



City of Grover Beach

Campaign Signs FAQs

The City of Grover Beach respects each candidate's right to free speech, as well as our residents and business owners. The City adopted sign ordinance regulates signs, which includes "non-commercial message" signs that are used for elections. This FAQ has been put together to help you navigate through our new sign ordinance. If you have any additional questions you may contact the Grover Beach City Manager's Office at (805) 473 - 4567 or email us at gbadmin@groverbeach.org.

When Can My Temporary Campaign Signs Go Up?

Sixty (60) days prior to an election (September 3, 2020 for the 2020 election cycle), all properties within Grover Beach are allowed up to 32 square feet of temporary yard signs for political campaigns. This allows for one or multiple signs on one property as long as the total sign area does not exceed 32 square feet of temporary yard signs.

GBMC Article IX §3.60.080.B.7



Am I Allowed to Place My Campaign Sign on the Sidewalk or Road?

No, political campaign signs are not allowed within the City's rights-of-way and will be removed by city staff at any time. This typically includes the street, sidewalk, and any medians or landscaped areas between the street and the sidewalk.

GBMC Article IX §3.60.040.A.10



Can I Place Campaign Signs at City Parks and Open Space Areas?

No signs are allowed on City owned or maintained property and may be removed by city staff at any time.

GBMC Article IX §3.60.120



Can I Place My Campaign Signs on Vacant Lots, Walls or Fences?

Yes, but **you must have the property owner's permission**, and must abide by the maximum sign area of 32 square feet.

GBMC Article IX §3.60.080.B.7



When Must My Campaign Signs Be Removed?

All political campaign signs must be removed no later than seven (7) days after the election (i.e., November 10, 2020).

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