

ORDINANCE 2005 -68

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 2003-13, AS AMENDED, KNOWN AS THE "ADDRESSING ORDINANCE"; SPECIFICALLY AMENDING SECTION 5, ROAD NAMES AND DESIGNATIONS; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, The Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County Florida, based on a request from the Nassau County Sheriff's Office, finds it is in the best interests of the citizens of Nassau County to amend the Addressing Ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED this 12th day of September, 2005, by the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, that Ordinance 2003-13, as amended, be further amended as follows:

1. SECTION 5. ROAD NAMES AND DESIGNATIONS

The Sheriff or his designee shall be responsible for the coordinating and approval of new road names. The naming of existing roads, whether public or private, that have no official name shall be in accordance with this Ordinance.

The Sheriff or his designee shall maintain records of all street names assigned and shall approve new road names to insure compliance with this Ordinance.

The following regulations are established for road names and designations:

1. There shall be no further duplication of road names within a zip code. Numbers shall not be used as street names, nor shall punctuation be allowed in street names.

2. It is not permissible to differentiate the same name by a suffix such as street or avenue (i.e., Washington Street and Washington Avenue). There shall not be a directional used in road names, (i.e. East Grove Street).

3. Street names that "sound alike" such as Peach and Beach and Lynwood and Linwood shall not be permitted in the same zip code.

4. A street running in one direction should have only one street name throughout its entire length. Streets that are functionally or physically extensions of existing streets will be given the name of the existing street.

5. The Nassau County Sheriff or his designee, to ensure compliance with this Ordinance, shall review preliminary Planned ~~Urban~~ Unit Development (PUD) and commercial plats for road naming as part of the development review process pursuant to Nassau County Resolution 2000-145, as amended. All new (PUD)s and their corresponding entrance roads shall be named the same (i.e. Blackrock Hammock Subdivision and Blackrock Hammock Drive).

6. The Sheriff or designee will complete a road certificate that will be filed with the Clerk of Courts.

2. EFFECTIVE DATE


This Ordinance shall take effect upon receipt of official acknowledgement by the Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida from the Department of State that this Ordinance has been filed with the Department of State.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA



ANSLEY N. ACREE
Its: Chairman

ATTEST:



JOHN A. CRAWFORD
Its: Ex-Officio Clerk

Approved as to form by the
Nassau County Attorney



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