

Media Release

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HAVE YOUR SAY ON A PLACE NAME IN NORTHERN BEACHES LGA

The Geographical Names Board is seeking community feedback on a proposal by Northern Beaches Council to name a reserve in the suburb of Warriewood as *Lynne Czinner Park*.

Chair of the Geographical Names Board Narelle 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.”

The reserve is located south of Angophora Circuit and Callistemon Way, and north of Dove Lane.

The proposed name seeks to commemorate Lynne Czinner (1939-2020) who was a former Mayor and Councillor of Pittwater and a remarkable community leader. Lynne was a firm believer in working with the community and ensured residents were heard on matters that affected them.

Lynne was an advocate for protecting the local environment, particularly around the Warriewood Wetlands and escarpment. She was a strong supporter for sustainable development in Pittwater and worked to ensure there were recreational facilities available for residents to enjoy the local surroundings.

GNB is seeking feedback to gauge community sentiment for the proposed name. Suggestions for alternative names is not being sought at this time.

Details of the proposal can be viewed, and submissions lodged on the Geographical Names Board’s website.

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

The closing date for submissions is 6 November 2021.