



PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION

225 Center Road - Easton, Connecticut 06612

APPLICATION-TEMPORARY SIGN PERMIT
(Easton Zoning Regulations Section 6100)

Date of Application: _____
Application No. _____

Name of Applicant: _____
Requested by: _____
Address: _____
Telephone: _____
Email: _____

Purpose of Use: _____

Message on Sign: _____

Size of Sign _____

Location of Display _____

Dates of Use From: _____

I hereby certify that the above answers are correct and true and that I will assume responsibility for placement, maintenance, and removal of said sign(s).

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Office use only: Date Received: _____ Reviewed by: _____



Town of Easton

POLICY: SIGNS ON TOWN PROPERTY

POLICY

The Town of Easton, through the Board of Selectman, affirms its authority to control the use of Town-owned land, including Town road rights-of-way. Therefore, permission is required from the Board of Selectmen (or the Board of Education in the case of school grounds) to erect signs on Town Property. Planning and Zoning regulations will dictate whether a sign also requires a Zoning permit.

PROCEDURES

Signs illegally posted on Town property will be removed and discarded without notice. The Town bears no responsibility to store signs.

Private signs on Town land will generally not be permitted, however, people or organizations wishing to erect a sign should contact the First Selectman. Planning and Zoning permission may be required.

Town departments may post reasonably sized signs in close proximity to the buildings they occupy. (e.g. within a few feet of the Library or EMS building). Planning and Zoning permission may be required.

Town departments wishing to post signs on town property not proximate to their facilities must receive permission from the Board of Selectmen. Planning and Zoning approval may be required.

Signs posted on roadside Town property for not more than five days prior to a specific event will generally be tolerated.

For Sale signs posted on roadside Town property advertising the sale or lease of that property will generally be tolerated. Planning and Zoning permission may be required.

After Labor Day, political signs on roadside Town land will not be disturbed as long as they are not excessive in size or number. In addition, political signs connected to a town-wide voting event will not be disturbed two weeks before the event. Signs should be taken down immediately after the election or event.

In accordance with state law, the Tree Warden will remove all signs attached to Town trees or utility poles (see attached memo).

The Town, in its sole discretion, may remove from Town land any signs it deems hazardous, excessive, or in poor taste.

BOS APPROVED 08.01.19



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TEL. PHONE (403) 208-0291
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To: All Tree Sellers, Commercial and Private Persons

From: Tree Warden, Department of Public Works

Date: February 1, 2019

RE: Illegally Erected Signs

CT State General Statutes, Chapter 451, Section 23-59. Powers and Duties of Tree Wardens directs the Tree Warden to prohibit, hence, remove or cause to be removed all illegally erected signs or advertisements placed upon poles, trees or other objects within any public road or place under the tree warden's jurisdiction on town or state property and roads in Easton.

In the future signs posted as such will be removed and discarded.

Please direct any questions about the existing laws to me.

Thank you,

R. J. Dina, Tree Warden

cc: First Selectman, Adam Dunstry
Director of Public Works, Ed Nagy
Easton Police Department, Captain Richard Doyle
Zoning Enforcement Officer, Phil Doremski

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