

Naming of an existing Public Lane bounded by Wallace Avenue, Symington Avenue, Antler Street and Perth Avenue

Date: November 15, 2019

To: Toronto and East York Community Council

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

Wards: 9 Davenport

SUMMARY

This report recommends that the name "Royce Lane" be approved to identify an existing public lane bounded by Wallace Avenue, Symington Avenue, Antler Street and Perth Avenue.

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 Toronto and East York Community Council:

1. Approve the name "Royce Lane" for an existing public lane bounded by Wallace Avenue, Symington Avenue, Antler Street and Perth.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

The cost to install street name signage is approximately \$500 and is included within the Transportation Services Division's approved 2019 Operating Budget.

DECISION HISTORY

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

COMMENTS

An application was received on October 10, 2019, to name the existing public lane bounded by Wallace Avenue, Symington Avenue, Antler Street and Perth as, "Royce Lane" commemorating the historical name of Dupont Street.

The following background and rationale provided by the applicant:

"(Royce Lane)"

"Plan of subdivision M-13 dated April 27, 1887, shows Royce Avenue to be the historic street name for Dupont Street. Dupont Street was officially renamed in By-law 16917 on April 26, 1947 and combined former Van Horne Street and former Royce Avenue. The neighbourhood and surrounding community would like to have the subject lane officially named Royce Lane as it is historically significant to the area."

The proposed name has been circulated for comment and is acceptable to Toronto Police Service, Toronto Fire Services, Toronto Paramedic Services, and Councillor Bailão.

Community support was demonstrated with a petition of signatures from property owners/ residents who directly abut the lane.

This naming proposal complies with the City of Toronto Street Naming Policy which can be found at <https://www.toronto.ca/city-government/planning-development/street-naming/>

The lane is shown as PART 1 on Attachment No.1 Sketch No. PS-2019-123.

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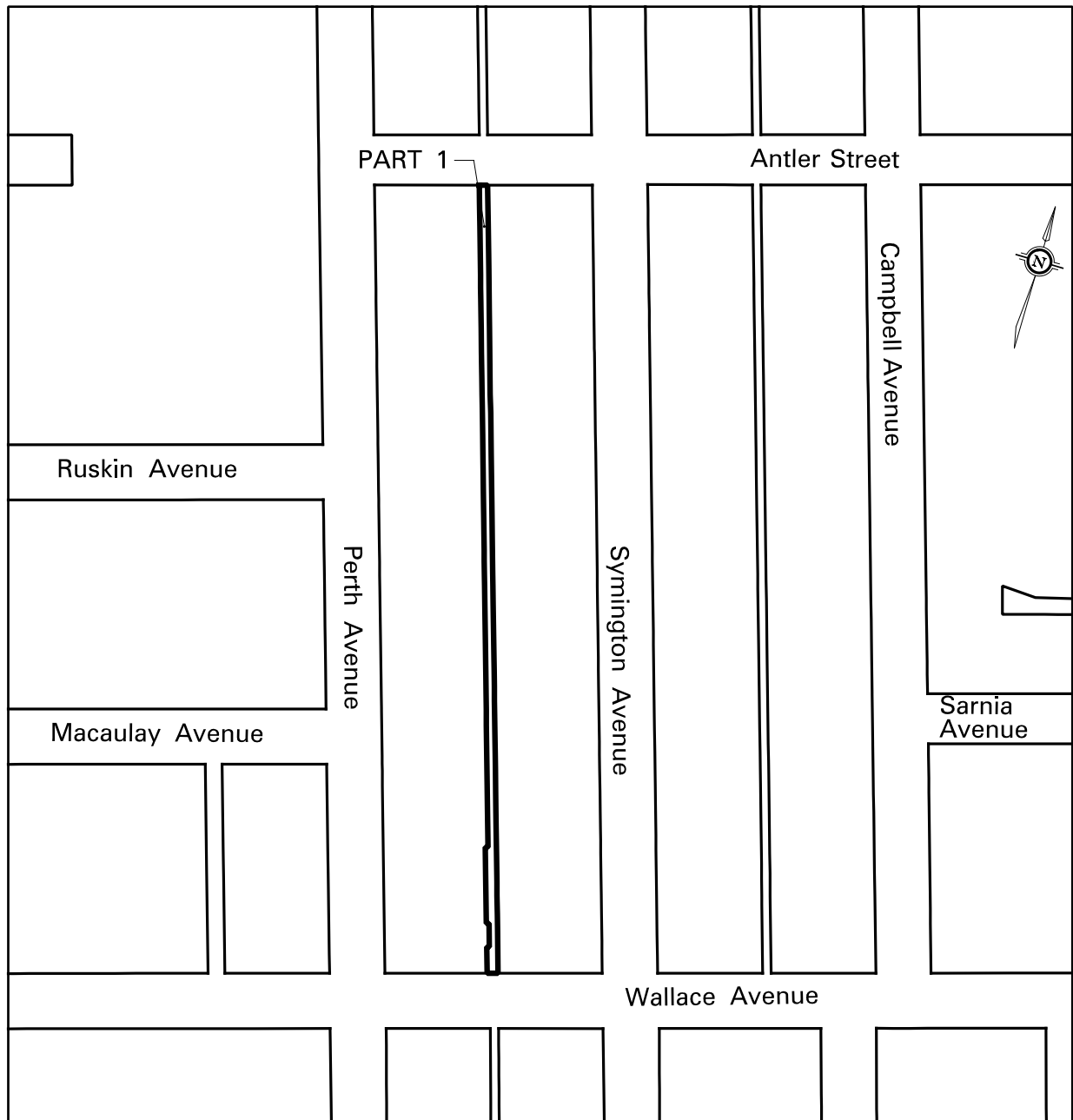
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ATTACHMENTS

Attachment No. 1 Sketch No. PS-2019-123

Attachment No. 1 Sketch No. PS-2019-123, showing the location of an existing public lane bounded by Wallace Avenue, Symington Avenue, Antler Street and Perth Avenue.



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PROPERTY INFORMATION SHEET

NAMING OF AN EXISTING PUBLIC LANE BOUNDED
BY WALLACE AVENUE, SYMINGTON AVENUE,
ANTLER STREET AND PERTH AVENUE

WARD 9 - DAVENPORT
DATE: OCTOBER 25, 2019

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