## CHATHAM COUNTY ROAD NAMING REQUEST FORM

- QUESTIONS: Any questions concerning this form should be directed to: Denise Suits, 919-545-8163
- **RETURN COMPLETED FORM TO:** Chatham County Emergency Operations, P. O. Box 613, Pittsboro, NC 27312

## ALL INFORMATION BELOW MUST BE COMPLETED

| 1. APPLICANT INFORMATION                                       | 2. TYPE OF REQUEST (check one box          |
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| Name: Judith Lessler   | only)                                      |
| Address: 97 Plantation Drive                                   | Private road or driveway                   |
| City, State & Zip Code: Pittsboro NC 27312                     | Renaming of road                           |
| Phone Number: 919 274 0024                                     | Other                                      |
| 3. PROPERTY INFORMATION  | 4. ROAD NAME INFORMATION**                 |
| State Road Number (if applicable):                             | What is the existing road name (if         |
| Township where Road Originates: :Williams                      | applicable)? Plantation Drive              |
| Will the road be part of a development?                        |  |
| Yes No   | What are the proposed or new road          |
| If a development, is it:                                       | name(s)?                                   |
| A major development  | Wagon Trace                                |
| A minor development  | •  |
| Is it possible that this will be come a state road?  Yes ⊠ No□ | •  |
| Length of road: 0.5 miles                                      | If existing name is to be changed, what is |
| Type of road (check one answer only)                           | the reason for this change?                |
| Private Public 🔀   | My late husband selected Plantation Drive  |
|  | without realizing the racist connotation   |
|  | of the name. The track of an old wagon     |
|  | road, once called Wagon 64, is north of    |
|  | Plantation Drive. The first paved road,    |
|  | once known as Old 64 was constructed       |
|  | in the 1930's. Some of that road tracked   |
|  | the wagon road; however in our area it     |
|  | ran south of the wagon road.               |
|  | Successive modernizations in the 1960s     |
|  | and 2000s moved 64 further south of        |
|  | the old wagon road.                        |
|  | Plantation Drive runs north of the current |
|  | US 64 and, generally, south of the         |
|  | wagon road. They meet at the east end      |
|  | of Plantation Drive                        |
|  | Renaming Plantation Drive to Wagon         |
| 3  | Trace recognizes history without           |
|  | glorifying slavery.                        |
|  | East Harland's Creek Drive is a reasonable |
|  | option but could yield constant            |
|  | misdirection because of confusion with     |
|  | the existing Harland's Creek Drive.        |
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| 5  | <b>DIRECTIONS TO</b> | ROAD (only   | needed if it is a | nrivate road). |
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## 6. ATTACHMENTS REQUIRED

Names, addresses and phone numbers of ALL adjacent property owners (see page 2).\*\*

- Signatures of at least 60% of adjacent property owners (see page 2).
- Attached map with marked location of the road on the map.

\*\*IMPORTANT: The County Board of Commissioners may consider a number of factors when naming or renaming a road, including the number of adjacent owners, acreage of ownership, historical significance of a road name, and roads with similar names.

| 7. Signature of Applicant: TT Lessey | Date of Signature: 7/27/2020 |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Date Submitted to County EOC:        |                              |

IMPORTANT: If this form & required information is not completed and submitted properly, the petition is not valid.

| PROVIDE A COMPLETE LIST OF ALL                                      | SIGNATURES: We, the undersigned owners,      |
|---|--|
| ADJACENT PROPERTY OWNERS,   | are in favor of the proposed road name       |
| INCLUDING NAME, ADDRESS & PHONE                                     | inserted here: There is only one two         |
| NUMBERS.  | addresses on Plantation Drive                |
|   | (NOTE: Only sign below if you approve of the |
|   | road name above.)                            |
| Name: Jimmie Vaughn<br>Address: 325 Plantation Drive, Pittsboro, NC |  |
| 27312   | Signature:                                   |
| Phone #: 919 349 2266   | Signature: Signature & Vous                  |
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