

Appendix A: **Veteran Square: Naming of the area around Burlington Cenotaph**

Councillor Lisa Kearns

**Request to Rename Cenotaph to Veterans Square
Letters of Support**

Nov. 12, 2020

It has been brought to our attention that you will be proposing a motion to City Council this coming week regarding naming the area surrounding the Burlington Cenotaph as “Veterans Square”. This is a great idea and is long overdue. The one hundred and ninety members of the Halton Naval Veterans Association fully support your proposal. We wish you much success in this endeavour and look forward to the change.

George St. Michael President, Halton Naval Veterans Association
2444 Industrial Street, Burlington, ON

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Andy Barber, RCN Secretary, The Burl-Oak Naval Veterans
3520 Autumn Leaf Crescent, Mississauga, ON

Nov. 10, 2020

I would be honoured to nominate the area surrounding the Burlington Cenotaph in being named Veterans Square. Burlington has a long history of Remembrance and this area receiving a name would be another step in the legacy of those who answered the call of duty and have called Burlington home. As a proud descendent of three relatives from the Great War, 11 relatives from the Second World War, and a serving member myself, I feel that this area should be recognized as a place of Remembrance.

2 Lt Shawn Fowler, Training Officer
2379 RHLI Royal Canadian Army Cadet Corps- Burlington Army Cadets

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On behalf of the Mundialization Committee, I strongly support the naming of the area around the Cenotaph as Veteran Square. It better reflects the meaning of the monument and recognition of the efforts and sacrifices of our veterans.

Ed Dorr, Past Chair Mundialization Committee

Additional support received from:

- Michelle Lemaire, Principal of Burlington Central School
- Doug Dicker
- William Norman
- Ed Moir