

CHAPTER 16.12 ADDRESS NUMBERING

16.12.020 Procedures And Standards For Assigning New Address Numbers

The procedures for assigning new address numbers are as follows:

- A. When a building permit is issued for a new dwelling unit or other structure on a lot or parcel that does not have an address, the Community Development Department shall assign an address number based on the street location of the structure's access and its location in the Deschutes County Grid System.
- B. A new dwelling unit or structure with its access point on a North/South road will be assigned an address number based on its relationship to the grid system and where the access meets the road.
- C. A new dwelling unit or structure with its access point on an East/West road will be assigned an address number based on its relationship to the grid system and where the access meets the road.
- D. A new dwelling unit or structure with access on a North/South road will have an even address number assigned to it if it is on the East side of the road, and an odd address number assigned to it if it is on the West side of the road.
- E. A new dwelling unit or structure with access on an East/West road will have an even address number assigned to it if it is on the North side of the road, and an odd address number assigned to it if it is on the South side of the road.
- F. The numbers assigned to new dwelling units or structures shall increase sequentially going North on a North/South road, and shall increase sequentially going East on an East/West road.
- G. New dwelling units or structures on cul-de-sacs shall be numbered in a consecutive alternating sequence with even and odd numbers, as illustrated in [Appendix "B,"](#) attached hereto.
- H. New dwelling units or structures on circles or loops shall be numbered as illustrated in [Appendix "C,"](#) attached hereto.
- I. Each new ~~single-family~~ dwelling unit or recreational vehicle as rental dwelling shall have one address number.
- J. New duplexes, ~~or multi-unit dwellings triplexes and four-plexes~~ shall be given an address number for each living unit.
- K. New ~~apartment multi-unit~~ complexes, mobile home parks and other multi-unit complexes shall be given an address number as one dwelling. The owner of each such multi-unit establishment shall assign unit address numbers in a manner that is acceptable to the Community Development Department.
- L. After the effective date of Ordinance 2011-009, for the areas served by Redmond Fire and Rescue:

1. A new dwelling unit or structure with access on an East/West road will have an odd number assigned to it on the North side of the road, and an even number assigned to it on the South side of the road, to the extent possible, consistent with existing addresses in the immediate area; and
2. The addresses shall increase going north of Antler Avenue and shall increase going south of Antler Avenue.
3. Numbers shall increase going east of 1st Street, and shall increase going west of 1st Street.

HISTORY

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