

Road Name Suggestions

Use the list of road name suggestions below to help choose a name for your private lane or subdivision road but keep the following general rules in mind:

1. The name cannot be already in use in the County. A different road name *suffix* does not make the name unique. For example, Sunset *Drive* and Sunset *Lane* are considered to be the same name.
2. A road name that sounds the same as another, even if spelled differently, will not be accepted. This is to prevent confusion in the event of an emergency.
3. Names that reflect the local history and culture of the area are encouraged. Those that alter the character of the community are discouraged.
4. If a road is to be named after a particular person, that person should be important to, or have contributed to the local community. A letter explaining the reason why the person is worthy of such a commemoration must accompany a road name submission.
5. The road name type suffix should accurately describe the character of the road and selected from the following list:
 - (a) "Avenue (Ave)" a wide spacious road within an urban/incorporated area;
 - (b) "Boulevard (Blvd)" a wide spacious road within an urban/incorporated area;
 - (c) "Circle (Cir)" a small residential public road which shape is circular;
 - (d) "Court (Ct)" a relatively short road that ends in a cul-de-sac;
 - (e) "Drive (Dr)" long cul-de-sac or through road;
 - (f) "Lane (Ln)" an access road on private property. There may or may not be a private right-of-way;
 - (g) "Loop (Loop)" a road of limited length forming a loop, having no other intersecting road, and functioning mainly as direct access to abutting properties that may be designated for one- way or two-way traffic;
 - (h) "Place (Pl)" either a small residential road or a narrow road in a commercial area;
 - (i) "Road (Rd)" rural, public roads; through roads;
 - (j) "Street (St)" a road within an urban/incorporated area, and;
 - (k) "Way (Way)" a short access way

This is a basic list - other suffixes such as Bend, Bluff, Ridge, Crest, Glen, Grove, Run etc. can be used but also must reflect the character of the road.

Flora

Bakeapple	Cloverleaf	Lupin	Sundew
Bittersweet	Coltsfoot	Mallow	Sweet Clover
Bramble	Cranberry	Marram (Grass)	Tansey
Bracken	Crowberry	Mayflower	Teaberry
Bluebell	Daisy	Mayweed	Thistle
Blackberry	Dandelion	Meadowsweet	Tiger Lily
Blue Flag Iris	Dogwood	Partridgeberry	Trillium
Blueberry	Fireweed	Pitcher Plant	Twinflower
Bunchberry	Forget-me-not	Primrose	Violet
Buttercup	Goldenrod	Raspberry	Water Lily
Cattail	Goldthread	Rock Fern	Wild Carrot
Chanterelle	Horsetail	Rockweed	Wild Rose
Checkerberry	Ivy	Sea Rocket	Willow
Chicory	Lady's Slipper	Starflower	Wintergreen
Cinquefoil	Laurel	Strawberry	Yarrow

Fauna

Beaver	Bobcat	Mayfly	Jewelwing
Muskrat	Otter	Dolphin	Monarch
Red Fox	Coyote	Pilot Whale	Viceroy
Mink	Martin	Humpback	Bumble Bee
Lynx	Fisher	Sand Dollar	Periwinkle
Rabbit	Ermine	Black Fly	Meadowhawk
Porcupine	Woodchuck	Ladybug	Skimmer
Chipmunk	Spring Peeper	Ladybird	
Whitetail	Tadpole	Dragonfly	
Moose	Wood Frog	Damselfly	

Trees

Tamarack	Hawthorne	Staghorn	White Birch
Juniper	Linden	Black Spruce	Yellow Birch
Beech	Jack Pine	Red Spruce	Black Cherry
Ironwood	Red pine	White Spruce	Elm
Mountain Ash	White Pine	Aspen	Red Maple
Larch	Mountain Maple	Trembling Aspen	Sugar Maple
Hemlock	Balsam	Poplar	Striped Maple
Apple Tree	Juniper	Basswood	Red Oak
Crabapple	Chestnut	Grey Birch	Scots pine

Birds

Chickadee	Blackbird	Merganser	(Bank) Swallow
(Song) Sparrow	Crow	Gannet	Barn Swallow
Loon	Raven	Little Gull	Wren
Mallard	Bluejay	Herring Gull	Pinfeather
Cormorant	Swallow	Partridge	Yellow Legs
Redtail	(Red) Robin	Pheasant	Kestrel
Larkspur	Tern	(Piping) Plover	Barred Owl
Merlin	(Sea) Gull	Sandpiper	Coopers Hawk
Marsh Hawk	Blue Heron	Turnstone	Sanderling
Osprey	Black Duck	Sanderling	Whimbrel
Warbler	Eider	Mourning Dove	Puffin
Starling	Goldeneye	Hummingbird	

Star / Moon

Starry	Starburst	Moonlight	Moonrise
Starfield	Starstruck	Moonlighter	Moonset
Starlight	Stargazer	Moonshine	Moonbeam
Starboard	Stardust	Moonstruck	Honeymoon
Starfish		Moonstone	

Rock

Rocky	Rockslide	Rockbound	Shamrock
Rockhound	Rockfall	Rockling	Bedrock
Rockhopper	Rockweed	Rockery	Laverock
Rockfish	Rockabye	Rocking	Lavrock
Rocket	Rockaway	Rimrock	
Rocketeer	Rockworks	Slickrock	

Brook

Fallingbrook	Aldersbrook	Rockbrook	Fallbrook
Falconbrook	Winterbrook	Tidebrook	Brookland
Stoneybrook	Willowbrook	Glenbrook	Brookside
Cherrybrook	Clearbrook	Seabrook	Brookwood
Easterbrook	Merrybrook	Ashbrook	Brookdale
Springbrook	Hillbrook	Bowbrook	
Meadowbrook	Millbrook	Summerbrook	

River / Stream

Riverfront	Riverwind	Riverine	Coldstream
Riverscape	Riverweed	Upriver	Downstream
Riverside	Riverrise	Downriver	Headstream
Riverstone	Riverland		Gulfstream
Riverbank	Rivervale	Streamside	Upstream
Riverward	Riverdale	Silverstream	Headstream
Riverpoint	Riverglen	Clearstream	
Riverdeep	Riverbed	Millstream	

Field / Meadow

Fielding	Hayfield	Greenmeadow	Meadowbank
Fieldsman	Coalfield	Meadowfield	Meadowfair
Fieldfares		Meadowbrook	Meadowhall
Fielder	Meadowsweet	Meadowridge	Meadows
Greenfield	Meadowlarks	Meadowlark	Meadowy
Brickfield	Meadowlands	Meadowland	
Outfield	Meadowgrass	Longmeadow	

Light

Lightsome
Lighthearted
Lighthouse
Lightning
Lightwood
Lightship

Featherlight
Candlelight
Searchlight
Streetlight
Greenlight
Torchlight

Earthlight
Backlight
Rushlight
Firelight
Lamplight
Sunlight

Daylight
Skylight
Twilight
Uplight

Sea

Seafarer
Seafaring
Sea Strand
Seacoast
Seashore
Seascape
Seafront

Seaward
Seashell
Seaboard
Seahorse
Sea Star
Seawater
Seaport

Seaweed
Seabird
Seaside
Sea Scout
Seagull
Sea Beach
Seaborne

Seabird
Sea Dog
Seabed
Seaway
Oversea

Wind

Windrose
Windmere
Windjammer
Windlestraw
Windflower
Windlass
Windowsill
Windrow
Windbreak

Windstorm
Windchill
Windhover
Windswept
Windblown
Windy
Windward
Winding
Windsock

Windburn(t)
Windfall
Windowpane
Windled
Whirlwind
Crosswind
West Wind
South Wind
North Wind

East Wind
Downwind
Upwind
Headwind
Tailwind
Leeward
Windover

Stone

Stoney
Milestone
Cobblestone
Hearthstone
Cornerstone
Capstone
Keystone
Cherrystone
Touchstone

Grindstone
Greenstone
Fieldstone
Ironstone
Lodestone
Flagstone
Turnstone
Freestone
Soapstone

Claystone
Sandstone
Bluestone
Whetstone
Siltstone
Sunstone
Felstone
Gemstone
Drystone

Topstone
Stonecutter
Stonemason
Stonewall
Stoneworks
Stonecrop
Stonefly

Sun

Sunrise
Sunbeam
Sundial
Sundown
Sunburn

Sunspot
Sunfish
Sunward
Sunglow
Sunbow

Sundew
Sundog
Suntan
Sunwise
Sunset

Sunray
Sunstar
Suntrap
Sunlit
Sunup

House / Home

Boardinghouse	Guardhouse	Wellhouse	Homeward
Meetinghouse	Farmhouse	Backhouse	Homespun
Summerhouse	Gatehouse	Outhouse	Homestay
Barrelhouse	Boathouse	Longhouse	Homecoming
Springhouse	Bunkhouse	Millhouse	Homestead
Greenhouse	Deckhouse	Henhouse	Homestand
Smokehouse	Treehouse	Icehouse	Homeplace
Sugarhouse	Clubhouse	Homebody	Homestretch
Storehouse	Roadhouse	Homeland	
Wheelhouse	Birdhouse	Hometown	

Wood

Summerwood	Heartwood	Lacewood	Dogwood
Candlewood	Cedarwood	Bentwood	Baywood
Sandalwood	Underwood	Pulpwood	Fernwood
Greenwood	Beechwood	Kingwood	Cottonwood
Driftwood	Lightwood	Pinewood	Torchwood
Briarwood	Backwoods	Hardwood	Boxwood
Blackwood	Bluewood	Firewood	Moosewood
Satinwood	Rosewood	Wildwood	
Whitewood	Deadwood	Cordwood	

Land

Landlubber	Meadowland	Marshland	Tideland
Landslide	Forestland	Rangeland	Homeland
Landmark	Heartland	Heathland	Overland
Landlocked	Grassland	Farmland	Wildland
Landfall	Timberland	Mainland	Fenland
Landing	Marchland	Parkland	Lowland
Pastureland	Backland	Foreland	Norland
Timberland	Northland	Highland	Outland
Borderland	Dreamland	Headland	Upland
Hinterland	Coastland	Flatland	

Shore / Coast

Lakeshore	Shorebird	Longshore	Coastside
Nearshore	Shoreline	Backshore	Coastwards
Foreshore	Shorewards	Helmshore	Coastland
Seashore	Shoreside	Alongshore	Coastal
Onshore	Shoreview	Bayshore	Coastwise
Inshore	Shorewood		Seacoast
Shorefront	Shorebank		Midcoast

Nautical

Dogleg	Cats Paw	Land Lubber	Scuppers
Bosun	Coaster	Landsman	Scuttlebutt
Admiral	Come About	Landfall	Seamount
Anchor	Crows Nest	Landmark	Seaworthy
Anchorage	Daggerboard	Lanyard	Shipshape
Archboard	Deadeye	Lee Shore	Shipwreck
Backstay	Deadhead	Leeward	Shipwright
Baggywrinkle	Downbound	Leeway	Sounding
Barkentine	Downhaul	Lighter	Spindrift
Barrelman	Fairlead	Lightship	Spinnaker
Beacon	Fairwater	Loggerhead	Spritsail
Beakhead	Fairway	Longboat	Starboard
Beam Reach	Fantail	Longship	Staysail
Beam Wind	Flagship	Lowers	Sterncastle
Bearing	Flemish	Luff	Sternpost
Bell Rope	Flotsam	Luffing	Stowaway
Bell Buoy	Footloose	Lugger	Tall Ship
Binnacle	Footrope	Mainstay	Topmast
Blinker	Forecastle	Mariner	Topsail
Boat Hook	Foresail	Masthead	Topsides
Boathouse	Forestay	Midshipman	Tumblehome
Bollard	Freeboard	Mizzen	Waterline
Bonnet	Gooseneck	Nautical	Watersail
Bottlescrew	Groggy	Nipper	Weatherly
Bowpicker	Grommet	Old Salt	Whaleback
Bowsprit	Growler	Oilskin	Whaler
Brailer	Gunwhale	Outrigger	Wheelhouse
Breachway	Halyard	Pendant	Whipstaff
Breaker	Hardtack	Pennant	Whiskerstay
Breakwater	Headsail	Picaroon	Windbound
Brightwork	Helmsman	Pinnace	Windsail
Bullseye	Holystone	Pintle	Yardarm
Bumpkin	Hornpipe	Porthole	Clove Hitch
Bunker	Ironclad	Propeller	Bowline
Canvas	Jetsam	Regatta	Buntline
Capstan	Jury Rig	Roadstead	Carrick Bend
Cardinal	Keelson	Rudderstock	
Carrack	Knighthood	Sailmaker	
Cathead	Knockdown	Schooner	

Fish(ing)

Fishtail	Flatfish	Angler	Tailfin
Fisherman	Rockfish	Birds Nest	Redfin
Fish hook	Saltfish	Bobber	Tippet
Fishbone	Sunfish	Bucktail	Stonefly
Fishpond	Codfish	Spinner	Royal Coachman
Fisheye	Oilfish	Creel	Double Haul
Jellyfish	Blackfin	Minnow	Water Haul
Swordfish	Bluefin	Riverbed	Albright
Blackfish	Tailfin	Upriver	Hackle
Starfish	Redfin	Blackfin	
Sailfish		Bluefin	

Bow

Saddlebow	Moonbow	Downbow	Bowhead
Frostbow	Longbow	Bowstring	Bow Wood
Strongbow	Mistbow	Bowhammer	Bowbent
Stonebow	Sunbow	Bower	Bowman
Cloudbow	Fogbow	Bowfront	
Rainbow	Oxbow	Bowerhill	
Songbow	Elbow	Bowstrung	

Saw

Sawhorse	Sawbuck	Hacksaw	Bowsaw
Sawtooth	Sawyer	Whipsaw	Ripsaw
Sawgrass	Quartersawn	Backsaw	
Sawmill	Chainsaw	Buzzsaw	
Sawbill	Bucksaw	Jigsaw	
Sawdust	Jack saw	Seesaw	

Season

Summerset	Springtide	Dewfall	Mayapple
Summerhouse	Wellspring	Midwinter	Maybloom
Summerwood	Dayspring	Wintergreen	Mayfly
Summertime	Rockfall	Winterberry	Maybird
Midsummer	Landfall	Wintertime	August Apple
Summerside	Rainfall	Winter Wind	
Springtime	Snowfall	Mayblossom	
Springwood	Windfall	Mayflower	

Misc.

Stormy	Northcountry	Thunderbolt	Rosehip
Stormbound	Hilltop	Thunderbird	Rosebay
Rainstorm	Housetop	Thunderhead	Rosebud
Barnstorm	Rooftop	Thundery	Roseate
Countryside	Hilltop	Thunderstroke	Rosery
Countryman	Treetop	Rosewood	Rosette
Backcountry	Tiptop	Rosewater	Primrose
Upcountry	Thunderstone	Rosebush	Rockrose

Scottish

Coorie	Invershnecky	Sporran	Sassenach
Gloaming	Muckle	Brogue	Airie
Smourich	Ferntickle	Clachan	Aiten
Stravaig	Cairn	Clarsach	Bourach
Crouss	Caber	Corrie	Crottle
Fairfaw	Capercaille	Fillibeg	Machair
Flitcherin	Coire	Ingle	Fairge
Hause	Crag	Lochan	Breagha
Heather	Pibroch	Quaich	
Tartan	Plaid	Skean	
Bonnie	Shindig	Shennachie	

Acadian

Bénaise	Gouéland	Madouesse	Berlicoco
Bouchure	Mitan	Plaise	Papivole
Brogane	Pomme de Pré	Ariotte	Chalin
Brosse	Vaillant	Chacotter	Evangeline
Fricot	Les Bourdons	Brocher	
Friloux	Éloize	Galance	