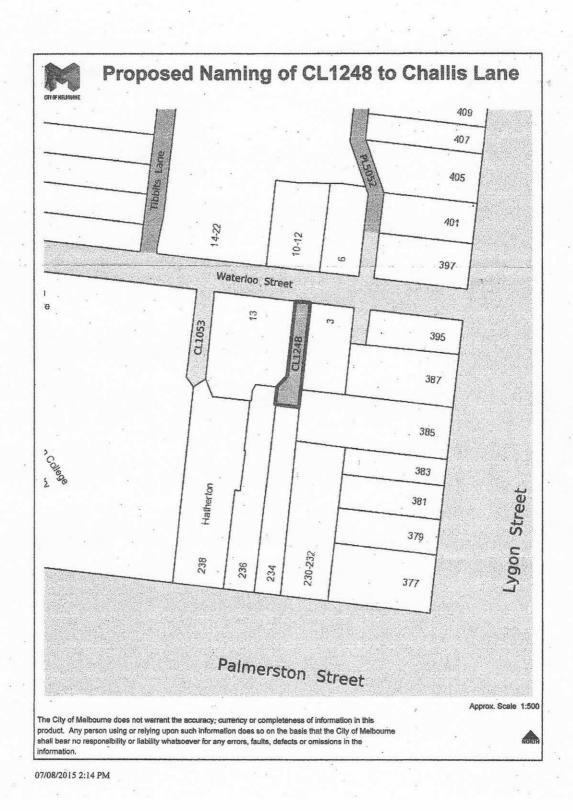
## Naming of Carlton Laneway

The City of Melbourne proposes naming a Carlton lane and invites submissions in support or rejection of the proposal.

The CRA Planning Committee does not oppose this action.

See the diagram below and further information on page 2





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Dear Sir/Madam

## PROPOSED NAMING OF CL1248 AS CHALLIS LANE, CARLTON REFERENCE: RN-2015-5

It is proposed to name the road identified on the attached plan as Challis Lane.

It is Council policy that roads should be named appropriate to the historical and cultural connections of the area. Council must also comply with the Geographic Place Names Act 1998 (see http://www.dtpli.vic.gov.au/property-and-land-titles/naming-places-features-and-roads for more information). Guidelines under that Act prevent roads from being named after living persons and businesses.

The name Challis honours George David Challis who was an Australian rules footballer who played for Carlton in the Victorian Football League (VFL) during the early 1910s. Challis was a Tasmanian and started his career at Launceston, where he was a premiership player in 1909. He was lured to Carlton in 1912, where he soon established himself as a wingman. It was in that position that he starred in Carlton's 1915 premiership team. He almost missed out on the chance to win a premiership as he had attempted to join the army at the beginning of the season, only to be refused because his toes overlapped. A teacher by profession, he was eventually signed up and served with the 58th Infantry Battalion on the Western Front. Challis, by then a Sergeant, was killed in action when a heavy-calibre German artillery shell dropped into his trench in Armentières, France July 1916.

Please respond in writing within 30 days of this letter if you wish to make a specific submission on the proposal. You may advise of your support for the proposal or objection on specific grounds (please detail). A non-response will be treated as approval to the proposed name.

Preferably your response should be via e-mail to the below address. Alternatively it should be mailed to Land Survey Team of the City of Melbourne, addressed as shown in the letterhead.

Land Survey Team can be contacted as shown below should you require any further information on the matter in the interim.

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