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Subject: I-33177 - RD.09.22 - Request to change signposted place name on Gibb River Road

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Happy New Year SWEK,

I have been asked by Mr Alfie White (Elder and Traditional Owner for Jigngarrin/Barnett Gorge on Gibb River Station) and the Ngallagunda Aboriginal Corporation to request that the sign to Barnett River Gorge 3 on Gibb River Station on the Gibb River Road (see attached photo) be changed to include the Ngarinyin name for the gorge which is Jigngarrin, so the sign would read "Jigngarrin (Barnett River Gorge)".

I have been advised by Peter Southern at WA Main Roads that an application to change signposted place names must first be submitted to the local shire for comment or endorsement before proceeding with any further action. Peter advised that if endorsed by the shire, this can then be forwarded to Landgate who will pass it on to the Geographical Names Committee for assessment and approval. Should approval be given, WA Main Roads will require documentation of the approval before amending the sign.

Could you please let me know what the process is for submitting an application for this change to SWEK?

Thanks in advance for your assistance.

Kind regards, Kat



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