



## MEDIA RELEASE

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### PROPOSED SUBURB BOUNDARY AMENDMENT IN THE BAYSIDE COUNCIL AREA

The Geographical Names Board (GNB) is seeking public comment on a proposal to change existing suburb boundaries within The Bayside Local Government Area.

The proposal is to amend the suburb boundaries of Pagewood and Eastgardens. It is proposed for the boundary of Pagewood to be extended to include a large development located at the corner of Bunnerong Road and Heffron Road.

The proposal has been submitted by Bayside City Council with the endorsement of the Botany Historical Trust. The area has historically been known as Pagewood, it was the original site of the Pagewood Film Studios which operated up until 1959.

“An important element of determining place names and boundaries is endeavouring to meet the approval of affected residents,” said Mrs Narelle Underwood, Chair of the Geographical Names Board.

“So that it can consider resident feedback the Board is encouraging community comment before it considers adopting Council’s proposal,” she said.

Copies of map GNB5925-1-A showing the proposed suburb boundary amendment will be on display at Bayside City Council’s Customer Service Centres located in Eastgardens and Rockdale.

The proposal can also be viewed and submissions lodged on the Geographical Names Board’s website at [www.gnb.nsw.gov.au](http://www.gnb.nsw.gov.au)

Email submissions can be lodged with the Secretary, Geographical Names Board [ss-GNB@finance.nsw.gov.au](mailto:ss-GNB@finance.nsw.gov.au)

Otherwise people can write to the Secretary, Geographical Names Board, 346 Panorama Ave, Bathurst, NSW 2795.

“Residents are invited to view the proposed boundary amendments and lodge submissions with the Geographical Names Board by Friday 27 July 2018,” Mrs Underwood said.

The closing date for submissions is 27 July 2018.

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