

# City of Harrisonburg, Virginia



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TO: Eric D. Campbell, City Manager  
FROM: Ande Banks, Deputy City Manager  
DATE: September 18, 2019  
RE: Renaming of a portion of Hillcrest Drive

**Summary:** Due to a recent subdivision and construction of a single-family home taking place on the portion of Hillcrest Drive, on the south side of Port Republic Road, staff is requesting City Council's consideration for renaming that portion of the street to better conform with street naming conventions in the City. This renaming consideration will also minimize confusion within the shared City-County computer aided dispatch (CAD) system for emergency response. City staff is recommending the Council's consideration for renaming this portion of street to Carrera Lane. This street name has been vetted by Planning and Community Development staff as well as the City-County Emergency Communications Center (ECC).

**Background:** The recent subdivision and construction of a single-family home on this stretch of Hillcrest Drive triggered the consideration of renaming for continuity reasons and elimination of confusion on the part of potential first responders. This new parcel will be the only parcel on this street and per the naming conventions would have indicated a 1300 block of Hillcrest Drive and that would have conflicted with an already existing 1300 block of Hillcrest Drive in Park View.

Given the unique nature of this renaming happening because of a single, and potentially the only, single-family home on this street, City staff worked with the family on identifying a potential name.

**Key Issues:** Street renaming for continuity.

**Environmental Impact:** N/A

**Fiscal Impact:** N/A

**Prior Actions:** None

**Community Engagement:** City staff worked with the family constructing the single-family home on this street to identify a name recommendation.

**Recommendation:** City staff recommends approval of Carrera Lane as the new name of this portion of Hillcrest Drive, on the south side of Port Republic Road.

**Attachments:** A)

**Review:**

*The initiating Department Director will place in Legistar, in sequence of transmittal, the names of each department that must initial their review in order for this item to be placed on the City Council agenda. The completion of review only addresses the readiness of the issue for Council consideration. This does not address the recommendation for approval or denial of the issue.*