

RE: New development- Land to the South of Thorpe Road, Weeley, Essex CO16 8AJ



Cllr. Mick Barry

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I confirm that I am making the following executive decision:-

To formally name the new roads under construction at the development site – Land to the South of Thorpe Road, Weeley, Essex

Barnowl Close (reason) – Barn owls commonly resided in the old barns

Hay Lane (reason) – Fields were pasture producing hay

Ashlands (reason) – The land was part of Ash Farm

Lamb Court (reason) – Lambs and Sheep grazed the fields

Jersey Place (reason) – Jersey Cows grazed on the fields to produce milk for Weeley residents

Gunflint Gardens (reason) – Gunflints were used in the time of the Barrack encampment in circa 1800 Napoleonic War defence camp

Royal Surrey Row (reason) – One of the regiments based at the camp was the 'Royal Surrey'

Musket Drive (reason) – Guns used by the troops based here

Napoleon Way (reason) – Named after the Napoleonic War defence based here

Gordon Mews (reason) - One of the regiments based at the camp

Highlanders (reason) - One of the regiments based at the camp

Church View (reason) – this road overlooks the church

Rushmere Road (reason) – William Rushmere was in the 5th Dragoons at Weeley and married in 1809 a local Weeley lady.

I understand that a consultation with the relevant Ward Members that serve Weeley and Tendring Ward has taken place, and all members are in agreement”

Kind Regards
Cllr Mick Barry