

MEDIA RELEASE

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PROPOSAL TO ASSIGN TWO CORLETTE RESERVE NAMES

The Geographical Names Board is calling for public comment on a proposal by Port Stephens Council to name two reserves in the locality of Corlette.

Chair of the Geographical Names Board, Des Mooney, said feedback is being sought on the proposal to name the following sites:

Cove Reserve for a reserve bounded by Mooring Avenue, Reveal Cove and Charthouse Avenue.

The name originates from the road that bounds the reserve Reveal Cove.

Mooring Reserve for a reserve bounded by Mooring Avenue, Spinnaker Way and Gawul Circuit.

The reserve is named after the road that provides access to the reserve Mooring Avenue.

Mr Mooney 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,” he 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 18 July 2016.

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