
CITY OF KELOWNA
MEMORANDUM

Date: November 25, 2003
File No.: 5450-20
To: City Manager
From: Planning & Corporate Services Department
Subject: Proposed Re-Naming of Laurence Road to Pioneer Road
Report prepared by: Shelley Gambacort

1.0 **RECOMMENDATION**

THAT Municipal Council consider re-naming Laurence Road to Pioneer Road as identified on Schedule "A" attached to the report from the Planning & Corporate Services Department dated November 25, 2003.

AND THAT Staff be directed to prepare the necessary road name change bylaw.

2.0 **BACKGROUND**

We have received a written request from the residents on Laurence Road to change the road name to Pioneer Road. Laurence Road is located on the east side of Benvoulin Road approximately 475 m north of Casorso Road.

The reason for their request is to eliminate the confusion that results from duplicate sounding road names of Laurence Road and Lawrence Avenue. All of the affected property owners have signed a petition (attached) requesting the road name change from Laurence Road to Pioneer Road. They have chosen the name of 'Pioneer' as it was one of the first roads in the area.

The Planning & Corporate Services Department is pleased that the residents have approached the City to address the problem of the road name duplication and have no concerns with the proposed re-naming of this road to Pioneer Road.

Should Council give favourable consideration to this proposed road re-naming a letter will be sent to the registered property owners advising of the proposed change.

R. G. Shaughnessy
Subdivision Approving Officer

Approved for inclusion

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Director of Planning & Development Services

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Attachments (Petition & Schedule "A")

Schedule "A"

