

Office of the City Engineer

Los Angeles, California

To the Public Works Committee

Of the Honorable Council

Of the City of Los Angeles

January 20, 2023

Honorable Members:

C. D. No. 3

SUBJECT:

Linnet Street from Crebs Avenue to Yolanda Avenue – Name Change to Bill Lambert Way – Council File No. 22-0517

RECOMMENDATIONS:

- A. That the name of Linnet Street from Crebs Avenue to Yolanda Avenue, shown colored red on Exhibit “A”, be changed, and that it be established as Bill Lambert Way.
- B. That the Council, find that the name change and establishment is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act of 1970, pursuant to Article III, Class 5 of the City’s Environmental Guidelines.
- C. That the accompanying draft Ordinance effectuating such change and establishment, which has been approved as to form and legality by the City Attorney, be adopted.
- D. That the City Clerk be instructed to transmit the following:
 - 1. A copy of the Ordinance upon publication to the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles pursuant to Section 34092 of the Government Code.
 - 2. A copy of the City Council’s action on this matter to the Department of Transportation, City-wide Investigation Section, 100 S. Main Street.
- E. That the following be notified of the time and place of the Public Works Committee meeting on this matter:

1. LADWP
C/O Real Estate Bus. Group
P.O. Box 51111
Los Angeles, CA 90051
2. Karen and Vivian Karapetyan
5350 Crebs Avenue
Tarzana, CA 91356
3. LAUSD
333 S. Beaudry Ave
Los Angeles, CA 90017
4. Claudia Isaza
5343 Geyser Ave
Tarzana, CA 91356
5. Matthew Coles and Larissa Zakharin
5340 Geyser Ave
Tarzana, CA 91356
6. Sylvia Noriega
5333 Rhea Ave
Tarzana, CA 91356
7. Zak Ganon
5332 Rhea Ave
Tarzana, CA 91356
8. David Levi
5321 Yolanda Ave
Tarzana, CA 91356
9. Council District No. 3
Attn: John Popoch
200 N. Spring Street, Room 415
Los Angeles, CA 90012

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT:

The Bureau of Engineering is absorbing the cost of processing the request in the approximate amount of \$5,000.00.

TRANSMITTAL:

1. Adopted Council motion, October 28, 2022.

2. Draft of ordinance, in duplicate.
3. Exhibit “A”, location map.
4. Council District 3 consent exception letter, December 20, 2022.

DISCUSSION:

On October 28, 2022, under Council File No. 22-0517, the City Council per motion (Blumenfield-Krekorian), instructed the City Engineer to perform the necessary steps to change the name of Linnet Street between Crebs Avenue and Yolanda Avenue as shown colored red on the attached Exhibit “A”, and establish it as Bill Lambert Way.

The motion states, “It is appropriate that the portion of Linnet Street that runs the length of Gaspar de Portola Middle School in Tarzana, where Mr. Lambert resides, be legally renamed as Bill Lambert Way.”

A total of eight abutting property owners were notified of the proposal for the name change from Linnet Street to Bill Lambert Way. No responses were received from six abutting owners and two abutting owners opposed.

Upon adoption of the Ordinance by the City Council, the adjoining property owners and concerned agencies will be notified of the street name change.

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Respectfully submitted,



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