

Memorandum

REPORT TO: City Commission

FROM: Taylor Lonsdale, Transportation Engineer
Nicholas Ross, Director of Transportation and Engineering

SUBJECT: A Resolution, Declaring the Intent of the Commission to Change the Name of Elaine Lane to Fly Fisher Run

MEETING DATE: May 20, 2025

AGENDA ITEM TYPE: Resolution

RECOMMENDATION: **Consider the Motion:** *I move to approve a resolution Declaring the Intent of the Commission to change the name of Elaine Lane to Fly Fisher Run.*

STRATEGIC PLAN: 1.3 Public Agencies Collaboration: Foster successful collaboration with other public agencies and build on these successes.

BACKGROUND: City of Bozeman Resolution 3628 defines the procedure for changes in name and vacation of streets or alleys.

The City of Bozeman received a request from a resident to change the name of Elaine Lane to Fly Fisher Run. Note that a previous petition proposing to change the name to Naughty Trout Run was withdrawn by the applicant.

Bozeman Commission has previously approved through Consent item G.8 on May 6, 2025 an acknowledgment of receipt of the current petition to change the name of Elaine Lane to Fly Fisher Run. The proposed "Declaring the Intent" resolution under consideration in this Consent Item is the next step in the procedure; it directs the City Clerk to publish public notice as required in Montana Code Annotated and identifies the regular session of the City Commission of the City of Bozeman to be held at the Commission Meeting Room, City Hall, 121 N. Rouse Avenue, Bozeman, Montana, on Tuesday, the 17th day of June, 2025, at the hour of 6:00 p.m. as the time and place where and when the City Commission will hear all objections to changing the name of Elaine Lane to Fly Fisher Run. Commission decision on the petition will be made at that time. The Department of Transportation and Engineering has completed an evaluation of the petition and attached a Staff Report.

UNRESOLVED ISSUES: None.

ALTERNATIVES: Failure to approve will result in the denial of the petition prior to hearing and decision.

FISCAL EFFECTS:

None.

Attachments:

[Resolution_of_Intent_Elaine_Lane_to_Fly_Fisher_Run.docx](#)

[Notice_of_Intent-Elaine_Lane_to_Fly_Fisher_Run.docx](#)

[Elaine Lane - Noticing List.pdf](#)

[Draft Staff Report - Elaine Lane to Fly Fisher Run.pdf](#)

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