

## **SUTTON VALENCE PARISH COUNCIL**

### **ROAD NAMING POLICY**

Street naming and numbering is a statutory service which Maidstone Borough Council undertakes. Sutton Valence Parish Council (The Council) is a Consultee in this process.

The Council has decided that the process of providing suggestions to the Borough Council regarding the naming of new roads will follow the guidelines as set out below:

As a general rule, names for new roads:

Will have links to the locations in which the roads lie.

May include names of the fallen as recorded on the War Memorial

May include notable past (dead for more than five years) residents of Sutton Valence

The names of ancient memorials, well known farmsteads, fields or woods be given to roads that are built on or adjacent to such land.

Names will be assigned to new roads if the development is sited in a place previously noted for a particular crop or topography.

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