


Our ref: D6712717

28 August 2017

Dear _____

**Proposed New Road Name for unnamed Road off South Gippsland Hwy - Leongatha
Naming Survey**

South Gippsland Shire Council is proposing to name a road in the locality of Leongatha. The location and extent of the road proposed to be named is detailed below;

This unnamed road runs to the East/West off South Gippsland Hwy, Leongatha for approximately 355 metres (shown as  in **Figure 1**, attached) and is on Councils Public Road Registrar as a public road.

Public safety is paramount. The new road name will be officially named and registered with the Office of Geographic Names, thus ensuring emergency services can locate all properties addressed to the road, by providing a unique name and rural road numbering for this road.

The proposed name put forward to Council is **"AVERY LANE"** after Harry Avery who had a small butchers shop in McCartin Street, Leongatha in the 1940's & 1950's. The Avery's also owned the land where the old "Drive In" site use to be which is adjacent to this road.

As an abutting land owner/occupier and to whom the proposed new name will affect, can you please cast your **vote** by completing the attached survey and return to Council in the replied paid envelope.

Please feel free to contact myself on 5662 9303, for further information.

Yours sincerely

Joanne Cox
Technical Officer Assets Department

28 August 2017
Abutting land owners

Naming Survey

Proposed New Road Name for Unnamed Road off South Gippsland Hwy - Leongatha

Only fill in one survey slip per household. Do you agree or disagree with the proposed name of **"AVERY LANE"**.

Please place a tick in the box next to your preference. **Only tick one box.**

☐ - Agree

☐ - Disagree

The official name of the unnamed road off South Gippsland Hwy, will be decided, subject to South Gippsland Shire Council's approval at the next available Council Meeting.

If you would like to make any other comments in support or objection to the name proposed, please do so by making comment below. You must explain why you do not support the name.

If you do not respond to this survey it will be taken as tacit approval of the proposed name.

All name submissions must comply with the '*Naming rules for places in Victoria – Statutory requirements for naming roads, features and localities 2016*'.

All submissions must be received by COB **Thursday 28 September 2017**, within 30 days of this notice.

Please confirm your contact details and sign below and return to Council in the replied paid envelope.

Objections:

<Name> <Surname>

Property address | <Address>

Date:

Signature:

Figure 1 – Locality Map**Figure 2 - VICNAMES Compliance Check**

Compliance with the Naming Rules for Places in Victoria - Roads, Features, and Places 2016

PROPOSED ROAD NAMES		ORIGIN OF ROAD NAME
AVERY	LANE	Harry Avery had a small butchers shop in McCartin Street, Leongatha in the 1940's & 1950's. The Avery's also owned the land where the old "Drive In" site use to be which is adjacent to this section of road.
VICNAMES COMPLIANCE CHECK	CONFORMS	VICNAMES 15KM DUPLICATE ¹ OR SIMILAR SOUNDING/SPELLING NAME SEARCH WAS CARRIED OUT ON THE SUGGESTED NAME
AVERY	✓	No duplications or similar sounding names were found for the proposed name.

¹ **Duplicates** are considered to be two (or more) names within close proximity, or names that are identical or have similar spelling or pronunciation.