

INFORMATION SHEET - NAMING OF TWO PARKS IN KOOTINGAL

At the 13 December 2011 meeting, Council approved the naming of two parks in Kootingal and for this to be advertised for 28 days.

- The park currently known as Summers Park is proposed to be called Kootingal Park.
- The park currently known as Anzac Park is proposed to be called Memory Park.

KOOTINGAL PARK

This unnamed reserve is bounded by Denman Avenue and Irvine Street and the IGA Supermarket (refer map below). The park has been known locally as Summers Park and more recently as Kootingal Park.

CHANGE ANZAC PARK TO MEMORY PARK

This park, bounded by Denman Avenue, Sandy Creek and Cockburn Retreat (refer map below) is currently named Anzac Park. Council has approved the name be changed to Memory Park, based on evidence that the Park was originally known as Memory Park in the 1920's. Documents indicate that the majority of servicemen from the Kootingal district served on the Western Front during WWI and had no direct involvement at Gallipoli from where the name Anzac arose.



PROVIDING FEEDBACK

At all times during the public exhibition period, feedback can be provided by either:

- Lodging a Written Submission to Council; **or**
- Forwarding your comments electronically (as an e-mail).

Written Submissions in relation to the naming of Kootingal and/or Memory Park should be addressed to:

The General Manager
Tamworth Regional Council
PO Box 555
TAMWORTH NSW 2340

Electronic Submissions should be directed to trc@tamworth.nsw.gov.au

Submissions must be received by **5.00pm Monday 13 February 2012**. Council will consider all issues that are raised during the consultation period before it meets to formally adopt the names at a Council Meeting to be held in Tamworth at 6:30pm on Tuesday 28 February 2011.

Further information in relation to these names can be obtained by contacting Brian Sheedy, Council's Parks and Horticulture Manager, on (02) 6767 5482 during normal office hours.