

Naming Mount Best Road

South Gippsland Shire Council is proposing to name an unnamed road off Foster Mount Best Road, Mount Best.

The road will be named Stagecoach Track to provide a unique name and rural road numbering for this location.

The Foster District Historical Society and Mount Best Community Hall Association Inc. proposed three names for the road including Stagecoach, Cobb and Co and Coach House. The name Stagecoach was suggested as the road was once a through road and the old house located on the road was at one stage a stop for the Cobb & Co stagecoach route.

Council will now forward the proposed road name change to Geographic Names Victoria for final consideration and approval.

If accepted a notice will be placed in local newspapers and abutting land owners, local organisations and stakeholders will be advised.

South Gippsland Shire Council's Manager Infrastructure Planning Tony Peterson was pleased to have this location clarified for locals, emergency services and visitors.

"The new road name for Stagecoach Track will ensure easier navigation for motorists but most importantly for all emergency services in times of urgent need.

"Council is also proud to use the opportunity to recognise a little piece of history for the area," said Mr Peterson

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