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Town of Kernersville Political Sign Regulations

- (B) PERMITTED SIGNS
 - (1) Signs Permitted
 - (e) **Political Signs**. Shall follow regulations as adopted by G.S. 136-32
 - (i) Compliant Political Signs Permitted. During the period beginning on the 30th day before the beginning date of "one-stop" early voting under G.S. 163-227.2 and ending on the 10th day after the primary or election day, persons may place political signs in the right-of-way as provided in this section. Signs must be placed in compliance with subsection (c) of this section and must be removed by the end of the period prescribed in this subsection.
 - (ii) **Definition.** For purposes of this section, "political sign" means any sign that advocates for political action. The term does not include a commercial sign.
 - (iii) **Sign Placement.** The permittee must obtain the permission of any property owner of a residence, business, or religious institution fronting the right-of-way where a sign would be erected. Signs must be placed in accordance with the following:
 - (1) No sign shall be permitted in the right-of-way of a fully controlled access highway.
 - (2) No sign shall be closer than three feet from the edge of the pavement of the road.
 - (3) No sign shall obscure motorist visibility at an intersection.
 - (4) No sign shall be higher than 42 inches above the edge of the pavement of the road.
 - (5) No sign shall be larger than 864 square inches (6 square feet), or not exceeding twenty-four (24) square feet on a vacant lot within a nonresidential zoning district,
 - (6) No sign shall obscure or replace another sign.

Please contact the Community Development Department at 992-0605 if you have any questions regarding the placement of any signs.