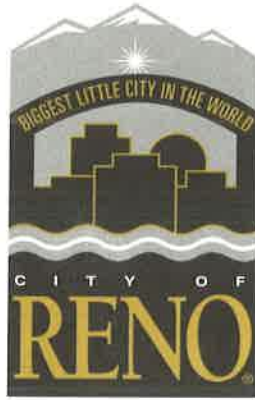


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SUBJECT: Campaign Signs on Public Properties

Dear Candidates:

The Reno City Clerk's Office would like to remind all political candidates that the City of Reno Municipal Code prohibits the placement of signs upon public property. The area between the public sidewalk and the curb (parkways) is typically public property. In addition, the chain link fence along California Avenue at the intersections of California and Keystone and Booth Street is public property and should not be used to display campaign signs.

The principals in various campaigns often utilize the services of others in the placement of signs, and sometimes, in their zeal to attract voters' attention and not being aware of property ownership or City codes, they misplace signs. Signs that are placed on public property or in a vision triangle (so as to be a traffic hazard) may be removed. Proper notice in the form of a Courtesy Letter or Notice of Violation and Administration Citation will be provided for signs removed by a Code Enforcement Officer. These signs will be held for 30 days at the City of Reno Corporation Yard located at 1640 East Commercial Row. Signs not retrieved by the owner within 30 days will be discarded.

Please keep in mind that there are citizens who are aware that signs are not allowed in the public right-of-way and they may take it upon themselves to remove those signs.

After the election please be sure to remove your signs and any stakes, rebar or t-bar posts used to secure the signs. Reno Municipal Code Section 18.16.502 requires that political signs be removed within five (5) days after an election.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the Code Enforcement Division at 334-2229 or the City Clerk's Office at 334-2030. Good luck with your campaign and thank you for your contribution to our community.

Sincerely,


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