

# Kershaw County Planning and Zoning Department

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## CAMPAIGN SIGN REGULATIONS

### Section 3:3.4-3 A, Unified Code of Zoning and Land Development Regulations

- A. **Temporary Campaign and Election Signs** are permitted in all zoning districts provided that:
1. One (1) sign per street frontage per candidate or issue being voted on shall be allowed. If the property lies on a corner lot or double frontage lot, then a second sign may be oriented along the second street so long as the two signs are at least 100 feet apart as measured by the shortest straight line.
  2. Signs in areas zoned residential shall not exceed six (6) square feet in sign face area, and shall not exceed four (4) feet in height. Signs in areas not zoned residential shall not exceed twenty (20) square feet in sign face area, and shall not exceed ten (10) feet in height.
  3. No sign shall be placed in any right-of-way, on any telephone pole, street sign, fence, on any public property, or within a driveway or intersection sight triangle.
  4. Temporary campaign and election signs shall not be illuminated.
  5. In accordance with SC law, no such political sign shall be placed within 200 feet of any building in which an election poll is being conducted.
  6. If the sign is placed on the property by someone other than the property owner, the property owner upon whose land the sign is placed shall give written permission for the placement of said sign and will be held responsible for violations.
  7. All such signs shall be erected no sooner than sixty (60) days in advance of each specific election or referendum for which they are made.
  8. All such signs shall be removed within seven (7) days after the election or referendum for which they were made. Signs for runoff elections may remain until seven (7) days after the final election to which the signs apply.