



MINUTES

Tuesday, May 27, 2025

MEMBERS:

Mr. Matthew Dance, Chair
Ms. Sara Sierko, Vice-Chair
Ms. Debra Ayling
Ms. Soni Dasmohapatra
Ms. Erin McDonald
Mr. Harrison Sheremeta
Mr. Shariq Wani

PRESENT:

All

ALSO IN ATTENDANCE:

Mr. Cory Sousa, Administration
Ms. Ashley Rowan, Administration

CALL TO ORDER: 4:20 p.m.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Motion: Dance

That the May 27, 2025 Naming Committee Agenda be adopted.

For the Motion: Ayling, Dance, Dasmohapatra, McDonald, Sheremeta, Sierko

Carried unanimously

ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Motion: Sheremeta

That the April 29, 2025 Naming Committee Minutes be adopted.

For the Motion: Ayling, Dance, Dasmohapatra, McDonald, Sheremeta, Sierko

Carried unanimously

Shariq Wani joined the meeting



UNFINISHED BUSINESS

1. Request to name a pedestrian bridge over the North Saskatchewan River in the Horse Hill Area

Motion: Wani

That the Naming Committee approves the naming of the Pedestrian bridge over the North Saskatchewan River within the Horse Hill Area as “*Amisk Wacîw Ásokan*”, which is Cree for ‘Beaver Hills Bridge’.

For the Motion: Ayling, Dance, Dasmohapatra, McDonald, Sheremeta, Sierko, Wani

Carried unanimously

NEW BUSINESS

2. Request to name five local roads within the Orchards Neighbourhood

Motion: Dance

That the Naming Committee approves the naming of five local roads within the Orchards Neighbourhood as “*Lilac Bend*”, “*Lilac Close*”, “*Lilac Crescent*”, “*Lilac Landing*”, and “*Lilac Link*”.

For the Motion: Ayling, Dance, Dasmohapatra, McDonald, Sheremeta, Sierko, Wani

Carried unanimously

3. Request to name a collector roadway, three local roads, and two parks within the Blatchford Neighbourhood

Motion: Ayling

That the Naming Committee approves the following names within the Blatchford Neighbourhood: The naming of a collector roadway as “*Delta Boulevard*”; three local roads as “*Air Mail Lane*”, “*Promenade Lane*”, and “*Hangar One Lane*”; the major park within Blatchford as “*Blatchford Field Park*”; and a linear park as “*Runway Park*”.

For the Motion: Ayling, Dance, Dasmohapatra, McDonald, Sheremeta, Sierko, Wani

Carried unanimously



OTHER BUSINESS

4. City of Edmonton's Heritage Places Strategy

Motion: McDonald

That the Naming Committee receives the report and discussion as information.

For the Motion: Ayling, Dance, Dasmohapatra, McDonald, Sheremeta, Sierko, Wani
Carried unanimously

5. Selection of Chair and Vice-Chair for the 2025-2026 term

Motion: McDonald

That the Naming Committee appoints Matthew Dance as Chair and Sara Sierko as Vice-Chair for the 2025-2026 term.

For the Motion: Ayling, Dance, Dasmohapatra, McDonald, Sheremeta, Sierko, Wani
Carried unanimously

6. Update and discussion on various naming items

Motion: Sheremeta

That the Naming Committee receives the item as information.

For the Motion: Ayling, Dance, Dasmohapatra, McDonald, Sheremeta, Sierko, Wani
Carried unanimously

NEXT MEETING AND ADJOURNMENT

Next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, June 24, 2025

Adjournment: 5:45 pm.