



PUBLIC/PRIVATE ROAD NAME REQUEST FORM

Yakima County Roads

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APPLICANT (Owner, Association Representative, or Contact Person)

Date Submitted: _____

Name/Business: _____ Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ E-Mail (optional): _____

City State Zip

ROADWAY INFORMATION – To be Completed by Applicant

Roadway Type: Rename Existing New Development Private Driveway

Maintained By: County Road Association Private Individual

Reason for Request: _____

(County Use Only)

Roadway Accessed: _____

Cause:

Addressing: Grid
 Rural

Multi-Residence Development New Commercial
 Private Access Threshold County Construct

CRITERIA FOR NAMING A PRIVATE OR PUBLIC ROAD

Note: Road names submitted will be reviewed and a name will be chosen based on the following criteria

1. Renaming of an existing named roadway, whether public or privately owned, must go through a public hearing process and approved/denied as determined by the Board of County Commissioners;
2. New development roadways which are a continuation of an existing road, regardless of ownership, will be given the same road name;
3. If a road name cannot be agreed upon by the property owners / residents, the County can designate a road name of its choosing.
4. Road names must be considered in good taste.
5. Candidate road names cannot duplicate an existing road name elsewhere within Yakima County;
6. A road name cannot be used if the pronunciation sounds similar to an existing road name, even if they are spelled differently (example: Winnier, Winner);
7. Applicant's road name preference will be given first consideration in determining name;
8. Road names should consider the geographical location. For example, "Hill Top Road" should not be used if located in a valley or does not lead to a hill top;
9. Road names shall not be possessive (for example, Clyde's Circle, Mary's Lane);
10. Use of family names may be restricted. It is likely a unanimous agreement among all property owners / residents will be required in order to name a road with a family name.

ADDRESSING CONDITIONS

- Revised Code of Washington – 36.32.120
- Revised Code of Washington – 36.72.040
- Title 13 – Chapter 26 of Yakima County Code
- Yakima County Ordinance No. 7-2007

PROPOSED ROAD NAMES

Applicant recommended to submit five different base names listed Most Preferred #1 to Lesser Preferred #5 as agreed upon by all affected property owners – Not Renters (signed on back page):

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

Note: County will determine road descriptor (lane, road, court, etc.) Applicant's 5 proposed names should follow criteria listed above.

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PROPERTY OWNERS INFORMATION AND CONSENT (Attach additional sheet if needed)

Property Owner (Please Print)	Existing Mailing Address (incl. City, Zip Code & Phone No.)	Parcel Number	Signature
John Q. Public	123 Main St., Anytown, WA 00000 (509) 555-1212	123456-78901	<i>John Q. Public</i>