, and "Reindl" is currently on the Unassigned Section of the Names Master List. This request is to add Rathie, Caren Reindl's maiden name. The updated submission is included as Attachment 2.

3. "Kerr" – Donald C. Kerr is a Saskatoon historian, author, editor, and poet who has lived in Saskatoon his entire life. He is also active in the heritage community, being the first chair of both the Saskatoon Heritage Society and the Saskatoon Municipal Heritage Advisory Committee. Donald Kerr has been awarded the University of Saskatchewan Award for Distinction in Outreach and Engagement and the Saskatchewan Order of Merit, among others. The original submission is included as Attachment 3.

   The name "Kerr" was previously added to the Names Master List and has been applied to roadways in the Erindale neighbourhood and as "Les Kerr Park" in the Forest Grove neighbourhood. The name Kerr currently recognizes George H. Kerr, an architect and artist, and Les Kerr, prairie horticulturist and superintendent of the Forest Nursery Station at Sutherland. Should this submission be approved, the individual's history would be acknowledged in the City's naming records without creating a new record.

The three submissions above fall under guideline 3.3(a)(i) of the Naming Policy recognizing "a person who has demonstrated excellence, courage, or exceptional dedication to service in ways that bring special credit to the City of Saskatoon, Province of Saskatchewan, or Canada."

Request to Use Donald C. Kerr's Full Name for a Park

The applicant of the "Kerr" submission has stated a preference for the full name to be used for a park. While there are a number of existing exceptions, the Naming Policy states, "the surname alone will be used for the naming of municipally-owned or controlled facilities and parks, except in the case of former elected officials of the

City of Saskatoon, where given name(s) and surname together may be used." The applicant has provided a response to this requirement, for review by NAC, included as Attachment 4.

The Naming Policy was amended on May 20, 2008, to clarify how names were screened and the requirements for applying names. Amendments around the use of surnames alone for street names, the use of both given name(s) and surname together for former Mayors and City Councillors, and the treatment of duplicate surnames were included at that time. The use of both given name(s) and surname together for former Mayors and City Councillors allows some flexibility to honour former elected officials who have a surname already in use for an existing roadway or park. To avoid excessive duplication of names, which can cause confusion for wayfinding, the Administration is not recommending any policy changes at this time.

Public and/or Stakeholder Involvement

Stakeholders and members of the public are invited to make a short presentation to NAC in support of their naming submissions.

Policy Implications

The screening of requests and suggestions for naming or renaming of municipally-owned or controlled facilities, streets, suburban development areas, neighbourhoods, and parks must be in compliance with the Naming Policy.

Other Considerations/Implications

There are no options, environmental, financial, privacy, or CPTED implications or considerations; a communication plan is not required at this time.

Due Date for Follow-up and/or Project Completion

No follow-up is required.

Public Notice

Public notice, pursuant to Section 3 of Public Notice Policy No. C01-021, is not required.

Attachments

1. Original Submission – Bachman
2. Original Submission – Rathie
3. Original Submission – Kerr
4. Enquiry Regarding the Use of Donald C. Kerr's Full Name for the Naming of a Park

Report Approval

Written by: Daniel McLaren, Planner, Planning and Development
Reviewed by: Lesley Anderson, Director of Planning and Development
Approved by: Randy Grauer, General Manager, Community Services Department

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Original Submission - Bachman

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General Name Request

Suggestion
Submit Application Form to Planning &Development Branch to request that a name be added to the Names Master List.

Screening
Naming Advisory Committee reviews naming request in accordance with Council guidelines.

Recommendations
Naming Advisory Committee recommends to City Council the support or non-support for adding the name to the Names Master List.

Approval
City Council approves or rejects adding names to the Names Master List.

Requests
Requests to assign a name from the Names Master List are made to Planning & Development Branch by Developers, Land Branch, or other Civic Departments.

Selection
Requests to assign a name from the Names Master List are forwarded to the Mayor's Office who selects a name from the Names Master List.

Notification
The Mayor notifies applicant and affected others that the name has been selected for use.

Specific Naming Request

Screening
Naming Advisory Committee reviews naming request in accordance with Council guidelines

Recommendations
Naming Advisory Committee recommends to City Council the support or non-support for the naming request.

Approval
City Council approves or rejects naming request.

Notification
The Mayor notifies applicant and affected others of City Council's decision.

Re-Naming Request

Consult
The applicant is required to consult property owners affected by the proposed re-naming. Please contact the Planning & Development Branch to determine the consultation requirements.

Suggestion
Submit Application Form to Planning & Development Branch to re-name a specific municipally-owned property. Include written comments from affected property owners.

Comments
Planning & Development Branch contacts all affected civic departments, community associations, property owners, etc. to gather comments and estimate costs.

Screening
Naming Advisory Committee reviews re-naming request in accordance with Council guidelines.

Recommendations
Naming Advisory Committee recommends to City Council the support or non-support for the re-naming request.

Approval
City Council approves or rejects re-naming request.

Notification
The Mayor notifies applicant and affected others of City Council's decision.

APPLICATION FORM
To Name Streets, Parks & Civic Properties

Please complete the attached application form for all new name submissions and requests for re-naming a street, park, or other civic properties.

Name: MARILYN BRAUN & BRENDA ROOKES

Address: 106 BEECHMONT CRES

City/Town: SASKATOON Province: SK Postal Code: S7V 1C6

Phone: 306-249-1019 E-mail: m.braun@sasktel.net

☒ New Name Submission ☐ Re-naming Request

Requested Name(s) (please print)
DEREK BACHMAN

Requested Use of Name

☐ Street ☐ Park ☐ Municipal Facility
☐ Neighbourhood ☐ Other ☒ Any of the Above
☐ Suburban Development Areas

If this is a request for re-naming an existing location, please indicate the current name:

PLEASE INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION AS PART OF YOUR APPLICATION
(Indicate which items are attached to the application form)

SEE ATTACHED

1. **Background Information** (Reason for request)
2. **Short Biography** (Given name, date of birth/death, place of birth, contributions, awards, achievements, or other relevant information)

Do you wish to speak to the Naming Advisory Committee? ☒ YES ☐ NO

Please send the completed application form to:
City of Saskatoon Naming Advisory Committee
Community Services Department, Planning &Development Branch
222-3rd Avenue North
Saskatoon, SK
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Derek Bachman Biography

Derek Michael Bachman was born in Regina on August 7, 1976 and lived in Dilke, SK until the age of 5. He lived in Saskatoon until his untimely death at the age of 38, on December 10, 2014.

Career Highlights

Graphic Design

After graduating from Nutana Collegiate, Derek took a graphic arts course and started his own business, Greenduplex Productions. He designed award winning album covers, logos, and promotional materials for numerous local and provincial groups.

Musician/Manager/Producer

Derek was involved in the music industry from his teen years. As a drummer, he founded the band "bent" who played many local venues, toured Western Canada, and recorded two albums. He performed and recorded with several other acts, and he managed and produced several more including Saskatoon's The Wheat Monkeys.

Event Production

In 2005, Derek co-founded Rawk Entertainment. Rawk went on to produce many events in Saskatoon, Regina, and across Canada, benefitting Saskatchewan artists, musicians, local businesses, and community groups (please see attached list of Rawk event history). Derek also worked behind the scenes on Live Nation Canada events.

SaskMusic

After volunteering since he was a teenager, Derek accepted the position of Program Manager with SaskMusic in 2009, managing the export and professional development of Saskatchewan-based musicians. He travelled across the world promoting Saskatoon and Saskatchewan-based talent in such events as: Reeperbahn Festival (Germany); South by South West (Austin, Texas); as well as events in London, Paris, and New York.

In April 2014, he was appointed Executive Director of SaskMusic, having competed with applicants from across Canada for the position.

Active Board Member

Derek served as director on numerous boards including SaskTel Centre and the Western Canadian Music Alliance. He also served on host Committees for the Juno Awards (2007) and the Canadian Country Music Week (2012).

Awards and Appreciations

- **City of Saskatoon – Certificate of Distinguished Community Service**
- **Kevin Walters Industry Builder Award (posthumously 2016 Western Canadian Music Awards). This award recognizes significant impact in mentorship, training and leadership, as well as someone who leaves a substantial legacy in their province.**
- **Sask Country Music Awards Achievement Award (posthumously 2015 Sask Country Music Awards)**

Awards and Appreciations cont'd

- Talent Buyer of the Year (2013 Canadian Music Awards)
- Juno Awards – appreciation for producing Junofest 2013
- Album Design of the Year (2009 Western Canadian Music Awards)
- Prairie Music Awards – appreciation for 1999-2002
- Brad Wall – letter of congratulations in part reads as follows – "Through your work, you have supported the careers of many talented musicians, while establishing a solid reputation for your knowledge, dedication and wise counsel. You can be proud of your contributions to our province's thriving music scene and to Canada's music industry as a whole."

A Sample of Comments After Derek's Passing

Craig Silliphant (local author/journalist)- [Derek] was always willing to lend a hand to help a person, usually musicians, in need...He made it his life's work to learn about the music industry and to share that knowledge with a lot of people that needed to learn how to navigate the music world, both locally and internationally. In fact, for many people across the world, Bachman was—is—the face of Saskatchewan music.

Amigos Saskatoon – Bachman was Saskatchewan's biggest Music Cheerleader, helping artists build their careers and find fans in new places.

Glen Erickson (Alberta publicist) – His help was without borders or barriers, in a time when Alberta Music was pushing for change he came alongside without competitiveness and helped us out. We owe him a bunch for what he did for our greater music.

Grant Paley (Agent, Paquin Entertainment Group) – Derek, your reach is far beyond the borders of your city, your province, and your country. Our industry has lost a titan, a friend and one of the kindest and most giving souls around.

Glenn Dickie (Export Producer, Australia) – [Derek] was so super passionate about music and promoting the Saskatchewan music scene to the world.

Megan Lane (Saskatoon musician) – His advice was always sound and his passion for bringing good music to the people was a huge blessing for our community and beyond.

Taron Cochrane (VP SaskMusic) – Derek gave decades of passionate dedication and his heart to SaskMusic, the music industry and so, so many musicians. Part of the strength of our music industry can be attributed to Derek and I will never forget how influential he was in making the Saskatchewan music industry one of the most well respected and best industries in the country.

Sean McManus (Executive Director Manitoba Music) – He was a huge contributor to the music community, in so many ways, and always with his characteristic calm and insightful thoughtfulness. He was focused on things that really mattered and had incredible connections with people.

EVENT HISTORY

- Beer Bacon Bands Festival 2015
- Saskatoon Tribal Council Gala 2015
- The Halloween Howl 2015
- Bust-a-Move 2015
- Gateway Festival 2015
- Geared Up Jon Ryan charity gala 2015
- Canadian Country Music Week 2015 (Producer on all public events)
- Bust-a-Move 2014
- 104.9 The Wolf Halloween Howl 2014
- Ducks Unlimited Canada Raise-a-Rink Tour
- Regina Downtown Concert Series 2014
- Lieutenant Governors Arts Awards 2014
- Saskatoon Tribal Council Gala 2014
- Canadian Country Music Week 2014
- CCWest Conference 2014
- Grey Cup Festival 2013
- Canadian Country Music Week 2013
- Lieutenant Governors Arts Awards 2013
- Tourism Saskatoon Gala 2013
- JUNOfest 2013
- BreakOut West Festival 2012
- Wakeride 2012
- Saskatoon Tribal Council 20th Anniversary Gala and Concert 2012
- Sasktel LG Launch 2012
- Canadian Society of Association Executives Gala 2012
- Gateway Festival 2011
- Rockstar Uproar Festival 2010
- JUNOfest 2007
- Western Canadian Music Awards Festival 2007
- Saskatchewan Centennial Concert Tour 2005
- Prime Minister Pancake Breakfast Saskatoon 2005
- Saskatchewan Centennial Crop Checking Tour 2005
- City of Regina Centennial Celebrations Concert 2003

CONCERT EVENTS:

- Avicci – (2014 - Contracted Promoter Rep for Live Nation Global Touring - Tour Director - Europe)
- Nicki Minaj – (2012/2013 - Contracted Promoter Rep for Live Nation Global Touring - Tour Director - Worldwide)
- LMFAO – (2011/2012 Tours - Contracted Promoter Rep for Live Nation Canada)
- Kings of Leon – (2011 Tour - Contracted Promoter Rep for Live Nation Canada)
- NKOTBSB – (2011 Tour - Contracted Promoter Rep for Live Nation Canada)
- Kid Rock - (Born Free Tour 2011 - Contracted Promoter Rep for Live Nation Canada)
- System of a Down – (2011 Tour - Contracted Promoter Rep for Live Nation Canada)
- Bon Jovi (The Circle Tour 2010 – Local Site Co-ordination / Production Management for AEG/Concerts West)
- Iron Maiden (Final Frontier Tour 2010 – Contracted Promoter Rep for Live Nation Canada)
- AC/DC (Black Ice Tour 2009 - Local Site Co-ordination for Live Nation Canada)
- Motley Crue (Dead of Winter Tour 2010 - Contracted Promoter Rep for Live Nation Canada)
- Backstreet Boys (Unbreakable Tour 2008, This Is Us Tour 2010 - Contracted Promoter Rep for Live Nation Canada)
- Blink 182 (2009 Tour - Contracted Promoter Rep for Union Events)
- Lenny Kravitz (Love Revolution Tour 2009 - Contracted Promoter Rep for Live Nation Canada)

- Rush (Snakes & Arrows Tour 2008 - Contracted Promoter Rep for Live Nation Canada)
- Evanescence (The Open Door Tour 2007 - Contracted Promoter Rep for Live Nation Canada)

FESTIVAL EVENTS:

- Pile O Bones BBQ Championships (2015)
- Grey Cup Festival (2013)
- JUNOFest (Juno Awards) (2013)
- Break Out West Festival (2012)
- Rockstar Uproar Festival (2010)
- JUNOFest (Juno Awards) (2007)
- Western Canadian Music Week Festival (2007)
- Saskatchewan Centennial Concert Tour (2005)
- Prime Minister Pancake Breakfast Saskatoon (2005)
- Saskatchewan Centennial Crop Checking Tour (2005)
- City of Regina Centennial Celebrations Concert (2003)

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Derek Bachman
Talent Buyer of the Year

On behalf of the Government of Saskatchewan, I am pleased to congratulate you on being awarded the 2013 Western Canadian Music Industry Award for Talent Buyer of the Year.

Saskatchewan's music community plays a vital role in enhancing our vibrant arts and cultural sector and our government values your efforts to promote the development and growth of local artists. Through your work, you have supported the careers of many talented musicians, while establishing a solid reputation for your knowledge, dedication and wise counsel.

As the recipient of this award, your outstanding work is being recognized and celebrated by your industry peers. You can be proud of your contributions to our province's thriving music scene and to Canada's music industry as a whole.

Congratulations and best wishes for your continued success.

Brad Wall
Premier

City of Saskatoon

Certificate of Distinguished Community Service

Whereas the Council of The City of Saskatoon in lawful session has directed that public recognition and acclaim be given to those dedicated citizens who render devoted service of an exceptional nature to our people and community; and

Whereas: *Derek Bachman*

has rendered distinguished community service

as a member of the SaskTel Centre Board of Directors (formerly Credit Union Centre)

for six and one-half (6 1/2) years

Now therefore, I *Donald J. Atchison*
Mayor of The City of Saskatoon,
am pleased to affix my signature to this scroll in testimony of the gratitude and respect of this community
for *Derek Bachman*

AND IN RECOGNITION OF THE HONOUR AND MERIT that has been justly earned.

Given under my hand at City Hall, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan,

this *20th* day of *April* *2016*

Donald J. Atchison
Mayor

No. *573*

Original Submission - Rathie

November 22, 2016

To: City of Saskatoon

Naming Advisory Board

Please accept this as our application to resubmit (2008) our parent's names.

Caren Rathie Reindl and Bob Reindl have given much to their community, city, province and country.

Both of them were internationally competitive athletes who already have been inducted to the Saskatoon Sports Hall of Fame and the Saskatchewan Sports Hall of Fame.

Caren retired after coaching for over 15 years with the Riversdale Athletics Club and the University of Saskatchewan. She also was an international master athlete who competed at a world stage and won Sask. Sport Master Athlete of the year in 1995.

Bob is still involved in track and field and has served on countless volunteer boards for example 17 years sitting on the board of directors with the Saskatoon sports hall of fame. He was the Kinsmen athlete of the year in 1977 and was the invitational chairman for over 10 years with the Knights of Columbus games.

Enclosed are their numerous accomplishments.

Our mother would love to have her maiden name to be put forward. (Rathie)

We would be grateful if you selected and put our parent's names forward for consideration.

Jason Reindl

Kyle Reindl

Bob Reindl

Bob Reindl was a championship track athlete in various age groups, capping off his competitive career with five appearances for Canada in international games.

Bob was born in Saskatoon on Sept. 30, 1958. One of his early interests was hockey. It was while attending a Junior Cadet camp at Vernon, B.C., where he ran in the 800 metres, that his spark for track and field was lit.

Bob competed in high school meets for four years, setting a new provincial junior record in the 800 in 1975, setting a new provincial senior record in 800 and also winning the 400 metres in 1976. He was a member of the Riversdale Track and Field Club where he was coached by Brian Clark.

Bob was chosen for the Saskatchewan team at the 1975 Western Canada Games in Regina. He won the 800 metres and was third in the 1,500 metres at the 1977 Canada Summer Games in Newfoundland. He was a finalist in both the 800 and 1,500 metres at the 1983 Western Canada Summer Games in Calgary.

Bob had a particular flair for the Knights of Columbus Saskatchewan Indoor Games, notably in 1977 when he upset the Americans in the invitational 1,000-metre race and again in 1978 when he won the invitational 800 metres. Three times he was voted Saskatchewan athlete of the meet. For his success in 1977, he was voted Saskatoon Kinsmen Male Athlete of the Year.

Bob also competed for Canada internationally, often in California, and once at the Pacific Conference Games in Australia. He toured in Europe in 1978.

— Inducted 1996

Caren Reindl

Caren Reindl was one of Saskatchewan's brightest sprinting stars in the 1970s, achieving provincial high school records, emerging as a strong Canadian junior age class performer and having a hand in five Canadian records.

Caren was born in Saskatoon and became interested in track and field while attending Mount Royal Collegiate. While at Mount Royal, she set city and provincial high school records in the 100-, 200- and 400-metre runs in 1973 and again in 1974.

In December, 1973, she set a Saskatchewan indoor record in the junior 400-metre race at the Knights of Columbus Games and was voted Saskatchewan's outstanding athlete of the meet. Then, at the 1978 Knights of Columbus Games, she won the invitational 400 metres and was named international athlete of the meet.

She set a Canadian indoor record at 300 metres in 1974; a Canadian junior record at 200 metres in 1976; and three times, she would be part of Saskatchewan teams which set Canadian relay records.

She ran for Canada in meets like the Freedom Games in San Diego, the North American junior championships in Mexico City and a dual meet against the Soviet Union indoors in March, 1979. In the meet against the Soviets, Reindl was one of only two Canadians to win gold, winning at 400 metres.

Caren continues to run in Masters and coach all ages.

— Inducted 1992

Caren Reindl's athletics career is extremely successful. At the local level she was the Saskatoon City High School champion in the 100m, 200m, and the 400m, in 1974, 1975, and 1976 producing a number of City records in these events.

In provincial competition, her exploits continued. She was first in the long jump at the 1973 Saskatchewan Summer Games in Moose Jaw and established Sask. Midget records in the 80m and the 400m. She also established Sask. Outdoor provincial records in the 200m and the 400m in 1973. For three consecutive years, 1974 to 1976 Reindl was the provincial high school champion in the 100m, 200m, and the 400m and was chosen the aggregate award winner in all 3 years.

In 1977, Caren set new Saskatchewan records in the 400m and the 400mHurdles. She again set new Sask. Records in 1979 in the 200m and the 400m.

She successfully wore Saskatchewan colors in various Western Canadian competitions. In 1973 at the Alberta Age Class meet in Calgary, she won both the 400m and the 400m hurdles. Reindl was the 400m hurdles champion in the 1974 tri-province championships, she also competed at the Western Canada Games.

Nationally, she helped her 4x100 and 4x400 relay team to third-place finishes at the 1973 Canadian Junior Olympics in Montreal. She was the 400m hurdles champion at the Women's Colgate Games in Toronto in 1974 and placed second in the 200 and third in the 400m at the National Junior Championships.

In 1975, Caren broke both the 200m and the 400m Canadian Junior Records .

She also competed successfully as a member of 4x400 relay teams that set Canadian records in both 1976 and 1977. Reindl placed third in the 400m at the Jeux Canada Games and had a second in the 200m and a fourth in the 400m at the Canadian Senior championships.

In National competitions between and 1975-1980 she established four Canadian championship gold medals, eight silver and 5 bronze.

She was a member of relay teams that set four Canadian Records and she also set 3 individual Canadian Records.

Internationally, Caren placed third in the 1974 Knights of Columbus Games were she won the 400m at the age of 15 years -breaking a Canadian Indoor Record and was named the Invitational-International Athlete of the Games.
Still in 1976, at the North America Junior Championships in Mexico City, she won the 400m, setting a new meet record, and also helped her Canadian 4x100 and 4x400m relay teams to first-place finishes. She was named one the top performers of the meet.
She registered a fourth in the 400m and 200m at the the Freedom Games in San Diego, California. Her 1977 statistics saw her garner a second in the 400m and a fourth in the 200m at the South Pac AAU Championships in Northridge, California.

Caren also was a member of Canada' National Team in two meets in 1978- one Canada Versus Cuba Versus Italy meet in Sherbrooke, Quebec and another similar meet in Montreal.

In 1979 Caren was named to yet another national team representing Canada in a dual meet against the U.S.S.R in Montreal , in which she won the 400m- her win -only one of two gold medallists for Team Canada.

Caren took a break from active competition for a number of years but then in 1994 came back strongly in the Masters events. That year she was the Saskatchewan Timex Grand Prix winners in the sprints and hurdles, a finalist for the Sask.Sport Master Athlete of the Years and was the Pan-Am Masters champion in the 100m, 200m, and the 400m in Edmonton.

In 1995 she set Canadian Masters Records in the 60m, 200, 400m, and the 400m hurdles. That year at a indoor competition Caren was .28 off of setting a new masters indoor 400 world record.

At the 1995 World Masters Championships in Buffalo, New York she won two bronze medals in the 400m and the 400mhurdles and established a new Canadian Record in the Hurdles. Also that year she was named Sask.sport Master Athlete of the Year.

In 2004 being hampered by leg injuries that sidelined Caren from running at the age of 45 she took up the Pole Vault where she set new Canadian Indoor and Outdoor Records.

As well as being actively involved as an athlete, Caren has given much back and the Builders Category.
She has coached for over 15 years with the Riversdale Athletics Club and is one of the assistant coach's for the University of Saskatchewan Huskies Track and Field Team CWUAA champions 2003 CIA Champions 2004

She also has coached Team Sask. Athletes at the 1990 Western Canada Games, and the 1993, 1997 Jeux Canada Games and will be on the coaching staff for the Jeux du Canada Games 2005 here in Regina ~~in August~~.

Besides that Caren is also a level 4 certified official (Starter).

Caren has received many honors. Some of these include:

1972- Outstanding Bantam athlete- Klondike Relays (Edmonton)
1973- Faye Barwell Memorial Award for the Outstanding Midget Athlete (Sask.)
1973- Outstanding Saskatchewan Athlete of the Meet Knights of Columbus Games.
1974- International Athlete of the Games at the Knights of Columbus Games.
1974- Sask. High School Athletic Assoc. (SHSAA) Provincial Junior Aggregate winner.
1975 - Aggregate Award Winner SHSAA
1976- Aggregate Award Winner SHSAA
1976- Top female performer of the meet. (Mexico City)
1977- Dairy Producers (Sask.Athlete of the year) Indoors
1977- Dairy Producers (Sask. Athlete of the year) Outdoor.
1980- Jack Wells Testimonial Award recipient
1992- Inducted to the Saskatoon Sports Hall of Fame.
1993- Bob Adams Master Athlete of the Year
1994- Sask. Sport Finalist Master Athlete of the Year.
1995 - Bob Adams Master Athlete of the Year.
1995- Finalist Saskatoon Kinsmen Athlete of the year
1995- Sask. Sport Master Athlete of the Year Winner.
2003- Bob Adams Service Award (Official)

Caren Rathie

PERSONAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS

1977 Scholarship - Leisure and Recreation Diploma.
-Dairy Producers - Athletic/academic award.

National Member, Canadian Track and Field Team.
-1975 North American Junior Championships, Mexico City.
-1976 Canada VS USSR.
-1977 Canada Vs Cuba & Italy.
-1995 World Masters Championships, Buffalo, New York.

Inducted into the Saskatoon Sports Hall of Fame - 1992.

Nominee for the Saskatoon Kinsmen Athlete of the Year - 1995.

Winner of the Bob Adams Award of Excellence - 1994 Masters.
- 1995 Masters.

Winner of the Sask. Sport Athlete of the Year - Master Category - 1995.

Finalist in the Sask. Sport Athlete of the Year - Master Category - 1994.

Medalist - 1995 World Masters Championships - Buffalo, New York.
-Bronze Medal Winner (400m, and 400m hurdles).

Canadian Record Holder.
-1994-1995 currently hold 3 Canadian Indoor Masters Records.
-1994-1995 currently hold 1 Canadian Outdoor Masters Record.

VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES and COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

-Sprint Coach Assistant - University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon - 1993 to present.
-Work with students and staff to provide positive athletic experience.
-Develop and monitor individual training programs.

-Sprint Coach - Riversdale Athletics Club, Saskatoon - 1989 to present.
-Competitive skill development, individual goal setting, fun and enjoyment during sport.
-Establishment of yearly training cycles, through proper periodization methods.

-Sprint coach -Western Canada Games 1990/Canada Games 1993, 1997
-Coach provincial athletes, assist in team selection, training camp organization, competitive motivation, and preparation of "Team Sask" athletes.

- Sprint Clinician -Sask. First training Days - 1992 to present
-Inservice Saskatoon Board of Education - 1992, 1993, 1996, 1997
-Clinics at various locations in Saskatchewan.
-Develop and present workshops sharing personal knowledge and expertise in athletic preparation including theory and technical information.

-Afflication with Riversdale Athletics club- over 30years
-1993-1997 sprint/hurdle coach- manager/ board member
2003- speed and power development coach until present elite Pole vaulters
2 2004 1998 - 2004 - Broad member &
Coaching Experience
Level 3 NCCP

Level 4 Official (Starter)

Sprints Coach- Numerous Provincial Teams
- Western Canada Games 1990
- Jeux Canada Games 1993, 1997, 2005

Personal Accomplishments Athletics

National Team Member- Athlete
-Mexico City 1975
-1976 Canada vs. USSR
-1977 Canadian Tri- Meet

Held numerous Canadian Records-
300m-1974
200m- 1976
-member of Riversdale team that held many 4X400m indoor and outdoor Canadian Records.

-Named Invitational Athlete of the Meet K of C Games 1978
-Named Outstanding Athlete of the Meet Female Mexico City 1975
-Inducted to the Saskatoon Sports Hall of Fame 1992
-Nominee Saskatoon Kinsmen Athlete of the Year. 1996
-Winner of the Bob Adams Award of Excellence 1994, 1995
-Finalist Master Category Sask. Sport Athlete of the Year 1994
-Winner Sask. Sport Master Athlete of the Year 1995
-1995-2 Bronze Medals @ World Master Championships Buffalo (New York) 400m 400mhurdles. 35-46

Currently Hold Canadian Masters Records Indoors-- 60m,200,400, Pole Vault
Outdoor 400m hurdles and Pole Vault - 45-50 yrs.

Assistant Coach - U of S Huskies 2003-2004
- men's + women's CWUAA Champions
- women's CIA champions

Personal Accomplishments: Caren

- National Team member of Athletics Canada
- 1975 North American Jr World Championships, Mexico City.
- Canada verus Cuba and Italy, 1978.
- Canada versus the former USSR now Union of Soviet Socialist Republics in 1980.
- Inducted to the Saskatoon Sports Hall of Fame, 1992
- Competed at the World Masters in Buffalo, New York, 1995. Was a double medalist at these Games.
-Winner of the Sask. Sport Master Athlete of the Year, 1995.
- Inducted to the Saskatchewan Sports Hall of Fame, 2005.

Volunteer Activities and Community Involvement.

-Sprint/Speed/Power Coach from 1993 to 2012 for the UofS.
-Sprint /Speed/power Coach from 1989 to 2012 for Riversdale T Club.
-Sprint Coach for Sask Athletics Teams 1990, 1993 and 1997.
-Board member of Riversdale Athletics Club for over 20 years.
- Neighborhood watch coordinator from 1990 to 1994.
- Block Parent from 1980 to 1990.
- College Park Community Association Board Member 1996 to 1970.
- Criminal occurrence security check, done Sept/2014
- Certified in Standard First Aid / cpr/AED level c-expiry date. 2019.

References

Teri Gonzales – Teacher/Educator. cell 306-291-9098
Muriel Gieni - former athlete. cell 306-361-6152

Name: Bob Reindl
Category: Athlete
Sport: Athletics
Birthplace and Date: Saskatoon, Sept. 30, 1958
Present Address: Saskatoon

Bob Reindl was an outstanding high school athlete. His athletics career blossomed in 1974 when he was victorious at 400m, 800m, 1500m, and 3000m in the Saskatoon High School championships. Not only did he win these four events, but he also established new records in all of them. 1975 saw him repeat his 1974 performance – four first-place finishes and four new city records. Bob captured the 800m, 1500m, and 3000m red ribbons in 1976 and finished second in the 400m. His record setting continued, as he established a new mark at 800m. He was also a very effective cross country runner, placing second in 1973 and first in both 1974 and 1975 in the Saskatoon High School cross country championships.

At the provincial high school championships, Bob captured first in the 800m and a second in the 1500m at the 1974 provincial meet, won the 400m, 800m and 150m in 1975 with a new record in the 800m, and first place results in the 400m, 800m,and 3000m and a second in the 1500m in 1976. He also established a new 800m record in the 1976 meet. He also won the 1974 and 1975 provincial high school cross country championships and was the age-class champion in 1974 (midget), 1975 and 1976 (juvenile), and 1977 (junior).

Reindl established a number of indoor and outdoor records during his running career. They include indoor records for 600m, 800m, 1000m, and 1500m. His collection of outdoor records contains fastest times in 400m, 800m, and 1500m in 1979. As well, he held provincial age-class indoor records for 500m, 600m, 800m, 1000m and 1500m and outdoors for 400m, 800m, and 1500m.

His efforts in Western Canadian events include a new Saskatchewan record in 800m and the top juvenile male award at an indoor meet in Lethbridge in 1976, a second-place in the 800m and 1500m at the 1976 Golden Bear Invitational in Edmonton, and a second in the 1979 Western Canada Games. He also was the champion in the Prairie Regional cross country championships at 3 miles.

Nationally, Bob garnered a first in the high school class in the 1975 Canadian National 10-Mile Road race and the 1976 juvenile national cross country championships at 6000m. 1977 saw him become part of the first-place 4 X 400m relay team at the Canadian championships, set an indoor record at 800m for junior men, collect a first at 800m (with a new record) and a third in the 1500m at the 1977 Canada Games, and become the 1977 national champ at 800m. He was undefeated in 1977 at 800m at the National Senior

championships, Canadian World Cup Trials, Canada Games, Canada Versus United States versus Japan – 12 straight races!

Reindl's other international results show a fifth-place finish at the South Pacific AAU Championships in California, a fourth in the 800m at the 1977 Pan Pacific Games in Australia, a first place in the 800m in Montreal versus Italy, fifth in the 800m in England, second in the 1500m and 800m in Germany in 1979, and a sixth in the 800m in Turin, Italy. All these results came while Bob was a member of Canada's National Team.

Bob Reindl has also registered some terrific results at various international indoor meets. These include first in the 1000m and second in the 600 yards in the 1977 international events at the Knights of Columbus Indoor Games in Saskatoon. At the 1978 version of the same event he had a third-place result in 800m and 600 yards, and in 1979 he won the 800m. He also took part in the 1978 Los Angeles Times Invitational meet in Los Angeles, the 1978 New Mexico Indoor Games, captured a second in the 800m at the Winnipeg Tribune Invitational and was a National Team member in 1982 where he placed first in the 800m in a Canada versus Belgium meet.

Bob has received a number of awards for his athletics efforts. These include:

1976 – Top Juvenile Performer at Lethbridge
1977 – Achievement Award from the Province of Saskatchewan
1977 - Dairy Producers Male Athlete of the Year (Indoors)
1977 – Dairy Producers Male Athlete of the Year (Outdoors)
1977- Saskatchewan Athlete of the Meet – Knights of Columbus Indoor Games
1977 – Saskatoon Kinsmen Male Athlete of the Year
1978 – Saskatchewan Athlete of the Meet – Knights of Columbus Indoor Games
1980 – Jack Wells Testimonial Award – Knights of Columbus Indoor Games
1996 – Inducted into the Saskatoon Sports Hall of Fame
2002 - Honourary Meet Director – Knights of Columbus Indoor Games

Bob has also been very active as a builder in athletics, serving as an organizer, chairperson, and director of various local, provincial, national, and international meets and events. He is a Level 3 Certified distance running coach and has also coached at a community level in softball and soccer.

Volunteer Experience Bob

Certified Level III Middle Distance Coach.
Coach at city, provincial and national levels.
1993 Royal Canadian Legion National Track & Field Camp Distance Coach.
1995 Western Canada Summer Games Distance Coach.
1997 Canada Summer Games Team Manager
1999 Sask Athletics Midget Team Manager vs Alberta
2000 Athletics Canada Team Manager for Junior Dual Team vs USA in Montreal.
2001 Sask Athletics Juvenile Dual Team Manager vs Manitoba
2001 Canada Summer Games Combined Events and Relays Team Coach in London
2003 Athletics Canada Team Manager for Pan Am Junior in Barbados.
Knights of Columbus Indoor Games Board - Invitational Chairman (1987 - 1999).
Budget development; media promotion and public relations; international and national travel arrangements; assist in charity related fund raising; organization of track meets.
National Senior Track & Field Championships (1991, 1992)
Facility Chairman & Equipment Manager.
Louis Riel Relay, (1987 - 1999) - Radio Commentator & Television Analyst.
Affiliated with Riversdale Athletics Club for 18 years.
Manager for sons Soccer team (1995 - 2001)
Saskatoon Sports Hall of Fame Board of Directors - Vice President (1999 to 2002), President (2003 to present)

Personal Accomplishments and Highlights

Canadian Track & Field Team Member - European tour 1979.
Pan Pacific Senior Team in Australia 1977.
Saskatoon Kinsmen male athlete of the year 1977.
Canadian Senior 800m Champion 1977, Bronze in 1979 in the 800m.
Canada Games 800m Champion & Bronze medal in the 1500m in 1977.
Canadian Juvenile Cross Country Champion 1977
Saskatoon Sports Hall of Fame Inductee - 1996

Reindls will be inducted into the Sask. Hall of Fame on Saturday

By Darren Zary
of The StarPhoenix

There are silver linings to many Saskatchewan Sports Hall of Fame induction ceremonies, but : quite like this.

)b and Caren Reindl, synonymous track and field in Saskatoon, will inducted into the Saskatchewan 'ts Hall of Fame at Regina's Centre e Arts on Saturday to coincide with 25th wedding anniversary later this

)w special is that?

's absolutely amazing," said Caren . r sprinter in high school who now petes in the masters division at age

's an honour and a thrill to be in- ed, but to be inducted with my hus- is an exceedingly big thrill and ho- "

ren was inducted in the Saskatoon ts Hall of Fame in 1992. Four years Bob joined her.

is time around, they go in together his is great," noted Bob. "It's some- ; we will look back on, many years , and say. 'What a thrill to go in to- er.' "

ey met on the track as members of Riversdale Track and Field Club. r longtime coach was Brian Clark 'e had a wonderful coach in Brian," l Caren.

athletes, representing Canada in- tionally has been the highlight of track and field careers, which con- s today in different capacities.

th of them are on the Team atchewan coaching staff for the da Games this August in Regina

ren Reindl, then Caren Rathie, was city and provincial high school ipion at Mount Royal Collegiate in 00, 200 and 400 metres from 1974-

tionally, she was the 400-metre es champion at the Women's Col- Games in Toronto in 1974 and d second in the 200 metres and in the 400 at the national junior and r championships. She won both junior events in 1976. She was a member of the 4x400 relay team which set a Canadian record in both 1976 and 1977. From 1978-80, she collected four Canadian championship gold medals, eight silver and five bronze.

Internationally, Caren won the 400 and set a record at the North American junior championships in Mexico City, where she also helped the 4x100 and 4x400 relay teams to gold medals. She placed fourth in the 200 and 400 at the Freedom Games in San Diego. Caren was a member of Canada's national team in 1978 during a meet with Cuba and Italy at Sherbrooke, Que. At a 1979 dual meet between Canada and the Soviet Union, she won gold in the 400 metres — one of only two gold medallists for Canada.

In 1995, she was named Sask Sport master athlete of the year. She was the Pan-Am masters champion in the 100, 200 and 400. At the World masters championships in Buffalo, N.Y., she placed third in the 400 and 400 hurdles and fifth in the 200.

Bob Reindl was also an accomplished runner in high school at City Park Collegiate. In 1974 and 1975 he won the 400, 800, 1,500 and 3,000, setting records in all of them. He won the 800, 1,500 and 3,000 in 1976.

At high school provincials, he won the 400, 800, and 1,500 in 1975. He won the 400, 800 and 3,000 in 1976 and placed second in the 1,500.

Nationally, he set a Canadian indoor junior record in the 800 in 1977.

He was undefeated in the 800 metres in 12 straight races in 1977, counting the national senior championships, Canadian World Cup trials, Jeux Canada Games and a Canada-United States-Japan meet.

He became a member of Canada's national team, placing fourth at the Pan-Pacific Games in the 800 at Australia, first in an Canada-Italy dual meet in Montreal, second in both the 800 and 1,500 in Germany in 1979.

He also had success at the K of C Indoor Games, winning the 800 in 1979.

He was Saskatchewan Kinsmen male athlete of year at the K of C Games in 1977, Saskatchewan athlete of the meet in 1978 and won the K of C Games Jack Wells Testimonial Award at the 1980 K of C Games.

He was honourary meet director for the 2002 K of C Games.

Bob works in track and field as program director for Saskatchewan Athletics, but has quit competing.

Caren coaches with the Riversdale Club and the University of Saskatchewan Huskies track team.

"She's giving back to the sport by coaching, giving her time and effort and still trying to compete," noted Bob. "I'm working as a program co-ordinator, giving my time back to athletes, coaches and administrators by the knowledge I've incurred as an athlete. I think, in sport, you have to give back."

Both 46, they trained in the same club together decades ago. They've been on the same track ever since.

"She was in the club before I was," explained Bob. "We dated off and one through the first couple of years in high school. We started dating, officially, in January of 1977. A guy always remembers that.

"We got married Oct. 11, 1980. We dated for three years before I popped the question."

Now there are more answers than questions, and the odd silver lining.

List of inductees for the 2005 Saskatchewan Sports Hall of Fame induction banquet Saturday, June 11, at the Centre of Arts in Regina

ATHLETE

Bob and Caren (Rathie) Reindl (Athletics)
Ted Jaleta (Athletics)
Ed Staniowski (Hockey)

BUILDER

Allan Few (Judo)
Shirley (Shockey) Kowalski (Softball)
Peter Jmaeff (Shooting)
Marta Kroupa (Rhythmic gymnastics)

TEAM

1991 Saskatoon Hilltops (Canadian junior football champions)
2001 Regina Silver Screen Bruins (Canadian broomball champs)
1953 Janet Perkin team (Western Canadian women's curling champion)

Reindl's track achievements suitable for framing in Hall

By Craig Bakay
of The StarPhoenix

The Saskatoon Sports Hall of Fame will grow by 12 entries Nov. 21 as four athletes, four builders and four teams will have their pictures added to the wall of the Field House.

Those being honored are athletes Caren (Rathie) Reindl, Johnny Sands, Jay Sim and Ed Van Impe; builders Ivan King, Douglas Knott, Charles W. McCool and Lyle Sanderson; three University of Saskatchewan women's volleyball teams and the 1951-52 Quakers hockey team.

Reindl was a sprinter in the 1970s who held Canadian records at 300 metres, the Canadian junior record at 200 metres and shared in three relay records. She was Canada's representative at the 1976 Freedom Games.

"I'm quite honored," she said. "I coach now and walking through the Field House, I've often thought it would be nice to be up there on the walls. I guess you could say it was one of my goals."

Reindl said her Canadian records were probably her greatest accomplishments, along with representing her country. One international meet stands out.

"That would be the meet against U.S.S.R. in Montreal," she said. "I won the 400 metres."

Sands, a speed skating sprinter, won four Canadian senior championships between 1953 and 1958 and represented Canada at the 1956 and 1960 Olympic Games. He was also a running back with the Canadian junior football champion Hilltops in 1953.

Sim

Sanderson

Saskatoon Sports Hall of Fame '92 Inductees

Athletes: Ed Van Impe, Caren Reindl, Johnny Sands, Jay Sim
Builders: Ivan King, Douglas Knott, Charles W. McCool, Lyle Sanderson
Teams: U of S women's volleyball 1979-81, Quakers hockey, 1951-52

Sim went to 11 Canadian playoffs as a catcher in senior softball and helped Canada take the gold at the world championship in Manila in 1992. His teams won the Canadian junior title in 1978, the senior title in 1987 and Pan-Am gold medals in 1987 and 1991.

Van Impe played junior hockey with the Saskatoon Quakers before moving on to a lengthy NHL career with the Chicago Black Hawks, Philadelphia Flyers and Pittsburgh Penguins. The rugged blueliner starred with the Flyers on their 1973-74 and 1974-75 Stanley Cup winners.

King coached the Huskie women's basketball team to six straight Canada West championships from 1947 through 1952. He also coached the Ramblers women's softball team to provincial championships in 1948 and 1949.

Knott excelled at two sports during his playing days, soccer and track and field. He has since served Saskatchewan soccer in various administrative roles and was chairman of the Saskatoon Field House Society between 1977 and 1979.

McCool founded the Saskatoon Wesley hockey club in 1924. He produced six provincial junior champions, making it to the Memorial Cup final in 1936. His midget teams won the provincial title seven times.

Sanderson's track and field coaching record is without equal in the west, totalling three Canadian university championships and 19 Canada West conference titles. He has coached in the Olympics and was voted Canadian track and field coach of the year in 1977 and 1979.

The Huskie volleyball squads were the first team in Canadian University history to sweep three titles in succession, winning from 1979-81. Mark Tennant coached the teams that placed four players on the national senior team and two on the junior squad.

The Quakers won the Pacific Coast Hockey League championship in their first professional year, 1951-52. One of their stars, Lorne (Gump) Worsley, would go on to star in the NHL with Chicago, Montreal and Minnesota.

July 17 1992

1979 Western Canada Summer Games
Saskatoon, Saskatchewan
August 12 to 19, 1979

SOUVENIR PROGRAM

Original Submission - Kerr

APPLICATION FORM
To Name Streets, Parks & Civic Properties

Please complete the attached application form for all new name submissions and requests for re-naming a street, park, or other civic properties.

Name: Peggy Sargeant Saskatoon Heritage Society

Address: 674 University Drive

City/Town: Saskatoon Province: SK Postal Code: S7N0J2

Phone: 306 652-9801 E-mail: williampeggy@sasktel.net

☒ New Name Submission ☐ Re-naming Request

Requested Name(s) (please print)

Donald (Don) C. Kerr

Requested Use of Name

☐ Street ☒ Park ☐ Municipal Facility
☐ Neighbourhood ☒ Other ☐ Any of the Above
☐ Suburban Development Areas

If this is a request for renaming an existing location, please indicate the current name:

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PLEASE INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION AS PART OF YOUR APPLICATION
(Indicate which items are attached to the application form)

1. **Background Information** (Reason for request)
2. **Short Biography** (Given name, date of birth/death, place of birth, contributions, awards, achievements, or other relevant information)

Do you wish to speak to the Naming Advisory Committee? ☒ YES ☐ NO

Please send the completed application form to:
City of Saskatoon Naming Advisory Committee
Community Services Department, Planning and Development Branch
222-3rd Avenue North
Saskatoon, SK
S7K 0J5

Donald C. Kerr (1936 -)

Submission to the City of Saskatoon Naming Advisory Committee from the Saskatoon Heritage Society, 2016

The Saskatoon Heritage Society wishes to put forward the name of Donald ("Don") Kerr for consideration when naming a new park or other area in Saskatoon.

Don has lived his whole life in Saskatoon and has a deep commitment to this community. He has brought credit to the city and to the Province in many fields, - literature, history, film and in public life, notably in the areas of public libraries and heritage preservation. His work shows a knowledge and understanding of prairie culture which few can emulate. Publisher Brick Books says this: "he knows it [prairie culture] from inside out. He has made us aware of ourselves through his numerous volumes of poetry, his fiction, his many plays, his histories, and his interest in heritage".

TIMELINE OF KEY COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

1971 – 1982: Member of the Saskatoon Public Library Board. Chair:1977-82.

1976: First president of the newly formed Saskatoon Heritage Society, (1976- 1980).

1979: Along with John Duerkop, Don lobbied the City to purchase the Marr Residence.

1979: Member of Meewasin's first Board of Directors.

1981: First Chair of the Municipal Heritage Advisory Committee (1981-86) and again from 1997-2000.

1981-1983: Chairperson, Meewasin Heritage Advisory Board.

1991-1996: Member of the Saskatchewan Arts Board.

2000 – 2005: Saskatchewan Governor on the Board of Heritage Canada (later, the Heritage Canada Foundation and then The National trust for Canada).

2002- : Editor of the Saskatoon Heritage Society's annual magazine, *Saskatoon History Review*.

2012: Appointed as Provincial Poet Laureate.

PUBLICATIONS

Don is noted for his career as a poet. Many of his poems reveal his connection to the prairies and to Saskatoon. We remember, in particular, the poem he wrote on the demise of the

Capitol Theatre. His poetic output led to him being appointed the Province's Poet Laureate in 2012.
Don has also written plays, many with historical themes, fiction and non-fiction. He was also a prolific editor. See the attached summaries for more detail.

Two publications stand out for their close connection to Saskatoon and Saskatchewan.

1982: *Saskatoon: the first half-century,* co-authored with Stan Hanson. This has become the standard history of Saskatoon's early years.

2005: *A Book in Every Hand: Public Libraries in Saskatchewan.* Another standard history.

AWARDS
1993: Saskatoon Municipal Heritage Award for Volunteer Public Service
2002: U of S Award for Distinction in Outreach and Community Service. He was the first recipient.
2007: Saskatchewan Order of Merit
2015: Named to the U of S Alumni of Distinction

LOCATION REQUEST

In Saskatoon's northeast sector, there are two parks named after prominent local historians and heritage advocates, William Sarjeant Park and John Duerkop Park. We think it would be most appropriate if Don Kerr could join his former colleagues in the vicinity. Are any new parks being planned for that neighbourhood? Don also worked closely with Meewasin. A park located within MVA jurisdiction would also be appropriate. Any new park planned within Nutana would also be a possibility. Don was a frequenter of the Broadway Roastery. Is anything being planned for that area?

Thank you for your consideration.

Peggy Sarjeant, President, Saskatoon Heritage Society

ATTACHMENTS

Donald Kerr.
David Mandeville

Don Kerr, born in SASKATOON in 1936, received a BA Honours degree in English from the UNIVERSITY OF SASKATCHEWAN, and an MA from the University of Toronto. He studied in London, England, and returned to Saskatoon, where he has taught for both the English and the Drama departments at the UNIVERSITY OF SASKATCHEWAN. Kerr began his writing career as a poet, and has published five volumes. He began writing plays in the 1980s, all of which have been of a political or historical nature. He has also written five short pieces that were broadcast on CBC Radio and covered topics such as a celebration of the city of Saskatoon, jazz, and the dismantling of VIA Rail. Kerr published his first collection of short fiction stories in 2000, his first teen fiction novel in 2001 (and has since continued writing teen fiction using Candy as the main character), and co-wrote and published a history entitled *Saskatoon: The First Half Century* (1982). He has edited two collections of poetry with ANNE SZUMIGALSKI (1986, 1990), two collections of plays with Diane Bessai (1983, 1987), and several other works that reflect his political involvements. He has been an editor with *Next Year Country* (1973–77), Grain (1973–83), *NeWest Review* (which he was influential in bringing to Saskatchewan from Alberta in 1981, and then edited until 1985), *Our Schools/Our Selves*, and he is press editor for more than fifteen books.

Kerr was the first chair of the Saskatoon Municipal Heritage Advisory Committee (1981–86 and 1997–2000), and served on the committee for an additional five years. He was also the Saskatchewan governor for the Heritage Canada Foundation. Kerr has been involved in a number of cultural and arts organizations including the World University Service of Canada (1968–71), the Saskatoon Public Library Board (1971–82; chair from 1977 to 1982), the MEEWASIN VALLEY AUTHORITY (1979–83), and THE SASKATCHEWAN ARTS BOARD (1991–96). He also belonged to SaskFilm (1997–2000). He has been on the boards of two regional publishers: Coteau Books of REGINA (1983–95, and 1997 to present) and NeWest Press (1983 to present

Encyclopedia of Saskatchewan – e.version 2007

CITATION FOR ALUMNI OF INFLUENCE 2015

Kerr is an author of poetry, drama, fiction and non-fiction. He has been selected for eight Saskatchewan Book Award nominations across a spectrum of categories, including one win for *The Garden of Art*, his profile of sculptor Vic Cicansky. Kerr's plays have been performed by 25th Street Theatre, Greystone Theatre, Persephone Theatre and CBC Radio. The acclaim for his 10 published volumes of poetry led to his appointment as Saskatchewan's fourth poet laureate in 2011.

A prolific editor as well as a writer, Kerr has years of editing experience for publications *Grain*, *NeWest Review*, *Next Year Country*, and on the boards of publishers Coteau Books and NeWest Press.
Kerr is a passionate historian who complements his writing of historical fiction and non-fiction with active heritage stewardship in his personal life. He was the first chair of both the Saskatoon Heritage Society and the Saskatoon Municipal Heritage Committee, served on the Meewasin Valley Authority Board, and was elected the Saskatchewan governor for the Heritage Canada Foundation.
For his commitment to his community, Donald Kerr has received the U of S Award for Distinction in Outreach & Engagement and the Saskatchewan Order of Merit—the province's highest honour.

Enquiry Regarding the Use of Donald C. Kerr's Full Name for the Naming of a Park

Subject: Re: Submssion to Naming Advisory Committee

Good Afternoon Daniel,

Thank you for getting back to me. Yes, I would like you to let me know the date of the next Naming Advisory Committee meeting, when it is finalized.

Further to your additional notes, I have to say I was taken aback and quite disturbed by the constraints laid out by the Naming Policy.

- I understand there is a case to be made to keep the naming of roads simple and limited to a last name, so there is no confusion on the part of motorists and and emergency vehicles. I don't see any deviance from this policy on the part of City in this respect. (As a footnote, I feel that the plethora of Courts, Coves, Crescents etc. with the same first name must surely cause much confusion – but that is a conversation for another day!)
- I see parks and other open spaces as quite different from streets. I think they should be looked at separately.
- I see no reason why parks should not include a given and last name. What would be the rationale for limiting the name to the last name?
- The City clearly does not follow its policy with regard to the naming of parks. There are numerous examples throughout the city where parks bear first and last names of the honoree. Two of the most recent would be Chief Darcy Bear Park in Nutana and W.E. Graham behind Victoria School. Even in the new parks being planned, there are several with first and last names – three in Stonebridge and one in Evergreen. I am at a loss to find a rationale for these choices.
- I find it upsetting that former Councillors and City employees are allowed to have both names recognized, yet citizens who may have worked their whole life for the betterment of Saskatoon are for some reason denied full recognition. Are they second class citizens? Some Councillors may have only been in public office for one term of 3 years?

There are very real advantages to including first and last names when naming a park:

- The full name serves to identify the individual honoree. A last name, on its own, does not do this. To make it personal - 'Sarjeant Park' could be named after me or one of my daughters. This would be incorrect but who would know that?
- By identifying the honoree, we unlock some of the history of Saskatoon and make the city a richer place, improving its quality of life, one of the City's identified Goals.

Some years ago, the Friends of the Forestry Farm House lobbied to have historical information about Les Kerr, the last Superintendent of the Sutherland Forest Nursery Station (Forestry Farm Park), included on the post designating Les Kerr Park. This was approved and I understand that

all other park posts were to have historical information added to them – this was supposed to be part of the designation process. Do you know what has happened to that decision? Is it being followed through on? This would be a key component in improving the visitor experience within our parks.

I had no idea I was going to draft such a long response to your email! but I think it has helped me clarify my thoughts on this topic. I think my key thoughts are that Parks should be treated separately from Streets and that, when naming parks, we should be allowing first and last names for everyone. As to who should be honoured and why, that is the big question ...

Thanks for reading,

Peggy Sarjeant