

Forrestfield Football Club

John Reid Oval

Forrestfield 6058

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Dear City of Kalamunda Councillors

The Forrestfield Football Club would like to request changing the name of John Reid Oval.

Our club over the past 4 years has undergone transformational change in many aspects to ensure that our club is successful in being a key place for the community to be active, provide a safe environment and align with strategic objectives of the AFL, WAFC and the City of Kalamunda.

The Forrestfield Football Club respects that John Waller Reid was a City Councillor from 1973 - 1985 serving for 12 years for the West Ward and the oval was requested to named "John Reid" by the Forrestfield Residents Association having positive outcomes for the community whilst assigned to this role.

Our reason for the request is to allow the name of the oval to define our club history and to recognise a club great to provide meaning to all our members by representing what our club stands for.

The name change we are requesting is as follows:

- Terry Davidson Oval

Terry Davidson has been a long standing foundational and still serving member of our club since the early 80's. Terry is a historic character of the club which has contributed in the following ways but not limited to:

- committee roles (in every role).
- coached many years at the club.
- life member of the club.
- continues to serve our club with various duties.
- has children and grandchildren who are members who also now coach at the club.

Our club feels passionate that this name change will be valuable for the future of our club to recognise, respect a community club legend and that the name of the oval holds true historical reference to our club.

We thank you for your time in reviewing this request and look forward to your response.

Thank you.

Kind Regards

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the game we love, the team we love, one club

