

Attachment 2 - Letters of Objection and Support

**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Sunday, 14 November 2021 6:49 PM  
**To:** Records Officer  
**Subject:** Road Naming.

Re ROAD NAMING PROPOSAL.

Dear Sir.

We are concerned that there is a proposal to have part of what is known as Orana Road changed to Girragulang Rd.

The section of road from the Balck Stump Way to Moorefield Road has always been known as Orana Road to the locals of the Coolah district for 60 plus years.

We strongly object to this proposed change. The name Girragulang Rd is not familiar to any locals or in the wider district.

We suggest that Girragulang Road be changed officially to Orana Road.

Kind regards.

[REDACTED]

Sent from my iPad

**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, 16 November 2021 10:14 AM  
**To:** Gary Murphy  
**Cc:** Kumar Satkumaran  
**Subject:** FW: Road Naming Proposal - Coolah

Dear Gary,  
Here is another objection to the road naming proposal for Orana Road.

[REDACTED]

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, 16 November 2021 10:11 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Road Naming Proposal - Coolah

Dear [REDACTED]  
Thank you for taking the time to write down your concerns about the road naming proposal, your objection is noted and will be passed on to council. As to your questions concerning the name change to Girragulang Rd, I cannot answer those questions because the change occurred sometime in the 1990's when the Coolah Shire council was still in control of that area.  
Kindest regards,

[REDACTED]

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, 16 November 2021 9:09 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED] Records Officer  
<[info@warrumbungle.nsw.gov.au](mailto:info@warrumbungle.nsw.gov.au)>  
**Subject:** Road Naming Proposal - Coolah

To whom it may concern,

On behalf of [REDACTED] and myself [REDACTED] I would like to put forward a submission on the proposal of the name change to Orana Rd ( Off the Black Stump Way)...

We have had no formal notification that there has been a name change of this road in the past 21 years that we have occupied/purchased the Property [REDACTED] COOLAH NSW 2843...

All our legal document have Orana Rd on them...

We have always called Orana Rd and still do unaware of any change. Until add in the Coolah Diary of the 10/11/2021 Issue No: 731/21... (WHEN WE NOTICED IN THE SHIRE PAGE)

We would like to know the following

1. Why was the Road changed in the first place?

2. When was the name changed to Girragulang Road?
3. Why was there no formal notification to the landholders in the area of this change when it was made as we have permanent access to our property on this road?

Unnecessary changes only cause financial strain to rate holders that have to have legal document change to suit which is very frustrating when monies can be put to better use...  
Also the monies that have been spent to make these changes by the shire unnecessary could have been allocated for better use... eg maintenance to our roads ( Which are dirt and in an awful state).

Let alone the implication of not knowing about changes in a case of emergency.

**Our submission is that we don't agree with the name change at all and would prefer it to be reverted back to Orana Rd from the Black stump way to Moorefield Rd...** Should have never been changed...

Thank you for the your time  
Regards

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General Manager  
Warrumbungle Shire Council  
PO Box 191  
Coonabarabran NSW 2357

Dear General Manager:

I write in opposition of the road naming proposal put forward by Warrumbungle Shire Council relating to changes in the naming of Orana Road, Coolah to Gurragulang Road.

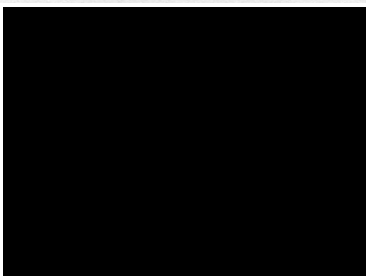
My family property known as [REDACTED] is located on what has been known by locals as Orana Road for as long as 80 years. Orana Road runs from The Black Stump Way in its entirety to meet with Moorefield Road. Current signage confirms this.

It is noted that on Google Maps, this road is shown as Gurragulang Road. When this change occurred, no one is quite sure as there had been absolutely no community consultation. It is disappointing to see that Council are consulting the residents and community now after it seems this decision has already been made on their behalf, and only after it has come to light following an incident where emergency services were required to attend an address that was conveyed as Orana Road by a resident, to be told by the operator that it does not exist on a mapping system.

It is pertinent that there is harmony between signage and mapping systems to ensure future emergency response times are not prolonged due to confusion in road names.

With the above in mind, I do hope Council listen to the overwhelming resident & community opposition of having the road name changed from Orana Road to Gurragulang Road.

Sincerely,

A large black rectangular redaction box covering the signature area.

**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, 9 November 2021 3:26 PM  
**To:** Records Officer; [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Item for Council Meeting November Meeting  
**Attachments:** Orana Road - October More Information for Councillors .pdf; Orana Road - Council Name Submission Sept 21.pdf; Six Maps Place of Road Name Change.pdf

Attn: [REDACTED]

DOC ID [REDACTED]

Dear [REDACTED]

The email below and the attached information was sent out before the last council meeting however it was not listed on the agenda so I was unable to speak about it at the October meeting. Can you please ensure that it is listed on the next agenda for the November meeting so that we can get this resolved before any change of councillors and back to square one.

Although our preference has always been to return the road name to Orana Road as it has been for the past 90 years until recently, we would be willing to accept this compromise.

If you need any more information, please do not hesitate to contact me on [REDACTED]

Thank you

Regards  
[REDACTED]

Attn: Ambrose Doolan

Dear Mayor

cc. Roger Bailey – WSC

**Re: Orana Road – Name Change and Numbering**

Thank you in advance for reading my email. I understand the volume of reading that is required as a Councillor and how much work it is to get across all issues, and appreciate your efforts.

This is, however, our third presentation to Council, so hopefully this matter will be finally be resolved at this meeting. If you do not have time to read our submission, I will explain it again in person.

**Our Aim and Requested Motion for Meeting:**

To have the name of the Road “Orana Road” *which runs through our property* continue to be called Orana Road and for our home to be allocated a location number at our driveway on Orana road.

Although we still strongly believe that the road name was changed without consultation and should be renamed back to Orana Road, we will agree to a compromise to appease our neighbours.

Our compromise is for the neighbour to keep the Girragulang Road name from the boundary of the two properties, at the ramp and bend in the road to the South. **Not** a name change in the middle of the property.

We do believe it is **very important** for every home to have the correct addressing in case of an emergency and would like this resolved as soon as possible.

I have attached to the email the previous information provided about this matter to Council, should you wish to read.

I will be happy to answer any questions beforehand or at the meeting. My telephone number is [REDACTED]

Thank you for taking the time to read this.

Kind regards

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Coolah NSW 2843

[REDACTED]

**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Sunday, 14 November 2021 7:20 PM  
**To:** Records Officer  
**Subject:** Road Naming Proposal-Girragulang /Orana Roads

Attn General Manager  
Warrumbungle Shire Council

Dear Sir

We have received Mr [REDACTED] proposal to alleviate the issues we were having with our road address.

We as the only landholders with property addresses on Girragulang Road are in favour of the proposed change to the current situation.

We gather this change will be supported with accurate signage and a revision of the street numbering. Currently the street numbers that are allocated to our residences direct people to sites which are not even on the road.

If these issues are addressed then we are wholeheartedly in agreement with this proposal.

Yours Faithfully [REDACTED]

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