



Policy to Re-name Streets

Please note: this process is a commitment by all affected parties to rename the street on which their property is addressed. If the proposed street name is approved, there will be an address reassignment for each property, and all owners will be impacted personally and financially. Affected property owners are responsible for notifying personal correspondents and will bear whatever expenses incurred due to changing personal information, i.e., address numbers of house, mailbox, driver's license, credit cards, stationary, legal documents, etc.

All requests for the renaming of existing streets within the City of Mobile shall be submitted by application to the City Clerk. The application shall include the following:

- A location map showing the street or portion of street proposed for renaming
- A petition signed and dated by at least 90% of the property owners abutting the street with printed names and addresses next to the signatures
- Reasons supporting street name change

Street name changes will not be considered if:

- The proposed street name is a duplication of an existing street name in Mobile
- The proposed street name change is a near duplication in spelling to an existing street or phonetically similar to an existing street
- The existing street name has significant historical value to the City
- The street name requested to be renamed is perceived to be offensive to segments of the City's citizenry
- If the proposed street name change is longer than 14 characters

After the application is received by the City Clerk, it will be forwarded to the appropriate Council Member for an initial review and approval. After initial approval and a determination of whether the petition has met the requirements, a public hearing will be scheduled to allow citizens the opportunity to speak for or against the re-naming. The City Clerk shall notify all property owners abutting the street by first-class mail of the public hearing time, date and place at least one week before the hearing date.



City of Mobile, Alabama

APPLICATION FOR STREET RENAMING

Name of Person/Group requesting change: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Present official city name of street: _____

Proposed name of street: _____

City Council District: _____

Reasons supporting street name change:

I certify that the above application is true and accurate.

Signature of Applicant: _____

Date of Application _____