

Prohibited Roadways - Continued

- Avenue C between 45th Street and Idylwyld Drive;
- 51st Street between Idylwyld Drive and Warman Road;
- Lenore Drive between Warman Road and Primrose Drive;
- Central Avenue between Attridge Drive and the north City limit;
- Lowe Road between Agra Road and Nelson Road;
- 8th Street between Moss Avenue and the east City limit;
- Boychuk Drive between 8th Street and Highway 16;
- Preston Avenue between Circle Drive (north) and 14th Street;
- Preston Avenue between Circle Drive (south) and the south City limit;
- Clarence Avenue between Circle Drive and the south City limit;
- Lorne Avenue between Circle Drive and the south City limit;
- Warman Road between 33rd Street and 51st Street;
- Wanuskewin Road between 51st Street and the north City limit;

Enforcement of Sign Regulations

The Temporary Sign Bylaw allows the City of Saskatoon to immediately remove signs in violation of the Bylaw. The Temporary Sign Bylaw and the Zoning Bylaw provide for the issuance of fines if requests for the removal of a sign are not met.



For further questions, or to report a sign that may be in violation, contact the City of Saskatoon to have your question/concern directed to a Bylaw inspector:

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Additional Resources available on our website (www.saskatoon.ca):

The Temporary Sign Bylaw No. 7491

Zoning Bylaw No. 8770 – Appendix A

The Poster Bylaw No. 7565

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Procedures & Requirements for

Election Signs



The **Community Standards Division** is responsible for regulating election signs on private property, as well as on public lands such as streets, parks, boulevards and buffer strips. The following information summarizes the most significant regulations for election signs. Please refer to *The Temporary Sign Bylaw*, *The Zoning Bylaw – Appendix A*, and *The Poster Bylaw* for a complete overview of all sign regulations.

What is an Election Sign?

An Election Sign is a temporary sign designed or intended to be displayed in connection with: a federal election or referendum; provincial election, or local government election. The purpose of the election sign regulations is to create a reasonable balance between communicating for election purposes, reducing sign clutter and keeping our streets safe.

Election Signs may be erected:

- 45 days prior to a local government election;
- In the case of a federal or provincial election, after an election writ has been issued;
- In the case of a referendum or plebiscite, after the relevant order, writ or direction has been issued.

Requirements for Election Signs

Election signs must conform to the following requirements:

- Must have no more than two sign faces;
- On permitted city boulevards, the total sign face area must be no larger than 0.6 square metres, and the sign must be self-supporting (must not be attached to any City property such as fences, bus shelters, trees, street light poles or traffic signal poles)
- On residential properties, the total sign face area must be no larger than 0.84 square metres;
- Must not be animated, illuminated, rotating, flashing or have moving lights or other electrical features;
- Must not have attachments such as balloons, kites, an electronic message centre or inflatable devices;
- Must not resemble traffic control devices;
- Must not be placed in such a way as to create a potential hazard to vehicular or pedestrian traffic and must not obstruct the view of any portion of a traffic control device or signal;
- Are not permitted on centre medians and traffic islands;
- On corner lots, election signs must not be located within 6.0 metres of the corner property lines;
- Must be removed within 7 days following the date of the election.

Election signs are permitted on certain city boulevards (see list of prohibited roadways in following section) subject to the following restrictions. Signs must be located as follows:

- At least 2.0 metres from the curb (6.0 metres from nearest driving lane if no curb)
- At least 30 metres from any intersection
- At least 5 metres from any private driveway
- At least 2 metres from any fire hydrant
- The top of the sign must be no more than 1.0 metre above grade.
- Signs are prohibited on any centre medians or traffic islands

Prohibited Roadways

Election Signs are not permitted anywhere along the following roadways:

- Circle Drive (except between Warman Road and the CNR spur line west of Avenue C);
- Idylwyld Drive (except between 20th Street and the CNR overpass north of 39th Street);
- Airport Drive;
- Interchange at the south junction of Highways 11 and 16;
- 11th Street between Chappel Drive and the west City limit;
- College Drive between Cumberland Avenue and the east City limit;
- 22nd Street between Witney Avenue and the west City limit;
- Betts Avenue between Hart Road and the south City limit;
- 33rd Street between Steeves Avenue and the west City limit;
- Range Road, 3063 and 3064, between the north City limit and the south City limit;
- 71st Street between Idylwyld Drive and Wanuskewin Road;
- Millar Avenue between 60th Street and the north City limit;
- Attridge Drive between Circle Drive and McOrmond Drive;
- McOrmond Drive between Highway 5 and the north City limit;
- Agra Road between Central Avenue and the east City limit;
- Betts Avenue between 22nd Street and Hart Road;
- Battleford Trail between Hughes Drive and the west City limit;
- Claypool Drive between Airport Drive and the west City limit;

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