



Surrey Interpretive Storyboard, Historic Cloverdale

## **Surrey's Heritage Interpretation Program**

Surrey's Heritage Interpretation Program administers public heritage markers and interpretive storyboards in neighbourhoods across Surrey. These markers and storyboards share the deep history of Surrey and connect locals and visitors to community stories related to Surrey's people, points of interest, cultural landscapes, and industrial and transportation history.

Public heritage markers and storyboards remind viewers that Surrey's diverse history is right here, near them in every neighbourhood and every corner of this growing and changing city. They demonstrate the intrinsic benefits of heritage by sharing the values of community and by building neighbourhood connections that foster civic pride.

### **New Heritage Marker: 1930s Families in the Bear Creek Park Area**

In early summer 2021, Surrey Heritage will be installing a new heritage marker in Bear Creek Park, in the Newton neighbourhood of Surrey. It will take the form of a regional map with family names printed on their historical property lots - a snapshot of residents of the Bear Creek area in 1940. The map will be affixed to a large boulder and will be accompanied by a short contextual paragraph.

The goal of the heritage marker, illustrated by the diverse names on the map and by accompanying text, will be to share with viewers that this area's residents prior to 1942 originated from all over the world. Please note that it will be acknowledged that the marker is on the unceded and ancestral lands of the Salish Peoples, specifically the Katzie, Kwantlen, and Semiahmoo First Nations.

It is important for Surrey Heritage that names on the heritage marker are accurate and complete. A list of names, with addresses, is below. We are grateful for your time and assistance in reviewing and correcting this information. We would also be honoured should anyone who has stories to share, or advice to give, want to reach out.

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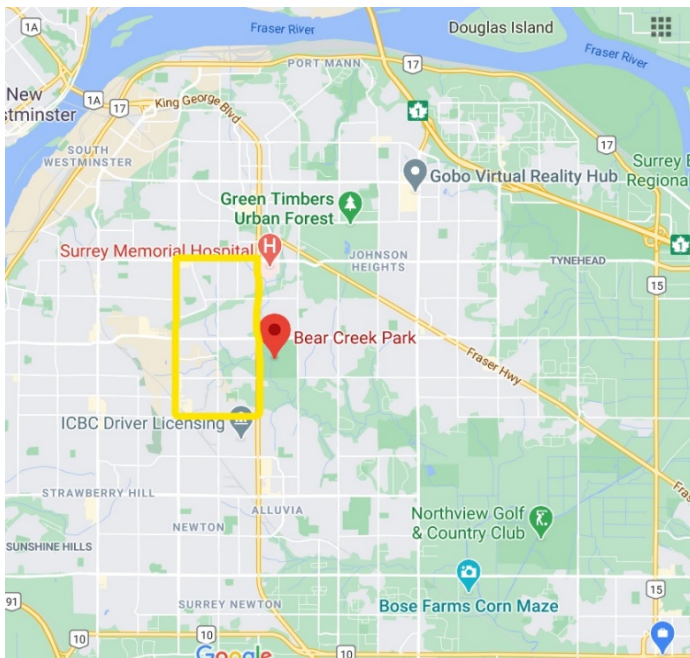
## Japanese-Canadian Families Living in Surrey's Bear Creek Park Area 1940

Names	Current Street #	Street Name pre-1957
Hirasawa	128 st	Sandell
Mijazaki	128 st	Sandell
Ota	128 st	Sandell
Shinmoto	128 st	Sandell
Shinohara	128 st	Sandell
Hori	132 st	Roebuck Rd
Inouye	132 st	Roebuck Rd
Kawazoi	132 st	Roebuck Rd
Ono	132 st	Roebuck Rd
Yasui	132 st	Roebuck Rd
Imahashi	134 st	Unwin
Nakamura	134 st	Unwin
Minto	136 st	King George Hwy (Bergstrom Rd)
Shigeta	136 st	King George Hwy (Bergstrom Rd)
Hashida	96 ave	Townline
Kimura	96 ave	Townline
Morioka	96 ave	Townline
Okazaki		King George Hwy (Bergstrom Rd)
Nishioka		King George Hwy (Bergstrom Rd)
Fukushima		Sandell
Hinatsu		Severson Rd



1949 Aerial Map of Area

*Names highlighted in yellow have not been able to be cross-referenced*



Current Surrey Map with area outlined