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MEMORANDUM

To: Mayor and City Council

From: Howard Koontz

Date: 5/9/2011

Subject: Changing the name of a portion of Eidson Road

ITEM DESCRIPTION

The City of Dunwoody Public Works Department has requested a name change for that portion of Eidson Road located in Land Lot 358 to Cherry Hill Lane. This section of roadway currently presents a public safety challenge for our Police Department when responding to incidents and accidents because this portion of Eidson Road does not adjoin the neighboring, yet unconnected southern portion of Eidson Road. Changing the name of the street will ameliorate potential confusion and improve clarity from a public safety standpoint.

See the attached map that highlights proposed changes. Staff proposes naming the road "Cherry Hill Lane" to conform to the existing attached street.

BACKGROUND

In officially renaming this public street, staff has followed the procedure outlined in Chapter 26, Section 1 of City Code. At their regularly scheduled April 12, 2011 meeting, Planning Commission voted 6-0 to approved staff's recommendation.

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Staff recommends the name of the identified portion of Eidson Road be changed to Cherry Hill Lane.

