



PLANNING DIVISION

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Application No. 20 _____ - _____

**APPLICATION FOR
Street Name Approval**

Prior to submitting your application, all proposed street name(s) must meet attached naming requirements & guidelines (see page 2) and be checked for duplicate and prohibited names on the Butte County Road Name List, located on the County's website - <http://www.buttecounty.net/publicworks/Services/RoadList.aspx>.
Your completed application and a pdf site plan can be emailed to Jessica Henry, jessica.henry@chicoca.gov, 530-879-6820.

Applicant Information

Applicant Name	Phone	
Applicant Street Address	Email	
City	State	Zip
Property Owner(s) Name	Email	
Engineer Firm/Name	Email	

Project Information

Project/Subdivision Name	Street(s): Public <input type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/>
Assessor's Parcel No(s)	Jurisdiction: City <input type="checkbox"/> County <input type="checkbox"/>
Project Address(es)/Location	

Proposed Street Names

A minimum of **three** names shall be submitted for each street. Identify street as listed on site plan accompanying this application. **List names in order of preference. See page 2 for street naming requirements & guidelines.**

Street " _____ "	Street " _____ "	Street " _____ "
1.	1.	1.
2.	2.	2.
3.	3.	3.
Street " _____ "	Street " _____ "	Street " _____ "
1.	1.	1.
2.	2.	2.
3.	3.	3.

Required Signatures

I hereby certify that this application and all other documents submitted are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. **I also certify that I am the owner of the above property or have attached the owner's written consent to file this application.**

Applicant's Signature <i>(Original required)</i>	Date
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Department Approval: ___ Police Department ___ Fire Department ___ CDD ___ Butte County Road Name List	

The following requirements and guidelines shall be adhered to when submitting proposed street names.

Check for duplicate and prohibited names on the Butte County Road Name List, located on the County's website, <http://www.buttecounty.net/publicworks/Services/RoadList.aspx>.

1. STREET NAME CRITERIA

- a. Sound alike/ similar street names are prohibited (e.g. Links and Lynx, Bay View and Bayview).
- b. Only common/correct spelling of street names will be approved (Jane not Jayne, Green not Greene).
- c. Street names shall be limited to two words not including the suffix.
- d. Street names that are frivolous, complicated, hard to spell or hard to pronounce are prohibited.
- e. Special characters are prohibited (hyphens, dashes, or apostrophes).
- f. Street names are restricted to a maximum of 20 letters and spaces, including the street name and prefix, but not including the suffix.
- g. Street names in a foreign language will not be approved unless the name is easy to pronounce, and the meaning is polite and reasonable.
- h. When a cul-de-sac is located at the end of an existing street, it shall be given the name of that street, including the suffix, even if the street is broken by an intersection and is then a cul-de-sac.
- i. When two cul-de-sacs approach each other from opposite directions and are in the same alignment but do not join in any manner, they shall be assigned different street names.
- j. Once a street name is assigned to an alignment it may not change along the extension of that alignment.
- k. The first word of a new street name may not be reused (e.g. Allie Court or Allie Mae Court).

2. STREET NAME SUFFIXES *Assigned by the City of Chico

The suffix must describe the proposed street. The following street suffixes and their descriptions are approved for use in the City of Chico.

- a. Boulevard - a thoroughfare that is continuous and not limited to a single subdivision, with a landscaped median dividing the roadway.
- b. Parkway - a thoroughfare that is continuous and not limited to a single subdivision, with a median character reflected in the name.
- c. Avenue - a thoroughfare.
- d. Street - a thoroughfare.
- e. Road - a thoroughfare.
- f. Drive - a thoroughfare.
- g. Way - a minor street.
- h. Lane - a minor street.
- i. Commons - a minor street.
- j. Terrace - a minor street.
- k. Place - a minor street.
- l. Court - dead-end street or cul-de-sac.
- a. Loop - a street that forms duplicate intersections with the same street.
- b. Circle - a street that runs in a circle and has one entrance/exit.

3. STREET NAME PREFIXES - The following street prefixes are approved for use in the City of Chico.

- a. Las, El, Via, Villa, Paseo, Le, Rue, La.
- b. Additional prefixes may be submitted for approval.