



PLAT NAMING STANDARDS

The following plat naming standards are intended to prevent the creation of duplicate names and better facilitate locating plats in city and county databases.

- Replat Format: The name must include "REPLAT" in the title, reference the original subdivision (including section where applicable) and be sequentially numbered (e.g. South Houston Gardens, Section 5, Partial Replat No. 15).
- Plat names beginning with an article (e.g. A, An, The, etc.) or the use of hyphens and other non-alphabetic characters will not be permitted.
- Plat names containing initials will not be permitted (e.g. A.G. Bell Plaza is not acceptable – Bell Plaza is acceptable).
- Plat names shall not begin with a street address.
- Lot and block shall not be used as a subdivision name.
- Schools: District name + Name of School (e.g. Pasadena ISD Mae Smythe Elementary School).
- No name abbreviations (other than ISD for school districts) shall be used.
- Roman numerals shall not be used (Roman numerals are difficult to index and prone to keyboard error).
- Plat names shall not begin with a number unless the number is spelled out (e.g. Twenty Third Townhomes is acceptable – 23rd Townhomes is not acceptable).
- A plat shall not be given a name similar to or pronounced the same as any other plat name that has been previously approved.
- Names that can cause confusion shall be avoided; plat names are subject to final discretion and approval by the City of Pasadena.