



MEDIA RELEASE

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Proposal to assign a reserve name

The Geographical Names Board is calling for public comment on a proposal by Bland Shire Council to name a reserve in West Wyalong.

Chair of the Geographical Names Board, Narelle Underwood, said feedback is being sought on the proposal to name the site located at the intersection of Monash Street and Park Street, Rannard Park.

The late Eric Rannard was a former Shire Clerk of Bland Shire Council, serving council for 32 years. He was held in high regard by the local community and had years of honourable associations with the professional, commercial, religious, sporting and social life of West Wyalong.

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

“It is important that place names reflect the character and history of the local area and community,” she said.

“We want to make sure everyone has an opportunity to provide their feedback on the proposed name.”

Details of the proposal can be viewed and submissions lodged on the Geographical Names Board’s website at www.gnb.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 Monday 12 November 2018.

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PROPOSED RANNARD PARK