

Naming of a Proposed Public Street at 4700 Keele Street (York University)

Date: August 17, 2017

To: North York Community Council

From: Director, Engineering Support Services, Engineering and Construction Services

Wards: Ward 8 York West

SUMMARY

This report recommends that the name "Lions Way" be approved to identify the proposed public street located at 4700 Keele Street within York University.

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

RECOMMENDATIONS

Engineering and Construction Services recommends that North York Community Council:

1. Approve the name "Lions Way" for the proposed public street at 4700 Keele Street.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

The cost to install two street name signs is approximately \$500 and is included within the Transportation Services Division Operating Budget.

DECISION HISTORY

This is the first time that this issue is before Community Council.

COMMENTS

On March 29, 2017, an application was received from Joanna Kervin of the Toronto Transit Commission (TTC) acting as agent for York University to name a proposed public street located at 4700 Keele Street "Lions Way" in celebration of the official name for the athletic teams representing York University. The new street is located in the northwestern quarter of York University's campus, in close proximity to numerous sport and recreation facilities (Track & Field Centre, York Stadium, and York Lions Stadium).

The proposed name "Lions Way" complies with the City of Toronto Street Naming Policy. It has been circulated for comment and is acceptable to Toronto Police Service, Toronto Fire Services, and Toronto Paramedic Services.

The local councillor, Councillor Perruzza, has stated a preference to name the proposed public street in honour of Howard Moscoe, a former City of Toronto Councillor, based on the former Councillor's contributions to the local community. The name "Howard Moscoe Way" also complies with the City of Toronto Street Naming Policy. It has been circulated for comment and is acceptable to Toronto Police Service, Toronto Fire Services, and Toronto Paramedic Services. Mr. Moscoe has provided his consent.

The proposed public street is shown as PART 1 on Attachment No.1 Sketch No. PS-2017-055.

[Street Naming Policy](#)

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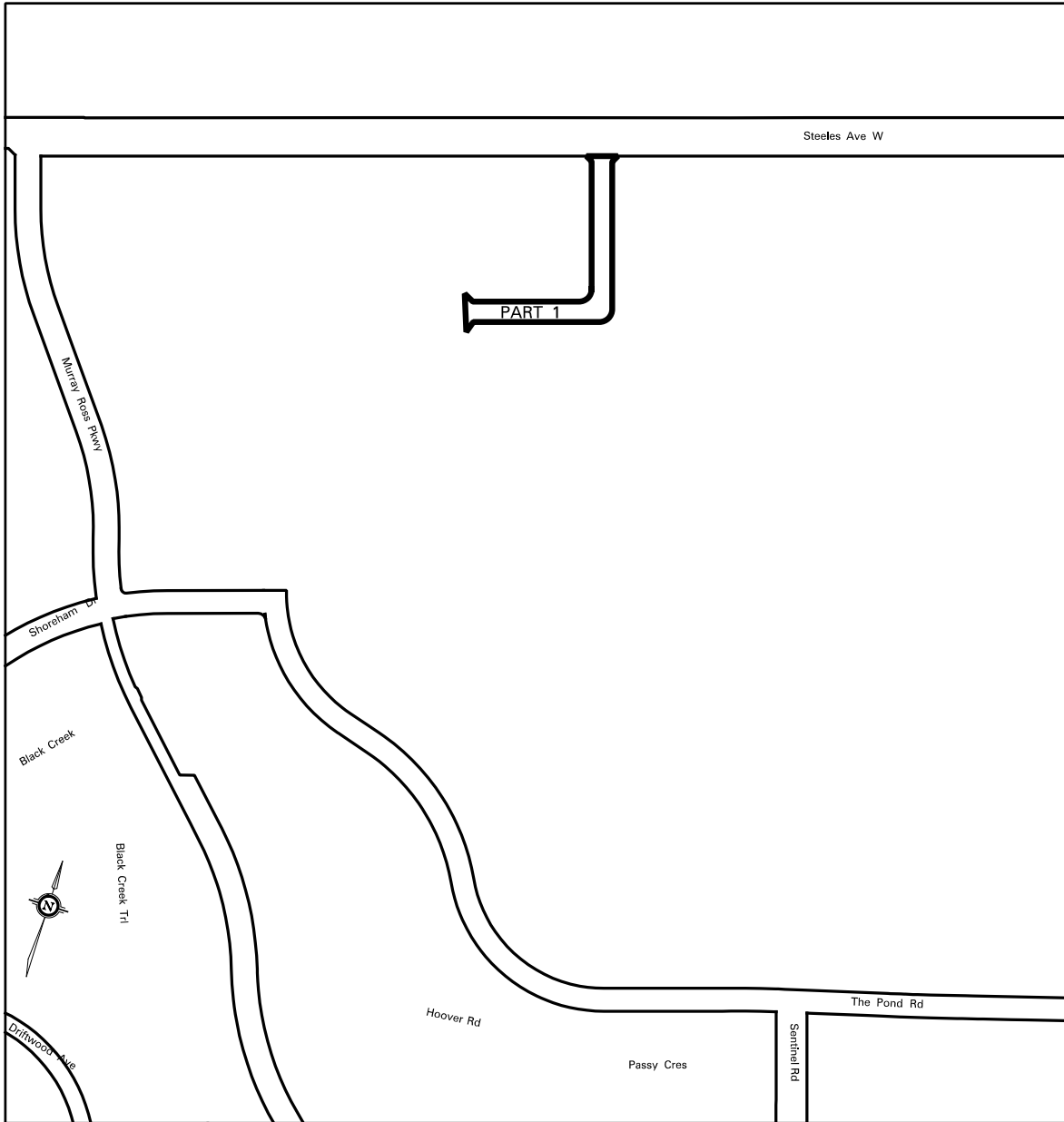
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ATTACHMENT

Attachment No. 1 Sketch No. PS-2017-055

Attachment No. 1 Sketch No. PS-2017-055, showing the location of the proposed public street located at 4700 Keele Street within York University. The street extends south and west from Steeles Avenue West, and is located east of Murray Ross Parkway



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4700 KEELE STREET AT YORK UNIVERSITY

WARD 8 – YORK WEST
DATE: MAY 11, 2017

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