

TABLE 1: Analysis of proposal against Naming Principles – Proposed name of Discovery Park located at 66 Highfield Drive Mickleham.

Principle (A) Ensuring public safety.	Comment The formal naming of this unofficially named reserve will enhance public safety by providing a more easily identifiable location for emergency services and visitors to the reserve.
Principle (B) Recognising the public interest.	Comment This naming proposal is considered to have a long-term benefit by ensuring that this park has an identifiable name. The proposed name is not considered to have only short-term benefits.
Principle (C) Linking the name to the place.	Comment The application for this naming proposal states that Discovery Park was the name given by the developer during the design and delivery phase and it is well known and recognisable by the community. The Landscape Architects who originally planned and designed the park provided feedback that the name was derived from the jungle/safari theme of the space, and the vision was to bring a connection to nature by incorporating a nature hill climb walk, a waterplay along a dry creek bed, a wild safari animal sculptures and adventure play elements.
Principle (D) Ensuring names are not duplicated.	Comment There is a street called Discovery Close in Craigieburn. This is not considered to be a duplication with the proposed name of Discovery Park because it is a different feature type, but if the Place Names Committee approves the commencement of community consultation for this naming proposal officers will then seek advice from Geographic Names Victoria on this question before commencing community consultation. Officers did not want to seek this advice before the Place Names Committee had first considered this application.
Principle (E) Recognition and use of Traditional Owner languages.	Comment This naming proposal does not use Traditional Owner language.
Principle (F) Names must not discriminate or be offensive.	Comment The proposed name does not discriminate and it is not offensive.
Principle (G) Gender equality.	Comment This naming proposal is not gender based and therefore this naming principle does not apply.
Principle (H) Dual names.	Comment Not applicable
Principle (I) Using commemorative names.	Comment Not applicable
Principle (J) Using commercial and business names	Comment Not applicable

Principle (K) Language	Comment The proposed name complies with the requirements set out in this principle.
Principle (L) Directional names to be avoided	Comment Not applicable
Principle (M) Assigning extent to a road, feature, or locality	Comment Not applicable