CITY OF KELOWNA

MEMORANDUM

Date:

April 8, 2008

File No.:

5450-01

To:

City Manager

From:

Transportation Manager

Subject:

Proposed Renaming of Clifton Road and Skyline Street

1.0 RECOMMENDATION:

THAT municipal Council consider re-naming the lower portion of Clifton Road, north of High Road to Caldow Street and the former Skyline Street and north-south section of High Road to Clifton Road, as per Schedule 'A', of the report of the Transportation Manager dated April 8, 2008.

AND THAT staff be directed to prepare the necessary Road Name Change Bylaw.

2.0 BACKGROUND:

As a result of recent Skyline Street extension project, High Road has been realigned and the upper portion of Clifton Road has been connected to High Road via Skyline Street. This has resulted in two disconnected sections of Clifton Road and several road name changes as drivers head north from Clement Avenue.

Rather than having the street names change from High Road, to Skyline Street, to Clifton Road, the intention is to have the entire road named Clifton Road, from Clement Avenue, to the north terminus of the road. The remaining, lower section of Clifton Road, located to the east, would then be changed to Caldow Street.

The name Caldow originates from the Caldow Family, a prominent farming family from the Glenmore area, circa 1923. This name was selected from the City's list of Pioneer Road names.

Letters were sent to all affected residents and five phone responses were received. The primary concerns were regarding logistics of mail delivery and notification of address change. These issues were resolved to the satisfaction of the residents.

The Planning and Corporate Services Department is in full support of the re-naming of the road and there is no conflict with similar names in the Region.

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Considerations that were not applicable to this report:

INTERNAL CIRCULATION: N/A

LEGAL/STATUTORY AUTHORIZATION: N/A

LEGAL/STATUTORY PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENTS: N/A

EXISTING POLICY: N/A

FINANCIAL/BUDGETARY CONSIDERATIONS: N/A

PERSONNEL IMPLICATIONS: N/A TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS: N/A

EXTERNAL AGENCY/PUBLIC COMMENTS: N/A COMMUNICATIONS CONSIDERATIONS: N/A ALTERNATE RECOMMENDATION: N/A

Ron Westlake, P.Eng. Transportation Manager

Approved for Inclusion:

J. Vos, P.Eng. Director of Works & Utilities



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Schedule 'A'