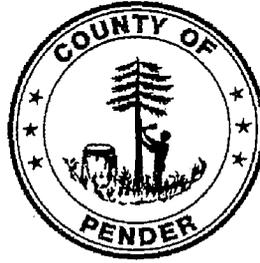


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Avendale Development – request to change from Rocky Point to Hampstead
Postal Addresses

Dear Mr. Fields:

On behalf of the residents of a growing community known locally as “Avendale”, located on Highway 210 between Rocky Point and Hampstead, NC, we write today to respectfully request your consideration to change their postal addresses from Rocky Point (28457) to Hampstead (28443).

Avendale will eventually be a 250 home development located across the street from another large development known as Cross Creek; all residents of which have Hampstead addresses. Avendale is in the Hampstead Fire Department Response area and it is located in the Lower Topsail (Hampstead) voting district. It is completely outside of any incorporated areas of Pender County.

We have attached a map showing the location of Avendale in relationship to Cross Creek.

We would appreciate your consideration of this request. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please feel free to contact the County Manager’s Office.

Sincerely,

James David Williams, Chairman
Pender County Board of Commissioners