

Naming of an existing Public Lane west of Glasgow Street north of Cecil Street

Date: May 10, 2024

To: Toronto and East York Community Council

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

Wards: Ward 11 – University-Rosedale

SUMMARY

This report recommends that the name “Red Dragon Lane” be approved to identify an existing public lane located west of Glasgow Street north of Cecil Street.

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/>

RECOMMENDATIONS

Engineering and Construction Services recommends that Toronto and East York Community Council:

1. Approve the name "Red Dragon Lane" for an existing public lane located west of Glasgow Street north of Cecil Street.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

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

DECISION HISTORY

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

COMMENTS

An application was received on February 8th, 2023, from a resident requesting to name the existing public lane located west of Glasgow Street north of Cecil Street, as Red Dragon Lane, nodding to the local community and honouring Asian immigrants in the City of Toronto.

The following background and rationale provided by the applicant:

“Red Dragon”

“We live in Chinatown and red dragons are seen throughout our neighbourhood. We even have a nice red metal one attached to our front porch wall. We would honour the countless of Asian immigrants who have made Canada a better place.”

The proposed name has been circulated for comment and is acceptable to Toronto Police Service, Toronto Fire Services, Toronto Paramedic Services, and Councillor Dianne Saxe, Ward 11 University-Rosedale.

Community support was demonstrated via written support from the owners/residents of the properties abutting the lane.

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

The lane is shown as PART 1 on Attachment No.1 Sketch No. PS-2024-008.

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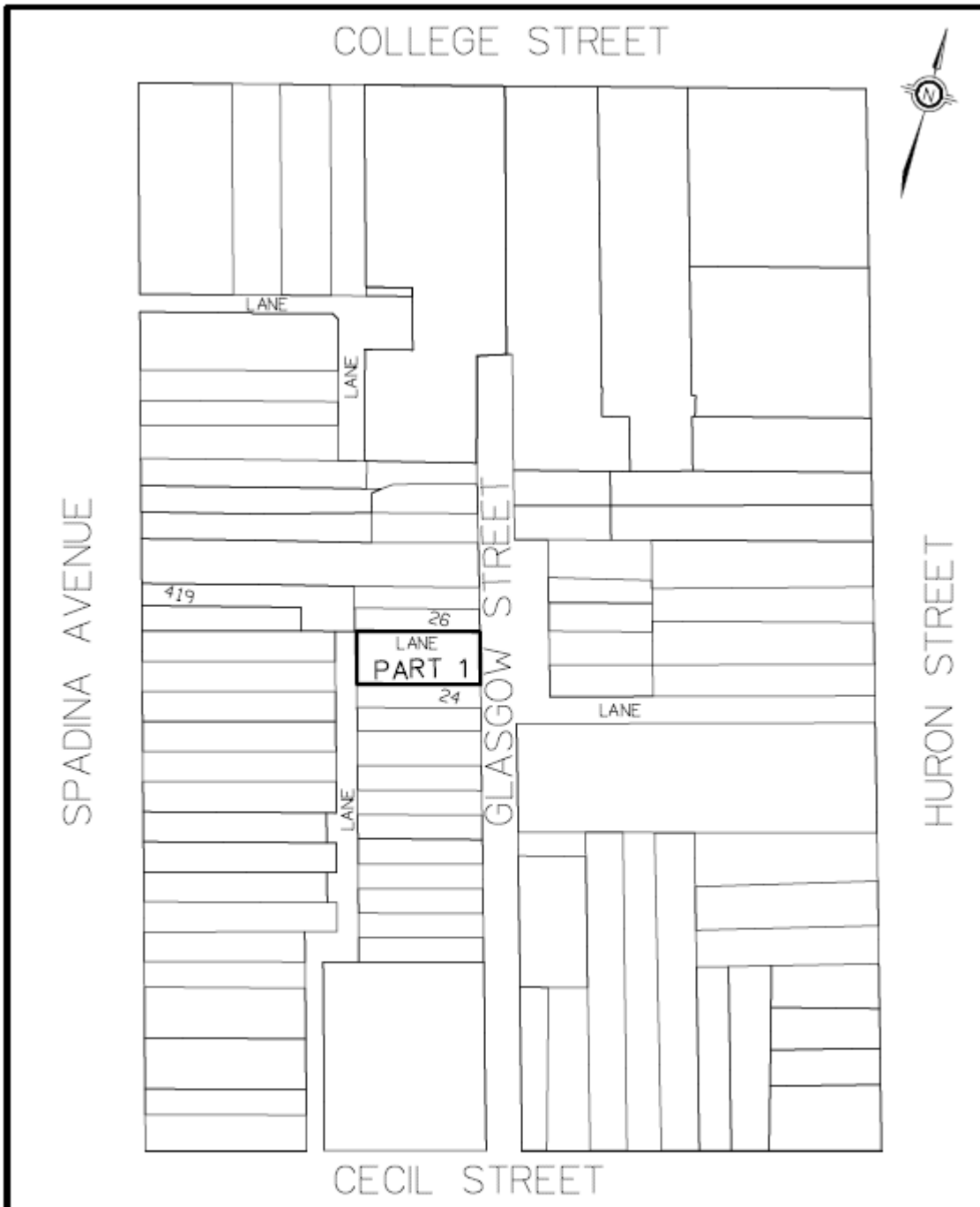
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ATTACHMENTS

Attachment No. 1 Sketch No. PS-2024-008

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 Showing the location of an existing public lane located west of Glasgow Street north of Cecil Street.



 <p><small>ENGINEERING & CONSTRUCTION SERVICES ENGINEERING SUPPORT SERVICES LAND & PROPERTY SURVEYS</small></p>	PROPERTY INFORMATION SHEET
<p><small>NOTE: THIS SKETCH HAS BEEN COMPILED FROM OFFICE RECORDS. MEASUREMENTS ARE APPROXIMATE</small></p>	NAMING OF AN EXISTING PUBLIC LANE WEST OF GLASGOW STREET NORTH OF CECIL STREET
<p><small>CHECKED BY: R. SEGUN PREPARED BY: S. LOMBARDO</small></p>	<p>WARD - 11 UNIVERSITY-ROSEDALE DATE: APRIL 10, 2024 SKETCH No. PS-2024-008</p>