

Scott Hanneman
141 River Drive
Appleton, WI 54915-1212

Plan Commission
City of Appleton

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To Whom it May Concern,

CITY OF APPLETON
COMMUNITY/ECON DEVELOPMENT

On April 22nd, the Appleton Post-Crescent published an article entitled "Appleton planners propose historical names for 22 unnamed alleys" by Duke Behnke. Upon reading the article it became apparent that the street located in front of our homes was being considered for renaming. Scott Hanneman, a resident of this segment of River Drive, brought concerns regarding this action at the Plan Commission meeting on held on April 23rd. Our interest in this proposal is due to our four households being directly connected to the proposed "River Alley" with our driveways and front doors. From our understanding, through research conducted at the Appleton Public Library, our street once named Ann Street was renamed in 1960/1961 to be unified with the surrounding River Drive. River Drive has been well established and has organized annual events since before 1950. As members of River Drive, we take pride in this unity and continue the spirit of community today through an organized email list and participation in several annual events.

We do not feel that the front of our homes located on a full-sized street should be characterized as an alleyway. We feel that any reasonable individual would agree in this assessment upon viewing our street. We have not had any issues with emergency services locating our homes; for which they have done several times over the last couple of years. The segment of street already features its own official River Drive street sign. If an issue arises on our segment of River Drive, our house numbers align with the surrounding homes adding convenience. The entirety of our street features high visibility and anyone can easily see our house numbers from anywhere along or adjacent to the segment. Since we have not had any issues, we obviously do not desire the inconvenience and cost of changing our addresses.

In the City of Appleton's computerized map our addresses are attached to the sides of our properties. We propose that for the City of Appleton's computerized map our addresses remain numerically the same and are relocated to reflect their connection to the front of our homes.

Thank you for your time,

<u>Bette L Koehn</u>	<u>291 River Drive</u>	<u>Bette KOEHN</u>
<u>Herbert E Snyder</u>	<u>135 River Dr.</u>	<u>Herbert E. Snyder</u>
<u>Scott Hanneman</u>	<u>141 River Drive</u>	<u>SLH</u>
<u>Jamie Forker</u>	<u>281 River Drive</u>	<u>J-F</u>

The signatures below are in support of rejecting the proposed "River Alley" name change, and support continued naming of the segment as part of River Drive.

Signature

Printed Name

Address



Tom Klister

274 River drive



Joanne Cloud

136 River Dr.

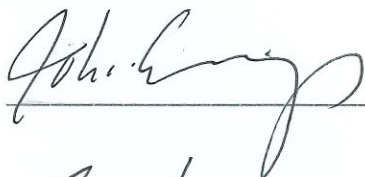


Steven C Cloud

136 River Dr

Barbara T Cummings

140 River Drive

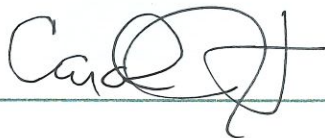


140 River Dr.



Tony Clemens

147 River Dr



Carol J. Foss

153 River Drive



EDWARD D BAYER

15A RIVER DRIVE



Clayton Miller

297 River Dr.



Allison Homburger

141 River Dr