



POLITICAL SIGN GUIDELINES

The City of Battle Ground's Sign Ordinance identifies election-oriented signage as temporary signage, which are generally exempt from signage regulations and standards specified in Battle Ground Municipal Code Section 17.139. However, as per BGMC 17.139.120 (D) does recommend the candidate, promoters and opponents of ballot measures of their campaign committees to complete and submit a volunteer compliance form for placement and removal of signs. Temporary signage shall not be located within the public right-of-way, and may be located on private property with the property owner's authorization only. Any temporary signage that it located within the public right-of-way will be removed and signage will be discarded.

Further questions regarding signage regulations in the City of Battle Ground should be directed to City of Battle Ground Community Development Department at (360) 342-5047.

CHAPTER 17.139: SIGNS

Subsection 040.7.z. "Temporary sign" means any sign or advertising display constructed of cloth, wood canvas, light fabric, paper or other materials with or without frames intended to be displayed for a limited time only as determined by the planning director, and not permanently mounted. Temporary signs include special event signs that advertise civic events such as street fairs, community festivals, parades, farmer's markets charity benefits, signs attached to external window surfaces and that are readily removable, lettering or symbols painted directly onto of flush mounted magnetically onto an operable vehicle, garage sale signs, pennants, reasonable temporary and seasonal decorations, construction signs, election-oriented political signs and new business/location signs or other such similar signs as determined by the planning director.