



Media Release

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HAVE YOUR SAY ON A RESERVE NAME IN PENRITH LGA

The Geographical Names Board is seeking community feedback on a proposal to name a reserve in the suburb of Caddens as *Gandell Reserve*.

Chair of the Geographical Names Board Narelle Underwood said the Board is encouraging community comment before it considers the proposal.

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

The reserve is located on the corner of Bargo Boulevard and Murcott Terrace, in the suburb of Caddens.

The late John Gandell arrived in Australia in 1806 as a convict. In 1814 Governor Macquarie granted Gandell 200 acres of land. In 1818, he was appointed Assistant Superintendent of Convicts at Hyde Park Barracks.

The proposed name seeks to commemorate Gandell, as a portion of the proposed reserve was previously owned by him.

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 04 July 2021.