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WEST DAPTO SUBURBS REVIEW PROJECT - KEMBLA GRANGE (SUBURBS 'A' AND 'B')

The West Dapto Suburbs Review Project aims to ensure that the West Dapto Urban Release Area (WDURA) meets the community's future needs and complies with the guidelines set by the Geographical Names Board (GNB). The project is a Council initiative, responding to the GNB's policy encouraging Councils to take early action to define and name new suburbs in areas of significant land release. Staff formed a community working group and Aboriginal working group early in the review process to consider naming suggestions.

The review originally targeted splitting Kembla Grange, Huntley and Avondale to create six (6) new suburbs. The size of the three (3) existing suburbs reflects the traditional rural locality. All three will continue to transition to an urban character with increased population density.

In November 2021, Council resolved to apply to the GNB to progress the proposed new boundary and names for Suburb's 'A' and 'B'. The proposed suburb names being 'Stream Hill' and 'Kembla Grange' respectively. Council also resolved to pause the Huntley review until suburb duplication with Orange City Council is resolved and to no longer consider Avondale as part of the review.

On 8 March 2022, the GNB supported the proposed Stream Hill and Kembla Grange suburbs progressing to a GNB public exhibition stage. The GNB public exhibition was held between 27 April to 27 May 2022. This report provides a summary of issues raised during the GNB exhibition and outlines a staff response to those issues. The report recommends that Council maintain support for the renaming proposal and endorse Attachment 1 – Response to submissions, enabling it to be sent to the GNB as Council's response to objections.

#### RECOMMENDATION

- 1 Council lodge a submission to the Geographical Names Board (GNB) responding to issues raised during their GNB public exhibition of the proposed new Suburbs 'A' and 'B' under the West Dapto Suburbs Review Project.
- 2 Council continues to support the suburb names 'Stream Hill' and 'Kembla Grange' for proposed Suburb's 'A' and 'B' respectively.
- 3 Council seek amendments to proposed suburb boundaries of Stream Hill, Dombarton and Kembla Grange, in response to submissions.

#### REPORT AUTHORISATIONS

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#### ATTACHMENTS

- 1 Council's response to submissions (from the Geographical Names Board's exhibition)

#### BACKGROUND

The GNB publication: *NSW Address Policy and User Manual* recommends for areas experiencing population growth that new, smaller suburbs be created before residential densities increase significantly. Early intervention will, understandably, minimise disruption to future residents.

At the meeting of 1 November 2021, Council resolved unanimously to –

- 1 Council applies to the Geographical Names Board (GNB) to progress the proposed new boundary and names for Suburbs 'A' and 'B' under the West Dapto Suburbs Review Project. The proposed suburb names being 'Stream Hill' and 'Kembla Grange' respectively.
- 2 The West Dapto Suburbs Review Project that applies to Huntley (Suburbs C and D) is paused until the outcomes of the GNB consideration of duplication of suburb names in NSW is finalised.
- 3 Council does not progress the West Dapto Suburb review of Avondale at this time.
- 4 Council staff keep a list of names relevant to West Dapto that have been nominated through the suburbs review process for consideration in future street and park naming. The list should be provided to active and future developers in the release area.

On 3 February 2022, Council submitted the request for the West Dapto Suburb Renaming Project to be considered by the GNB. Stream Hill is proposed for newly created Suburb 'A' which will be excised from the western side of Kembla Grange, allowing the eastern side (Suburb 'B') to retain the existing name. The eastern side - Suburb 'B' - should retain the name as the Kembla Grange Train Station, Racecourse, the two wartime cemeteries and most existing businesses are within the boundary.

On 8 March 2022, GNB staff reported the West Dapto Suburb Renaming Project to their Board, in compliance with the NSW Place and Road Naming System. The Board resolved to approve the advertising of the proposal which occurred from 27 April 2022 to 27 May 2022. The GNB received 57 submissions: 39 objections and 18 in support. On 31 May 2022, Council was invited to respond to the issues raised in objections. Council's response is intended to help the GNB reconsider the proposal in light of objections received and confirms that council would like the GNB to proceed. The GNB advises that all submissions are confidential and therefore only summary of the issues raised is provided in Attachment 1.

## PROPOSAL

### Stream Hill

The proposed names for Suburb 'A' was nominated by the community following the public consultation process required by the Council resolution of 26 October 2020, to 'investigate further naming options for the second portion of Kembla Grange'.

When the community was consulted on the three naming options for Suburb 'A' being Stream Hill, Haworth and Murringah, the favoured name was Stream Hill. The non-Aboriginal working group is supportive of the name.

Stream Hill is the name of one of the oldest extant farmhouses in the Local Government Area (LGA). It is a listed heritage item within the Wollongong Local Environmental Plan 2009 being one of the 10 veteran land grants awarded to military men post colonisation. It was awarded to Private Joseph Harris in 1832, who had served under Charles Sturt charting river systems. The property sold to William Sheaffe in 1839. Sandstone mined from the property was used to build the West Dapto Primary School and Residence, as well as the McPhail residence on Sheaffes Rd. Council acquired the Stream Hill property in 1992.



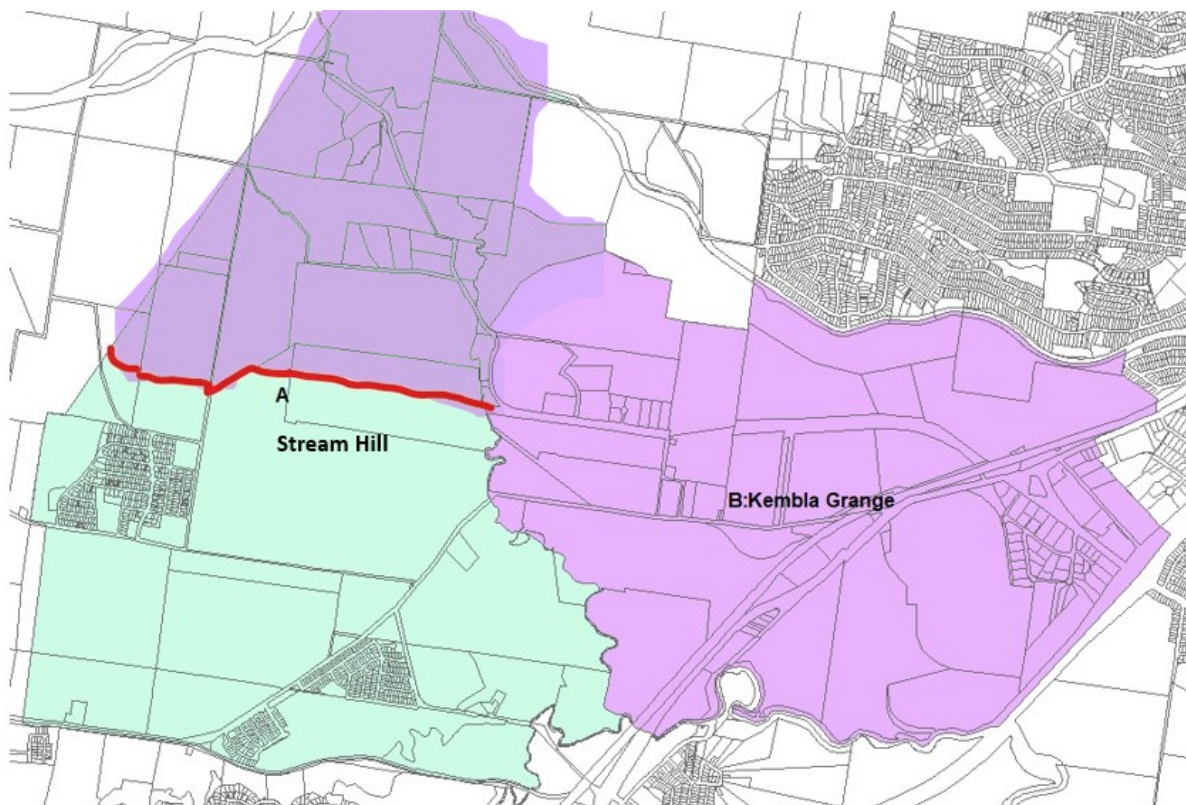
**Image 1:** Stream Hill Homestead.

## Boundary

In response to issues raised in submissions and ongoing discussions with GNB, the following boundary amendments are suggested, between proposed Suburbs A and B -

- Reddalls Road boundary change.

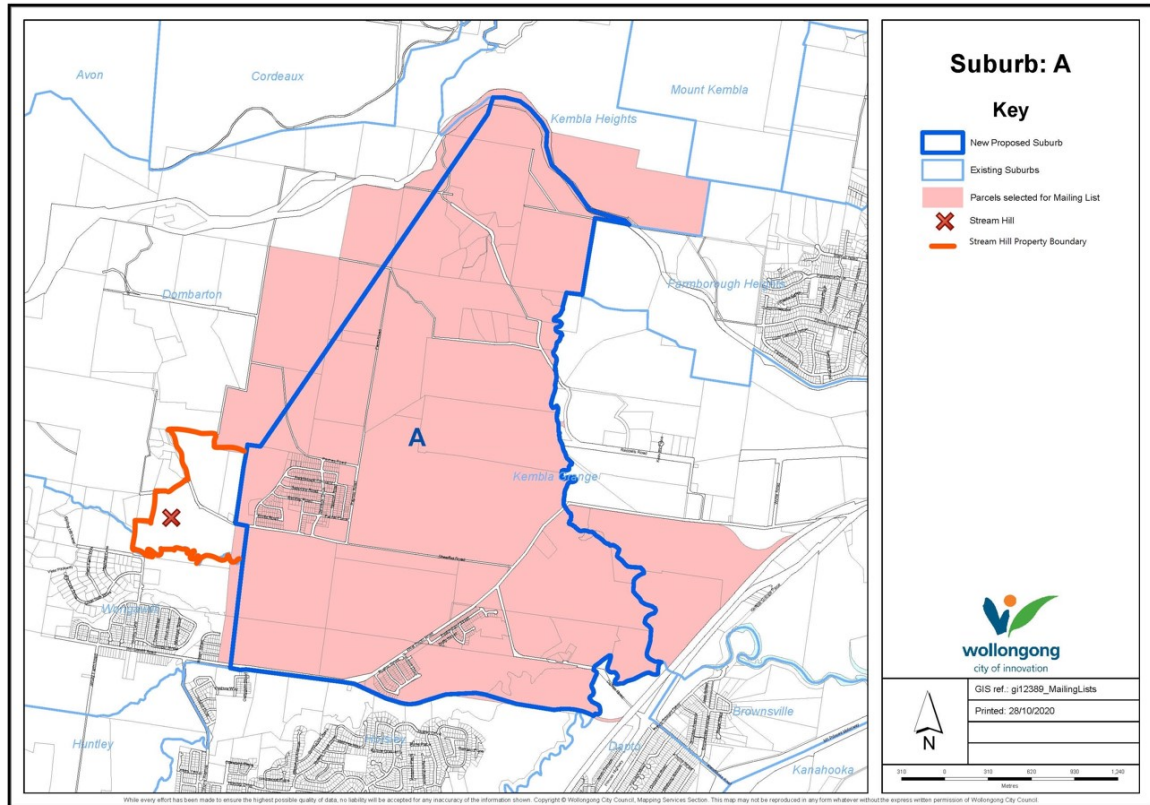
It is proposed to exclude the existing large lot residential parcels from Suburb 'A' and include them within Suburb 'B'. These lots are significantly different in character from the more compact residential areas proposed in Suburb 'A' estates. The change is illustrated in Figure 1 below. Suburb 'A' is shown as the green area and Suburb 'B' in purple.



**Figure 1:** Proposed amendment to Suburb 'A' by excluding the northern parcels that are predominantly large lot residential.

- Stream Hill boundary change.

It is proposed to expand the proposed Suburb 'A' boundary to include the Stream Hill property which is currently located within the suburb of Dombarton. Stream Hill is located immediately adjacent to the south-western boundary of proposed Suburb 'A' – Stream Hill.



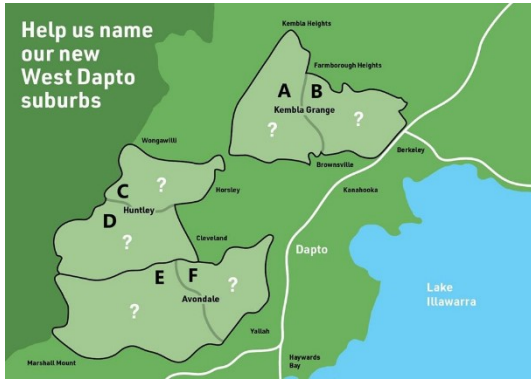
**Figure 2:** Suburb 'A' amendment to include the Stream Hill property.

## CONSULTATION AND COMMUNICATION

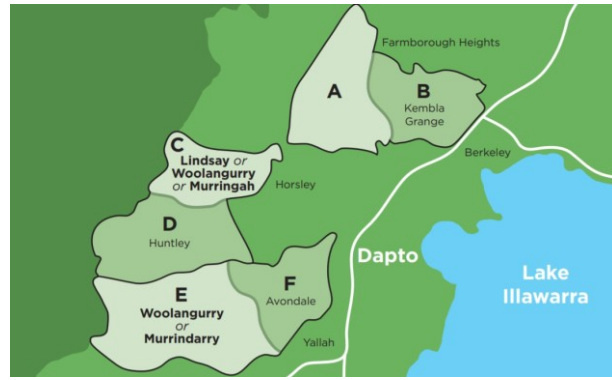
Council has undertaken extensive engagement since the suburbs review project commencement in early 2020.

In summary we held engagement exercises as follows –

- March and April 2020 – Community naming suggestions were invited for all six (6) proposed suburbs (A, B, C, D, E, F) – see Figure 3.
- November and December 2020 – The community was invited to tell us naming ideas for Suburb 'A' and provide feedback on shortlisted names for Suburb's 'C' (Huntley) and 'E' (Avondale) – see Figure 4.
- 6 August to 17 September 2021 – The community was invited to comment on the shortlisted names for Suburb 'A' – see Figure 5.

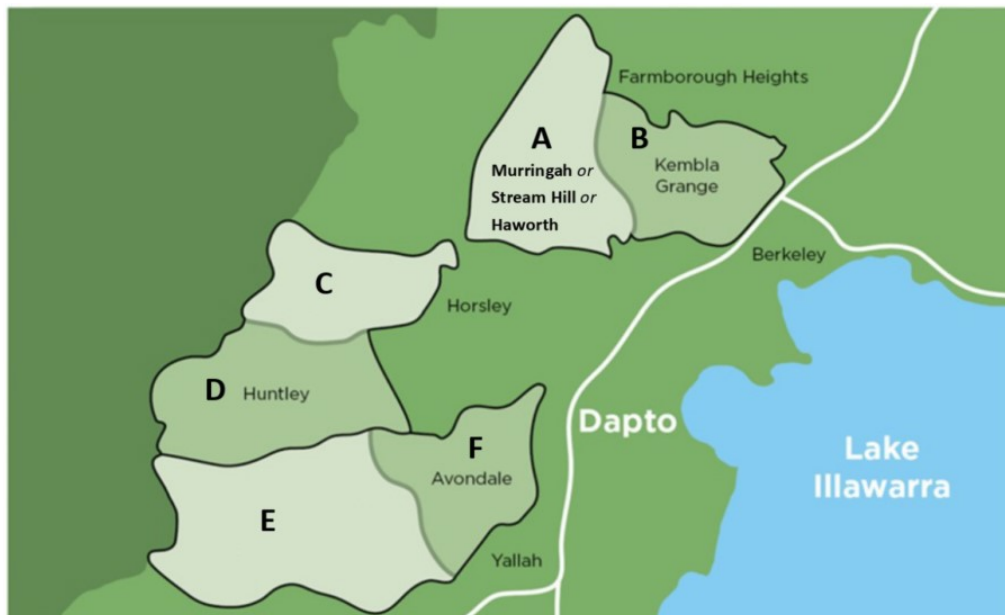


**Figure 3:** Proposed New Suburbs



**Figure 4:** Suburb 'C' and Suburb 'E' Shortlist

On 19 July 2021, Council endorsed the proposed short list of names for Suburb 'A' for a six (6) week public exhibition period. The community indicated a preference for Stream Hill, from the three exhibited names, and there was also some support for Murringah. Murringah was nominated by the Aboriginal working group as a potential name for the proposed suburb. However, a member of the Aboriginal community advised that the name was considered offensive to some members of the Aboriginal community.



**Figure 5:** Suburb 'A' shortlist

In November 2021, Council resolved to apply to the GNB to progress the proposed new boundary and names for Suburb's 'A' and 'B'. The proposed suburb names being 'Stream Hill' and 'Kembla Grange' respectively. In the same meeting, Council resolved to pause the Huntley review until suburb duplication with Orange City Council is resolved and to no longer consider Avondale as part of the review.

Council's application in February 2022, for the amended locality address name, was advertised in accordance with the NSW Address Policy and User Manual (May 2021). The advertising period was from 27 April to 27 May 2022. In total, 57 submissions were received by the GNB: 39 in objection. Of these, 17 submitters identified as being impacted directly by the proposal, in that they owned land within or adjacent to proposed Suburb 'A'. The other 22 objections were from people not directly impacted by the proposal or who chose not to identify as such.

In summary the key issues raised in submissions received by the GNB include -

- Support for Stream Hill due to the name being a good way to recognise history and the house and historical owner’s significance to the area (18 of 57 submissions: 31%).
- A Dharawal name is more appropriate (26 of the 39 objections:66%).
- Celebrates colonisers and contributes to erasure of First Nations people (15 of the 39 objections: 38%).
- Purchased land in Kembla Grange, not Stream Hill (11 of the 39 objections: 28%).
- Local Elders should have been consulted.
- Does not reflect the area or topography.
- Did not like the name.
- Some suburb boundary changes suggested.

Council staff’s response to the key issues raised in submissions is outlined below. A more detailed response to the individual submissions is provided in Attachment 1.

Issues Raised	Council Response
<p>A Dharawal name is more appropriate (66%), and Celebrates colonisers and contributes to erasure of First Nations people (38%)</p>	<p>Community Working Groups, made up of members from heritage groups, the Dapto community, the Aboriginal community and Traditional Custodians, have worked closely with the project team. Together, we created the shortlist of names for the proposed suburbs that met the GNB’s criteria and are significant to West Dapto. Dharawal names were sought and considered during Council’s processes.</p> <p>For Suburb ‘A’ – Stream Hill, Haworth and Murringah (Dharawal language meaning coal) were shortlisted. The GNB has provided preliminary advice that they were acceptable options. The shortlist was endorsed by Council for exhibition on 19 July 2021. Council exhibition occurred from 6 August to 17 September 2021. Concern was raised about the potential use of ‘Murrin’ in Murringah and Murrindarry (another suggested name) by a member of the Aboriginal community.</p>
<p>Purchased land in Kembla Grange, not Stream Hill (28%)</p>	<p>Council staff initiated the Suburb Review Project as the West Dapto Urban Release Area is changing from a rural to urban areas. Smaller suburbs function better and enable better delivery of services, including Emergency Services. The GNB publication: NSW Address Policy and User Manual recommend for areas experiencing population growth that new, smaller suburbs be created before residential densities increase significantly. Early intervention will understandably minimise disruption to future residents.</p> <p>Whilst there may be some inconvenience for new residents in the short term, there would be many more residents impacted if Council were directed to progress amending the suburb boundary once the area is fully developed.</p>
<p>Local Elders should have been consulted</p>	<p>Community Working Groups, made up of members from heritage groups, the Dapto community, the Aboriginal community and Traditional Custodians, have worked closely with the project team. Together, we created the shortlist of names for the proposed suburbs that met the GNB’s criteria and are significant to West Dapto. Dharawal names were sought and considered during Council’s processes and Murringah (Dharawal language meaning coal) was shortlisted as a potential name for Suburb ‘A’. Suburb names based upon the Dharawal language were also considered for proposed Suburbs ‘C’ and ‘E’.</p>

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Does not reflect the area	Stream Hill was nominated by the community as a potential name during consultation undertaken in November – December 2020. It is the name of a nearby Heritage Homestead, one of the oldest remaining homesteads in the LGA.  In early 2021, the Community Working Groups reformed to review and research the additional names nominated by the community. For Suburb ‘A’ – Stream Hill, Haworth and Murringah (Dharawal language meaning coal) were shortlisted for further consideration.
Did not like the name Stream Hill	Noted.
Suburb boundary changes suggested	Noted and discussed in the proposal.
Stream Hill is in Dombarton	Noted and discussed in the proposal.

Submissions in support of Stream Hill being the name for Suburb ‘A’ recognise it as being a good way to recognise the properties historical significance to the area.

### Next Steps

- Council’s response to submissions is due to the GNB by 16 August 2022.
- Council staff understand that the Board will consider the proposal on 13 September 2022.
- If Stream Hill is endorsed, Council will be notified.

### PLANNING AND POLICY IMPACT

This report contributes to the delivery of Our Wollongong 2028 Goal “We have an innovative and sustainable economy” “We are connected and engaged community”. It specifically delivers on the following -

Community Strategic Plan	Delivery Program 2018-2022	Operational Plan 2021-22
Strategy	4 Year Action	Operational Plan Actions
2.1.5 West Dapto urban growth is effectively managed to balance employment and population growth	2.1.5.1 In collaboration with key agencies, facilitate the West Dapto Taskforce to deliver the first stages of the West Dapto Urban Release Area	In collaboration with key agencies, facilitate the West Dapto Review Committee to deliver the first stages of the West Dapto Urban Release Area

### SUSTAINABILITY IMPLICATIONS

The review of suburbs at West Dapto does not have any specific environmental sustainability implications.

### RISK MANAGEMENT

The existing size and scale of the suburbs Kembla Grange, Huntley and Avondale is not ideal in an ultimate urban development and emergency response context. This proposal is expected to improve address identification and emergency services coordination for Kembla Grange residents.

### FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are minimal financial implications of the proposed West Dapto Suburbs review project. Staff resources in the City Strategy Division and Engagement team have been utilised to undertake the project. Communication and engagement costs will continue throughout the project.

## CONCLUSION

Based on the Community Working Group's research, the GNB's advice, and the results of the public exhibition process, Stream Hill is considered worthy of recognition as the proposed name for Suburb 'A'. The name Kembla Grange is proposed to be retained for Suburb 'B' under the review project. This report also recommends the proposed suburb boundary amendments to Suburb 'A' be progressed (to incorporate Stream Hill property in Suburb 'A' and retain the large lot residential parcels in proposed Suburb 'B').



**Attachment 1 - Council's Response to Submissions (from the Geographical Names Board's Exhibition)**

Issues Raised	Council Response
<p>1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Resident</li> <li>• Purchased land in Kembla Grange, not Stream Hill.</li> <li>• Stream Hill is not relevant to the topography of the area, means nothing to the residents. It brings thoughts of flooding.</li> <li>• Does not align with the GNB's criteria.</li> <li>• A Dharawal name would have been much more appropriate to this area.</li> <li>• Other cities are larger.</li> </ul>	<p>Council staff initiated the Suburb Review Project as the West Dapto Urban Release Area is changing from a rural to urban areas. The GNB suggests that the maximum size of a suburb is 500ha. For comparison, Wollongong is 584ha, Dapto is 767ha, and Kembla Grange is currently 1,442ha. Smaller suburbs function better and enable better delivery of services, including Emergency Services.</p> <p>The GNB publication: <i>NSW Address Policy and User Manual</i> recommend, for areas experiencing population growth, that new, smaller suburbs be created before residential densities increase significantly. Early intervention will understandably minimise disruption to future residents. Whilst there may be some inconvenience for new residents in the short term, there would be many more residents impacted if Council were directed to progress amending the suburb boundary once the area is fully developed. Staff and the community's feedback recognises that Kembla Grange is a valid name and is being retained as the proposed name for Suburb 'B' which is the eastern component of the existing Kembla Grange suburb where the race course, train station and majority of industrial land is located.</p> <p>All names considered were nominated out of the public exhibition process. Council actively tried to identify appropriate Dharawal names when considering new place and facility names, including in this instance. Community Working Groups, made up of members from heritage groups, the Dapto community, the Aboriginal community and Traditional Custodians, have worked closely with the project team. Together, we created the shortlist of names for the proposed suburbs that met the GNB's criteria and are significant to West Dapto. Dharawal names were sought and considered during Council's processes, but they were not able to be progressed for reasons discussed below and in the Consultation and Communication section of the Council Business Paper dated 8 August 2022.</p> <p>A community member nominated Stream Hill during consultation undertaken in November – December 2020. It is the name of a nearby Heritage Homestead, one of the oldest remaining houses in the LGA. In early 2021, the Community Working Groups reformed to review and research the additional names nominated by the community. For Suburb 'A' – Stream Hill, Haworth and Murringah (Dharawal language meaning coal) were shortlisted. The GNB has provided preliminary advice that they were acceptable options. The shortlist was endorsed by Council for exhibition on 19 July 2021. Council exhibition occurred from 6 August to 17 September 2021. A member of the Aboriginal community raised concern about the potential use of 'Murrin' in Murringah and Murrindarry.</p>

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<p>2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Resident</li> <li>• Purchased land in Kembla Grange, not Stream Hill.</li> <li>• Stream Hill is not relevant to the topography of the area, means nothing to the residents. It brings thoughts of flooding.</li> <li>• Other cities are larger. This is just for the sake of change.</li> </ul>	<p>Council staff initiated the Suburb Review Project as the West Dapto Urban Release Area is changing from a rural to urban areas. The GNB suggests that the maximum size of a suburb is 500ha. For comparison, Wollongong is 584ha, Dapto is 767ha, and Kembla Grange is currently 1,442ha. Smaller suburbs function better and enable better delivery of services, including Emergency Services.</p> <p>The GNB publication: <i>NSW Address Policy and User Manual</i> recommend, for areas experiencing population growth, that new, smaller suburbs be created before residential densities increase significantly. Early intervention will understandably minimise disruption to future residents. Whilst there may be some inconvenience for new residents in the short term, there would be many more residents impacted if Council were directed to progress amending the suburb boundary once the area is fully developed. Staff and the community's feedback recognises that Kembla Grange is a valid name and is being retained as the proposed name for Suburb 'B' which is the eastern component of the existing Kembla Grange suburb where the race course, train station and majority of industrial land is located.</p> <p>All names considered were nominated out of the public exhibition process. Community Working Groups, made up of members from heritage groups, the Dapto community, the Aboriginal community and Traditional Custodians, have worked closely with the project team. Together, we created the shortlist of names for the proposed suburbs that met the GNB's criteria and are significant to West Dapto. Dharawal names were sought and considered during Council's processes, but they were not able to be progressed for reasons discussed below and in the Consultation and Communication section of the Council Business Paper dated 8 August 2022.</p> <p>A community member nominated Stream Hill during consultation undertaken in November – December 2020. It is the name of a nearby Heritage Homestead, one of the oldest remaining houses in the LGA. In early 2021, the Community Working Groups reformed to review and research the additional names nominated by the community. For Suburb 'A' – Stream Hill, Haworth and Murringah (Dharawal language meaning coal) were shortlisted. The GNB has provided preliminary advice that they were acceptable options. The shortlist was endorsed by Council for exhibition on 19 July 2021. Council exhibition occurred from 6 August to 17 September 2021. A member of the Aboriginal community raised concern about the potential use of 'Murrin' in Murringah and Murrindary.</p>

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<p>3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Resident</li> <li>• Residents were not initially notified by Council</li> <li>• Offensive synonymous name suggested will be used</li> <li>• Stream Hill is not relevant to the topography of the area.</li> </ul>	<p>Community Working Groups, made up of members from heritage groups, the Dapto community, the Aboriginal community and Traditional Custodians, have worked closely with the project team. Together, we created the shortlist of names for the proposed suburbs that met the GNB's criteria and are significant to West Dapto. Dharawal names were sought and considered during Council's processes, but they were not able to be progressed for reasons discussed below and in the Consultation and Communication section of the Council Business Paper dated 8 August 2022.</p> <p>A community member nominated Stream Hill during consultation undertaken in November – December 2020. It is the name of a nearby Heritage Homestead, one of the oldest remaining houses in the LGA. In early 2021, the Community Working Groups reformed to review and research the additional names nominated by the community. For Suburb 'A' – Stream Hill, Haworth and Murringah (Dharawal language meaning coal) were shortlisted. The GNB has provided preliminary advice that they were acceptable options. The shortlist was endorsed by Council for exhibition on 19 July 2021. Council exhibition occurred from 6 August to 17 September 2021. A member of the Aboriginal community raised concern about the potential use of 'Murrin' in Murringah and Murrindarry.</p> <p>Where lots are not formally created and registered via a Subdivision Application, Council cannot notify owners under contract or similar as this information is unavailable. The project was notified in the newspaper, at Dapto schools, in Council's newsletter and website, and through social media. At the time of each mailout, the owner of the land – at that time- was notified. As a new release area, there will continue to be new residents and owners. We have tried to complete this project early in the development of the urban area to prevent too many people from being inconvenienced.</p>
<p>4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• It is a bland name.</li> <li>• It has no connection to Indigenous or early settler's culture or history</li> </ul>	<p>Council actively tried to identify appropriate Dharawal names when considering new place and facility names, including in this instance. Community Working Groups, made up of members from heritage groups, the Dapto community, the Aboriginal community and Traditional Custodians, have worked closely with the project team. Together, we created the shortlist of names for the proposed suburbs that met the GNB's criteria and are significant to West Dapto. Dharawal names were sought and considered during Council's processes.</p> <p>A community member nominated Stream Hill during consultation undertaken in November – December 2020. It is the name of a nearby Heritage Homestead, one of the oldest remaining houses in the LGA. In early 2021, the Community Working Groups reformed to review and research the additional names nominated by the community. For Suburb 'A' – Stream Hill, Haworth and Murringah (Dharawal language meaning coal) were shortlisted. The GNB has provided preliminary advice that they were acceptable options. The shortlist was endorsed by</p>

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5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Resident</li> <li>• Purchased land in Kembla Grange Estate, not Stream Hill.</li> <li>• A Dharawal name would have been much more appropriate to this area, perhaps Dharawal version name for Stream Hill</li> <li>• No one would vote for Stream Hill</li> </ul>	<p>Council staff initiated the Suburb Review Project as the West Dapto Urban Release Area is changing from a rural to urban areas. The GNB suggests that the maximum size of a suburb is 500ha. For comparison, Wollongong is 584ha, Dapto is 767ha, and Kembla Grange is currently 1,442ha. Smaller suburbs function better and enable better delivery of services, including Emergency Services.</p> <p>The GNB publication: <i>NSW Address Policy and User Manual</i> recommend, for areas experiencing population growth, that new, smaller suburbs be created before residential densities increase significantly. Early intervention will understandably minimise disruption to future residents. Whilst there may be some inconvenience for new residents in the short term, there would be many more residents impacted if Council were directed to progress amending the suburb boundary once the area is fully developed. Staff and the community's feedback recognises that Kembla Grange is a valid name and is being retained as the proposed name for Suburb 'B' which is the eastern component of the existing Kembla Grange suburb where the race course, train station and majority of industrial land is located.</p> <p>All names considered were nominated out of the public exhibition process. Council actively tried to identify appropriate Dharawal names when considering new place and facility names, including in this instance. Community Working Groups, made up of members from heritage groups, the Dapto community, the Aboriginal community and Traditional Custodians, have worked closely with the project team. Together, we created the shortlist of names for the proposed suburbs that met the GNB's criteria and are significant to West Dapto. Dharawal names were sought and considered during Council's processes.</p> <p>A community member nominated Stream Hill during consultation undertaken in November – December 2020. It is the name of a nearby Heritage Homestead, one of the oldest remaining houses in the LGA. In early 2021, the Community Working Groups reformed to review and research the additional names nominated by the community. For Suburb 'A' – Stream Hill, Haworth and Murringah (Dharawal language meaning coal) were shortlisted. The GNB has provided preliminary advice that they were acceptable options. The shortlist was endorsed by Council for exhibition on 19 July 2021. Council exhibition occurred from 6 August to 17 September 2021. A member of the Aboriginal community raised concern about the potential use of 'Murrin' in Murringah and Murrindarry.</p>

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6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Resident</li> <li>Purchased land in Kembla Grange, not Stream Hill.</li> <li>Could be considered false advertising.</li> <li>Should not be changed, especially to something we cannot pronounce</li> </ul>	<p>The developer sold the land within estates such as Kembla Grange Estates and Sanctuary Views under private arrangement. Council staff initiated the Suburb Review Project as the West Dapto Urban Release Area is changing from a rural to urban areas. The GNB suggests that the maximum size of a suburb is 500ha. For comparison, Wollongong is 584ha, Dapto is 767ha, and Kembla Grange is currently 1,442ha. Smaller suburbs function better and enable better delivery of services, including Emergency Services.</p> <p>The GNB publication: <i>NSW Address Policy and User Manual</i> recommend, for areas experiencing population growth, that new, smaller suburbs be created before residential densities increase significantly. Early intervention will understandably minimise disruption to future residents. Whilst there may be some inconvenience for new residents in the short term, there would be many more residents impacted if Council were directed to progress amending the suburb boundary once the area is fully developed. Staff and the community's feedback recognises that Kembla Grange is a valid name and is being retained as the proposed name for Suburb 'B' which is the eastern component of the existing Kembla Grange suburb where the race course, train station and majority of industrial land is located.</p>
7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Terrible name. It should stay as sanctuary views/heights.</li> </ul>	<p>Sanctuary views/heights is a developer named estate and was therefore unable to be used for the new suburb in accordance with GNB guidelines. Council staff initiated the Suburb Review Project as the West Dapto Urban Release Area is changing from a rural to urban areas. The GNB suggests that the maximum size of a suburb is 500ha. For comparison, Wollongong is 584ha, Dapto is 767ha, and Kembla Grange is currently 1,442ha. Smaller suburbs function better and enable better delivery of services, including Emergency Services.</p> <p>The GNB publication: <i>NSW Address Policy and User Manual</i> recommend, for areas experiencing population growth, that new, smaller suburbs be created before residential densities increase significantly. Early intervention will understandably minimise disruption to future residents. Whilst there may be some inconvenience for new residents in the short term, there would be many more residents impacted if Council were directed to progress amending the suburb boundary once the area is fully developed. Staff and the community's feedback recognises that Kembla Grange is a valid name and is being retained as the proposed name for Suburb 'B' which is the eastern component of the existing Kembla Grange suburb where the race course, train station and majority of industrial land is located.</p>

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14	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>Purchased land in Kembla Grange, not Stream Hill.</i></li> <li><i>It is wrong that the other Estate get to keep their suburb</i></li> <li><i>Should reflect what it replaces - Kembla Heights</i></li> </ul>	<p>Council staff initiated the Suburb Review Project as the West Dapto Urban Release Area is changing from a rural to urban areas. The GNB suggests that the maximum size of a suburb is 500ha. For comparison, Wollongong is 584ha, Dapto is 767ha, and Kembla Grange is currently 1,442ha. Smaller suburbs function better and enable better delivery of services, including Emergency Services.</p>

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<p>15</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>A Dharawal name would be more appropriate, as per the GNB Place Naming policy.</i></li> <li>• <i>Recognising colonisers should not continue. The farmhouse sits on land that was awarded to a man who helped Charles Sturt in the colonisation of Country *Newspaper articles on Charles Sturt provided.</i></li> </ul>	<p>Council actively tried to identify appropriate Dharawal names when considering new place and facility names, including in this instance. Community Working Groups, made up of members from heritage groups, the Dapto community, the Aboriginal community and Traditional Custodians, have worked closely with the project team. Together, we created the shortlist of names for the proposed suburbs that met the GNB's criteria and are significant to West Dapto. Dharawal names were sought and considered during Council's processes.</p> <p>A community member nominated Stream Hill during consultation undertaken in November – December 2020. It is the name of a nearby Heritage Homestead, one of the oldest remaining houses in the LGA. In early 2021, the Community Working Groups reformed to review and research the additional names nominated by the community. For Suburb 'A' – Stream Hill, Haworth and Murringah (Dharawal language meaning coal) were shortlisted. The GNB has</p>

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<p>23</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Policies need revising.</li> <li>Consult with the local Aboriginal people.</li> <li>Australia Post and Qantas have been incorporating indigenous names for places in Australia</li> </ul>	<p>Council actively tried to identify appropriate Dharawal names when considering new place and facility names, including in this instance. Community Working Groups, made up of members from heritage groups, the Dapto community, the Aboriginal community and Traditional Custodians, have worked closely with the project team. Together, we created the shortlist of names for the proposed suburbs that met the GNB's criteria and are significant to West Dapto. Dharawal names were sought and considered during Council's processes.</p> <p>A community member nominated Stream Hill during consultation undertaken in November – December 2020. It is the name of a nearby Heritage Homestead, one of the oldest remaining houses in the LGA. In early 2021, the Community Working Groups reformed to review and research the additional names nominated by the community. For Suburb 'A' – Stream Hill, Haworth and Murringah (Dharawal language meaning coal) were shortlisted. The GNB has provided preliminary advice that they were acceptable options. The shortlist was endorsed by Council for exhibition on 19 July 2021. Council exhibition occurred from 6 August to 17 September 2021. However, as mentioned in the Consultation and Communication section of this report, a member of the Aboriginal community raised concern about the potential use of 'Murrin' in Murringah and Murrindary.</p>
<p>24</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A Dharawal name would be more appropriate, Stream Hill therefore does not align with the GNB's criteria.</li> <li>Not using a Dharawal name contributes to cultural erasure. Choosing Stream Hill is harmful.</li> </ul>	<p>Council actively tried to identify appropriate Dharawal names when considering new place and facility names, including in this instance. Community Working Groups, made up of members from heritage groups, the Dapto community, the Aboriginal community and Traditional Custodians, have worked closely with the project team. Together, we created the shortlist of names for the proposed suburbs that met the GNB's criteria and are significant to West Dapto. Dharawal names were sought and considered during Council's processes.</p> <p>A community member nominated Stream Hill during consultation undertaken in November – December 2020. It is the name of a nearby Heritage Homestead, one of the oldest remaining</p>

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<p>25</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>An Indigenous name would be more appropriate.</i></li> <li><i>New place names should respect First Nation's People.</i></li> </ul>	<p>Council actively tried to identify appropriate Dharawal names when considering new place and facility names, including in this instance. Community Working Groups, made up of members from heritage groups, the Dapto community, the Aboriginal community and Traditional Custodians, have worked closely with the project team. Together, we created the shortlist of names for the proposed suburbs that met the GNB's criteria and are significant to West Dapto. Dharawal names were sought and considered during Council's processes.</p> <p>A community member nominated Stream Hill during consultation undertaken in November – December 2020. It is the name of a nearby Heritage Homestead, one of the oldest remaining houses in the LGA. In early 2021, the Community Working Groups reformed to review and research the additional names nominated by the community. For Suburb 'A' – Stream Hill, Haworth and Murringah (Dharawal language meaning coal) were shortlisted. The GNB has provided preliminary advice that they were acceptable options. The shortlist was endorsed by Council for exhibition on 19 July 2021. Council exhibition occurred from 6 August to 17 September 2021. A member of the Aboriginal community raised concern about the potential use of 'Murrin' in Murringah and Murrindarry.</p>
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28	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Control of new place names should belong to Local Aboriginal Land Councils, in consultation with Elders and the Aboriginal community.</i></li> <li>• <i>Non-Aboriginal names for new suburbs should not be used.</i></li> </ul>	<p>Council actively tried to identify appropriate Dharawal names when considering new place and facility names, including in this instance. Community Working Groups, made up of members from heritage groups, the Dapto community, the Aboriginal community and Traditional Custodians, have worked closely with the project team. Together, we created the shortlist of names for the proposed suburbs that met the GNB's criteria and are significant to West Dapto. Dharawal names were sought and considered during Council's processes.</p> <p>A community member nominated Stream Hill during consultation undertaken in November – December 2020. It is the name of a nearby Heritage Homestead, one of the oldest remaining houses in the LGA. In early 2021, the Community Working Groups reformed to review and research the additional names nominated by the community. For Suburb 'A' – Stream Hill, Haworth and Murringah (Dharawal language meaning coal) were shortlisted. The GNB has provided preliminary advice that they were acceptable options. The shortlist was endorsed by Council for exhibition on 19 July 2021. Council exhibition occurred from 6 August to 17 September 2021. A member of the Aboriginal community raised concern about the potential use of 'Murrin' in Murringah and Murrindarry.</p>

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30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>Consult with the local Aboriginal people.</i></li> <li><i>Literally the least we could do is name the new suburb after someone who the elders in the area feel is appropriate, and inspires local youth.</i></li> </ul>	<p>Council actively tried to identify appropriate Dharawal names when considering new place and facility names, including in this instance. Community Working Groups, made up of members from heritage groups, the Dapto community, the Aboriginal community and Traditional Custodians, have worked closely with the project team. Together, we created the shortlist of names for the proposed suburbs that met the GNB's criteria and are significant to West Dapto. Dharawal names were sought and considered during Council's processes.</p> <p>A community member nominated Stream Hill during consultation undertaken in November – December 2020. It is the name of a nearby Heritage Homestead, one of the oldest remaining houses in the LGA. In early 2021, the Community Working Groups reformed to review and research the additional names nominated by the community. For Suburb 'A' – Stream Hill, Haworth and Murringah (Dharawal language meaning coal) were shortlisted. The GNB has provided preliminary advice that they were acceptable options. The shortlist was endorsed by Council for exhibition on 19 July 2021. Council exhibition occurred from 6 August to 17 September 2021. A member of the Aboriginal community raised concern about the potential use of 'Murrin' in Murringah and Murrindarry.</p>
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<p>32</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>There are so many place names already on this continent that are named after colonisers, or atrocities that have happened in the process of colonisation, and in 2022, this cannot continue to happen. Please consider more respectful and culturally appropriate names for this new suburb.</i></li> </ul>	<p>Council actively tried to identify appropriate Dharawal names when considering new place and facility names, including in this instance. Community Working Groups, made up of members from heritage groups, the Dapto community, the Aboriginal community and Traditional Custodians, have worked closely with the project team. Together, we created the shortlist of names for the proposed suburbs that met the GNB's criteria and are significant to West Dapto. Dharawal names were sought and considered during Council's processes.</p> <p>A community member nominated Stream Hill during consultation undertaken in November – December 2020. It is the name of a nearby Heritage Homestead, one of the oldest remaining houses in the LGA. In early 2021, the Community Working Groups reformed to review and research the additional names nominated by the community. For Suburb 'A' – Stream Hill, Haworth and Murringah (Dharawal language meaning coal) were shortlisted. The GNB has provided preliminary advice that they were acceptable options. The shortlist was endorsed by Council for exhibition on 19 July 2021. Council exhibition occurred from 6 August to 17 September 2021. A member of the Aboriginal community raised concern about the potential use of 'Murrin' in Murringah and Murrindarry.</p>
<p>33</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Resident</i></li> <li>• <i>Residents were not notified or invited to any meetings.</i></li> <li>• <i>Purchased land in Kembla Grange, not Stream Hill.</i></li> <li>• <i>Name change should have occurred before the land was sold off.</i></li> <li>• <i>Could be considered false advertising.</i></li> <li>• <i>Process should opened to all residents</i></li> </ul>	<p>All names considered were nominated out of the public exhibition process. Community Working Groups, made up of members from heritage groups, the Dapto community, the Aboriginal community and Traditional Custodians, have worked closely with the project team. Together, we created the shortlist of names for the proposed suburbs that met the GNB's criteria and are significant to West Dapto. Dharawal names were sought and considered during Council's processes.</p> <p>A community member nominated Stream Hill during consultation undertaken in November – December 2020. It is the name of a nearby Heritage Homestead, one of the oldest remaining houses in the LGA. In early 2021, the Community Working Groups reformed to review and</p>

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39	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>A decision was made in 2002 for the 15 residential properties of Reddalls Road would not be affected by any future name change, when the name was changed from West Dapto to Kembla Grange. Residents were assured by Council that as the surrounding suburbs developed, those fifteen residential properties would remain known as Kembla Grange.</i></li> <li>• <i>Inappropriate Border: Council has chosen an inappropriate and insignificant boarder by utilising Dapto Creek to split the proposed suburbs of Kembla Grange and Stream Hill. Dapto Creek runs through several of the fifteen residential properties. Under the current proposal those properties would be spread across two suburbs. The most appropriate and significant boarder would be Farm Road, to the west of Reddalls Road, which leaves the fifteen residential properties of Reddalls Road as Kembla Grange.</i></li> </ul>	<p>Community Working Groups, made up of members from heritage groups, the Dapto community, the Aboriginal community and Traditional Custodians, have worked closely with the project team. Together, we created the shortlist of names for the proposed suburbs that met the GNB's criteria and are significant to West Dapto. Dharawal names were sought and considered during Council's processes.</p> <p>A community member nominated Stream Hill during consultation undertaken in November – December 2020. It is the name of a nearby Heritage Homestead, one of the oldest remaining houses in the LGA. In early 2021, the Community Working Groups reformed to review and research the additional names nominated by the community. For Suburb 'A' – Stream Hill, Haworth and Murringah (Dharawal language meaning coal) were shortlisted. The GNB has provided preliminary advice that they were acceptable options. The shortlist was endorsed by Council for exhibition on 19 July 2021. Council exhibition occurred from 6 August to 17 September 2021. A member of the Aboriginal community raised concern about the potential use of 'Murrin' in Murringah and Murrindarry.</p> <p>Kembla Grange is considered by staff and the community feedback as a valid name and is being retained as the proposed name for suburb B which is the eastern component of the existing Kembla Grange suburb where the race course, train station and majority of industrial land is located.</p> <p>In response to this submission, Council staff have recommended that the boundary be amended to exclude these rural residential properties from Suburb A, as outlined in the Council Business Paper dated 8 August 2022.</p>