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PROPOSAL TO ASSIGN A RAILWAY STATION NAME

The Geographical Names Board is calling for public comment on a proposal by Transport for NSW to name a new railway station in Baulkham Hills.

Chair of the Geographical Names Board, Narelle Underwood, said feedback is being sought on the proposal to name the station on the corner of Norwest Boulevard and Brookhollow Avenue as *Norwest Railway Station*.

The new station will be the primary public transport interchange in the Norwest Business Park serving one of Sydney's biggest employment precincts and a large residential area. The proposed name aligns the station with this well-known area.

The area, Norwest Business Park, was established in 1992 following the rezoning of the area by state and local governments. The name is derived from the Norbrik (north Sydney Brick & Tile Co) which operated at the site from 1956-2002.

Ms Underwood said the board is encouraging community comment before it considers the proposal.

"We want to make sure everyone has an opportunity to provide their feedback on the proposed name," said Ms Underwood.

Details of the proposal can be viewed and submissions lodged on the Geographical Names Board's website at www.qnb.nsw.gov.au.

Alternatively written submissions may be lodged with the Secretary, Geographical Names Board, 346 Panorama Ave, Bathurst, NSW, 2795.

The closing date for submissions is 24 February 2017.

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