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Dear Joanne,

Regarding your pages on new street names in and around Foster.

Attachment 1 The RSL (Foster) wishes the new road off Elphicks Road to be named STAPLETON ROAD for Private Stapleton who died in August 1916 at Gallipoli. He had been the Minister of the Methodist Church in Foster prior to enlisting.

Attachment 2 The unnamed road that runs through the rear of the Foster Bowls Club is a continuation of Hyland Street from Court Street, and should be named accordingly;

Hyland Street (NO THROUGH ROAD)

Sir Herbert Hyland was the MP for South Gippsland in the 1950s.

Though this road on the old shire maps does continue through the now caravan park land to Landy Street which has been closed off. There is a high fence at one side of the caravan park and a gate the other where Hyland Street would exit into the showgrounds.

The other two roads, Sandy Point and Kerr's Road and Summers Road I would suggest you contact a ratepayer of that particular area ; Eric Pilkington at Sandy Point would be a good start and I am sorry cannot help with anyone on Kerr's Road.

Yours sincerely

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