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Proposal to assign a creek name

The Geographical Names Board is calling for public comment on a proposal to name a creek in Korora.

Chair of the Geographical Names Board, Narelle Underwood, said feedback is being sought on the proposal to name the feature, located approximately 17 metres northeast of the end of Jordans Way, extending south for approximately 1.7 kilometres into Pine Brush Creek, *Williams Creek*.

The creek is proposed to commemorate Cecil Theodore Williams and his father Benjamin Williams. Cecil purchased the property in 1947 and farmed the land with Benjamin. The family principally grew tomatoes, peas, beans and bananas.

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 Saturday 11 August 2018.

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