

Renaming of Perry Street Alphington

Council is considering renaming the section of Perry Street Alphington south of Heidelberg Road.

Over time, the street numbering has been inconsistent, meaning that (for example), the numbering increases as you head south, except for number 8,10,12, 14 and 16, where the numbering runs the other way. Insufficient numbers have been reserved for future subdivisions in a number of places, and there is some duplication in addresses between Perry Street Alphington and Perry Street Fairfield (which have the same postcode).

It is important to eliminate this confusion, as it is likely that emergency services vehicles called to properties in Perry Street could be delayed as the driver locates the address. Difficulties are also likely to be experienced in receiving mail, deliveries and directing visitors.



Council does not have a new street name in mind at this early stage, and before we select a name, members of the public will be given a chance to put forward a suggestion, as well as to be involved in the decision-making process. We will be guided by our own policy and the State Government's Naming Rules for Places in Victoria. This will include consultation with the Wurundjeri Tribe.

As the first step in the process, we have written to the small number of landowners and occupiers whose property address would change the get their feedback. Once that process is complete, we will determine whether to proceed with the renaming.

If you have any questions on this proposal, please contact Council's Senior Governance Advisor, Rhys Thomas at rhys.thomas@yarracity.vic.gov.au or on 9205 5302.