

## DANDRIDGE POLITICAL SIGN REQUIREMENTS

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**POLITICAL SIGN.** A temporary sign designed to attract support for a particular candidate, political party, or political issue or to express an opinion on any matter of public interest.

**14-604.5.4** Temporary signs containing announcement by public or non-profit organizations of fund raising events, special events or activities of interest to the general public. Such signs shall not exceed thirty-two (32) square feet in size.

**14-604.5.6** Political signs do not require a permit and may be displayed on private property with the consent of the owner. Such signs are considered temporary signs and must be removed within seven (7) days following the end of the election.

**14-604.4.1** No sign shall be located in such a manner as to obstruct free or clear vision, or cause hazards for vehicular or pedestrian traffic by reason of location, shape, illumination or color.

**14-604.4.2** No sign shall be located on, or attached to, any public property except public signs authorized by the Town of Dandridge, Jefferson County, or the State of Tennessee.

**14-604.4.7** Setbacks for all signs shall be measured by the Building Inspector from the leading edge of the sign.

**14-604.4.13** The parking of an off-premise vehicle or trailer sign on a public right-of-way for an extended period of time is prohibited except during normal business hours when related to conducting business (*deliveries, merchandise pick-up, service calls, etc.*). When a vehicle or trailer sign is on the same premise as the associated business, said vehicle shall be parked within a designated parking space for business vehicles.

**14-604.6.6** No sign shall be placed closer than five (5) feet to any property or right-of-way line.

### **SECTION 14-604.11 SIGNS PROHIBITED:**

**14-604.11.1** Flashing or intermittent illumination is prohibited, as defined herein.

**14-604.11.2** Continuous scrolling messages are prohibited.

**14-604.11.5** Any sign that due to its position, illumination, size, shape or color, may obstruct, impair, obscure, interfere or be confused with any authorized traffic control sign, signal or other traffic control device.

**14-604.11.6** Any sign not authorized by the town or other authorized governmental entity to be located on or attached to trees, utility poles, park benches, street lights or public property.

**14-604.11.9** Signs located in the public right-of-way.

**14-604.13.1** Abandoned or obsolete signs or sign structures, including any nonconforming on-premise or off-premise sign or sign structure, shall be removed within thirty (30) days of written notification by the Building Official.