



## STAFF REPORT ACTION REQUIRED

### **Naming of Public Lane located South of Eglinton Avenue West and extending easterly from Oakwood Avenue**

<b>Date:</b>	July 11, 2014
<b>To:</b>	North York Community Council
<b>From:</b>	Director, Engineering Services
<b>Wards:</b>	Ward 15
<b>Reference Number:</b>	P:\2014\Cluster B\TEC\ NY14046

#### **SUMMARY**

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This report recommends that the name "Reggae Lane" be approved to identify a public lane located south of Eglinton Avenue West and extending easterly from Oakwood Avenue.

Community Councils have delegated authority to decide street naming matters which comply with the City of Toronto Honourific and Street Naming Policy.

#### **RECOMMENDATIONS**

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Engineering and Construction Services recommends that North York Community Council:

1. approve the name, "Reggae Lane" to identify the public lane south of Eglinton Avenue West and extending easterly from Oakwood Avenue.

#### **Financial Impact**

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

#### **ISSUE BACKGROUND**

At its meeting on June 17, 2014, North York Community Council adopted Item NY33.57 which contained the following recommendation:

1. *The Manager, Land and Property Surveys to investigate and report to the August meeting of North York Community Council on the suitability of naming the public*

*street located south of Eglinton Avenue West and extending easterly from Oalkwood Avenue as "Reggae Lane".*

<http://app.toronto.ca/tmmis/viewAgendaItemHistory.do?item=2014.NY33.57>

The lane is shown as Part 1 on Attachment No 1 – Sketch No. PS-2014-072.

The proposed name "Reggae Lane" was selected in order to recognize the important music history of Eglinton Avenue West.

## **COMMENTS**

The proposed name has been circulated for comment and is acceptable to Toronto Police Service, Toronto Fire Services and Toronto Emergency Medical Services.

Councillor Colle supports the proposal, and community support has been provided.

The North York Preservation Panel objects to the name and proposes the name "Captain Jessop Lane" after an historical figure.

This naming proposal complies with the City of Toronto Honourific and Street Naming Policy. <http://app.toronto.ca/tmmis/viewAgendaItemHistory.do?item=2013.EX36.3>

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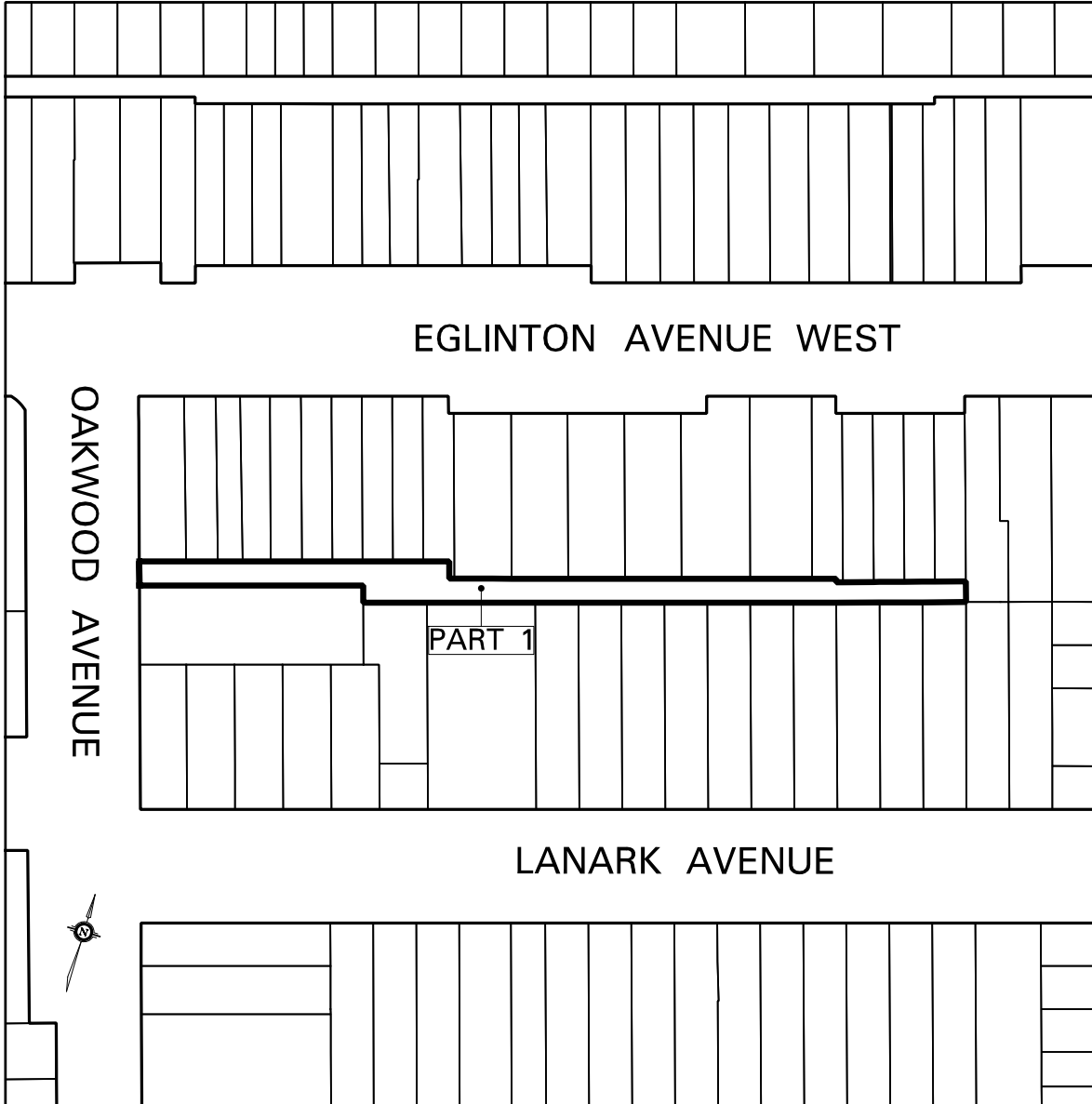
## **SIGNATURE**

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## **ATTACHMENT**

Attachment No. 1 Sketch No. PS-2014-072



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PROPERTY INFORMATION SHEET  
NAMING OF PUBLIC LANE LOCATED SOUTH OF  
EGLINTON AVENUE WEST,  
EAST OF OAKWOOD AVENUE  
WARD 15 - EGLINTON-LAWRENCE  
DATE: JUNE 24, 2014  
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