



# PUBLIC/PRIVATE ROAD NAME REQUEST FORM

Form # CR0008 A  
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## County Roads

Yakima County Public Services

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Date Submitted: \_\_\_\_\_

### APPLICANT (Owner, Association Representative, or Contact Person)

Name/Business: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail (optional): \_\_\_\_\_

City State Zip

### 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. Roads which are a continuation of an existing road, regardless of ownership, will be given the same road name.
2. A road name cannot duplicate an existing road name as recorded in the road name directory.
3. 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)
4. Applicant's Preference
5. Road names must be considered in good taste
6. 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.
7. 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.
8. Road names shall not be possessive (for example, Clyde's Circle, Mary's Lane).
9. If a road name cannot be agreed upon by the property owners / residents, the County can designate a road name of its choosing.

### ADDRESSING CONDITIONS

- A. Revised Code of Washington – 36.32.120
- B. Revised Code of Washington – 36.72.040
- C. Yakima County Ordinance No. 7-2007 and Title 13 of YCC

**PROPOSED ROAD NAME (Must submit five different base names) Note: County will determine road descriptor (lane, road, court, etc.) Applicant's 5 proposed names should follow criteria listed above. County will consider road preference based on 1-5 listing.**

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### REASON FOR REQUEST (Completed by Applicant, Attach additional sheet, if needed)

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