

STAFF REPORT ACTION REQUIRED

Renaming of "Don Jail Roadway" to "Jack Layton Way"

Date:	December 20, 2012
То:	Toronto East York Community Council
From:	City Surveyor
Wards:	Ward 30
Reference Number:	P:\2013\Cluster B\TEC\TE13007

SUMMARY

On November 27, 2012, City Council adopted Item TE20.51 approving the name "Jack Layton Way" for the proposed public street illustrated as Block 9 on Plan 66M-2468. This proposed public street begins at the Don Valley Parkway and extends easterly across the frontage of the Bridgepoint Hospital property until it intersects with Don Jail Roadway. The purpose of this report is to recommend that City Council approve the renaming of a portion of Don Jail Roadway to "Jack Layton Way" so that the street has one consistent name from the Don Valley Parkway to Broadview Avenue.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Technical Services recommends that:

1. City Council approve the renaming of a portion of Don Jail Roadway, being Parts 22, 23 and 45, Plan 66R-24227, to "Jack Layton Way".

Financial Impact

There are no financial implications resulting from the adoption of this report.

ISSUE BACKGROUND

As part of the Bridgepoint Hospital development, "Jack Layton Way" was approved by City Council at its meeting of November 27, http://app.toronto.ca/tmmis/viewAgendaItemHistory.do?item=2012.TE20.51.

"Jack Layton Way" begins at the Don Valley Parkway and extends easterly until it intersects Don Jail Roadway. Don Jail Roadway begins at Broadview Avenue and extends westerly and southerly until it intersects with Gerrard Street East. The southerly portion of Don Jail Roadway is to be closed and become part of the Bridgepoint Hospital property. The northerly portion of Don Jail Roadway will remain open. This northerly portion will become the easterly extension of the new street "Jack Layton Way", forming one continuous street from the Don Valley Parkway to Broadview Avenue.

COMMENTS

For operational and safety reasons, it is advisable that the portion of "Don Jail Roadway" being Part 22, 23 and 45 on Plan 66R-24227, illustrated on Attachment No. 1, be renamed to "Jack Layton Way".

The City of Toronto Honourific and Street Naming Policy can be found at: <u>http://www.toronto.ca/mapping/street_naming/index.htm</u>

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ATTACHMENTS

Attachment No. 1 - Location Map

Attachment No. 1

