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To His Worship the Mayor and Members of City Council

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Comments

If todays councilors were to agree to create a city owned casino and convention center in saskatoon, and it was completed five years from now, and a man left that casino after a day of gambling and drinking and drove towards home, and then killed a pedestrian, would the mayor at the time of the decision to build the complex, be responsible for the pedestrians death? The same for the prime minister of Canada at the time, of the start of the Residential Schools. He did not make the rules that the schools were to follow. He did not over watch all that happened. He was our Prime Minister and had a country to run, and is being honored with this road named after him. We should not be so quick to remove a part of our country's history from our city due to a terrible mistake that caused such grave heartache. Changing the name will result in a great cost and inconvenience to the hundreds of residents and the city. The city has many new areas being developed and can name any other street or road in memory of all the victims. Please, do not change the name of this road.

Thank you.