



Washington County

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DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING & ZONING

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Prohibited Words

Antietam	Main
Apple	Manor
Ball	Maple
Barn	May
Bell	Mc
Black	Meadow
Blue	Mile
Briar	Mill
Brook	Misty
Brown	Mount
Cedar	Mountain
Center	Oak
Cherry	Old
Chestnut	Orchard
Church	Park
Clear	Pea
Clover	Pear
Country	Pen
Creek	Pine
Day	Pleasant
Edgewood	Plum
Fair	Potomac
Fall	Red
Farm	Ridge
Fox	Rock
General	Rose
Glen	Saint
Grand	Spring
Green	Stone
Grove	Sun
Hay	The
High	Valley
Hill	View
Hollow	Villa
Holly	Village
Hunter	Walnut
James	Washington
Key	Water
King	Well
Lake	White
Little	Wild
Long	Wood
Lynn	Young

Notes:

1. This list consists of words which should not be submitted in part of or as a whole road name within the county. If a proposed road name does not include one of these words it does NOT mean it is expressly approved, only that it will be reviewed further for duplication and sound-a-like.

2. It is understood that any abbreviation or sound a like of the words listed shall also be prohibited.

3. Please do not use directional words NORTH, SOUTH, EAST and WEST in a road name. Those are considered prohibited unless the office designates them as a prefix for the road.

4. Road suffixes (Street, Lane, Road etc.) are assigned by the Addressing Technician and should not be included in a road name submission.

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