Political Sign Guidelines

2010 - General Election edition

General Guidelines

*Political signs may be posted no earlier than 60 days before election (September 3rd)
*Political signs must be removed within 7 days of the election (November 9th)
*Political signs may be no larger than 16 square feet for a 2-sided sign (8 square feet per side) or 8 square feet for a 1-sided sign
*Any sign found in violation may be removed by the City of Spartanburg
*Complete guidelines may be found in Section 503.6 of the Zoning Ordinance

Location Guidelines

*Signs may NOT be located in any right-of-way (see examples on next page)
*Any sign deemed to be a visual obstruction to traffic may be removed
*Signs may not be placed on any publicly owned property

Permitted

Sign is located within the boundary of the property and not located within a right-of-way.

Please contact City of Spartanburg Planning Department for further information at (864)596-2068

Location Guidelines - Right-of-Way Signage

Not Permitted

Sign located in right-of-way between road and sidewalk

Located in median

Located in right-of-way, between utility pole and road

Located in right-of-way, between utility pole and road

Located in right-of-way

Right-of-Way Notes

***Signs shall not be placed between sidewalk and road**

***No signs shall be placed in any median**

***If no sidewalk, sign should be behind utility poles**

***If utility poles are behind sidewalk, signs should be behind utility poles**

***If no sidewalk or utility poles, signs should be approx. 10 feet from road edge**