



SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY NOTICE OF HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the San Bernardino County - Department of Public Works on **MONDAY, DECEMBER 30, 2024, AT 9:00 AM** will conduct a public hearing to regarding renaming of “SQUAW BUSH ROAD” to “BIG HORN ROAD.”

California Advisory Committee on Geographic Names (CACGN) has petitioned to San Bernardino County to change the name of “SQUAW BUSH ROAD” to “BIG HORN ROAD” in Lucerne Valley. The request has been made to be compliant with Assembly Bill (AB) 2022 (Ramos), Chapter 479 of 2022 Statutes to remove the term squaw (sq_) from all geographical features.

Under the new law, the word “sq_” has been declared an offensive ethnic, racial, and sexist slur and public agencies and the California Advisory Committee of Geographic Names (CACGN) are tasked with working collaboratively with California Native American tribes to determine respectful replacement names. The San Bernardino County Public Works Department has consulted with the Yuhaaviatam of San Manuel Nation Tribal Leaders, who have proposed the new street name “BIG HORN ROAD.”

SAID MEETING will be conducted in the Department of Public Work’s Hearing Room, 825 East 3rd Street, First Floor, San Bernardino, California, where all interested persons may be present and be heard.

If you are not able to attend in person, please use the following link to join virtually:
https://teams.microsoft.com/dl/launcher/launcher.html?url=%2F_%23%2F%2Fmeetup-join%2F19%3Ameeting_ZWYwMzUxZTktZjlxZC00M2RILWFiNWEtYjE2N2FhMTU3MGE2%40thead.v2%2F0%3Fcontext%3D%257b%2522Tid%2522%253a%252231399e53-6a93-49aa-8cae-c929f9d4a91d%2522%252c%2522Oid%2522%253a%252252d859c7-42cb-4040-b77b-6151797d6f0d%2522%257d%26anon%3Dtrue&type=meetup-join&deeplinkId=f20acfd0-28d7-4e40-a2c366c4162e546f&directDI=true&msLaunch=true&enableMobilePage=true&suppressPrompt=true

Any questions regarding the hearing should be addressed to the Department of Public Works-Transportation, 825 E. Third Street, San Bernardino, California, CA 92415-0835. (909) 387-8186.

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