

**SPECIAL REGULATIONS APPROVED BY  
THE STATE OF NC**

On August 4, 2011 Governor Purdue signed Senate Bill 315 that permits campaign signs to be displayed in State maintained rights-of-way 30 days prior to early voting and removed within 10 days after the election day..

Campaign signs may be displayed as early as **September 17, 2013** within the right-of-way on the following NCDOT maintained streets in Waxhaw:

NC-16, NC-75, Waxhaw-Indian Trail Rd, Waxhaw-Marvin Road, NW Main Street, Pine Oak Road, Cuthbertson Rd., Old Waxhaw-Monroe Rd, Rehobeth Rd., Gray Byrum Rd., Kensington Rd. and S. Providence Street.

The signs can be no closer than 3' to the edge of pavement, no higher than 42" above pavement at the edge of the road, no larger than 6 square feet and shall not obscure or replace another political sign.

**Election Day**

November 5, 2013

**Signs can be displayed (on town maintained streets) between:**

September 21, 2013

and

November 7, 2013

Please remember to retrieve all of your signs after the election!

**\*No Signs are allowed prior to the dates above on any parcel\***

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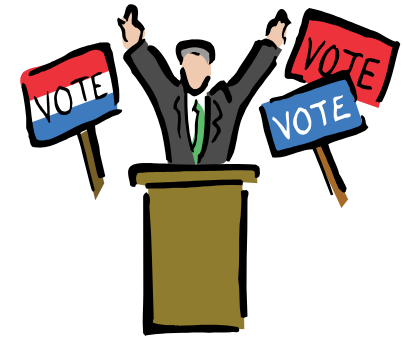
*Proud of Our Past...Passionate About Our Future*

This reference guide is intended to provide help in determining the permitted location and sizes of political campaign signs in the Town of Waxhaw.

A complete copy of the sign ordinance is located in the Waxhaw Unified Development Ordinance available on the Town's web site:  
[www.waxhaw.com](http://www.waxhaw.com)

For additional assistance or information regarding campaign signs, please contact the Town of Waxhaw at 704-843-2195 Ext. 230.

**Political  
Campaign Sign  
Regulations  
2013**



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## Political Signs DO's

- Political signs can be displayed during a period beginning 45 days prior to an election and concluding 48 hours after the election\*\*.

\*\*In the event of a run off election, political signs for candidates involved may remain on display until 48 hours after the run off election.

- All signs shall be architecturally compatible with the surrounding environment.



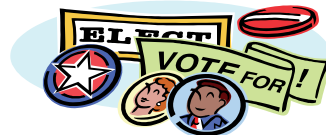
### What happens if signs are not taken up 48 hours after the election (unless in the event of a run off)?

If signs are not taken up 48 hours after the election (unless in the event of a run off), the signs will be collected and disposed of. A fee will be charged in the amount of \$100 for the first sign and \$25 for every sign after that is collected the same day.

## Political Signs DON'T's

- Signs located within a Town maintained street right-of-way or closer than 10 feet from the edge of street pavement
- Illuminated political signs
- Signs located within a required sight triangle
- Portable and roof mounted signs for political advertisement
- Signs attached to utility poles and trees
- Signs erected on the "Green"

("Green" is defined as the area between Rehobeth Rd. and The Old Mill, North and South Main Street)



### Where do I go if my sign gets picked up during the campaign season?

If your sign gets picked up during the campaign season, please contact William Whaley at 704-843-2195 extension 231.

## CONTACT INFORMATION

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## SIZE RESTRICTIONS

- Signs can be no taller than four feet.
- The maximum size for a sign is six square feet.

### Please Remember

If there is a sidewalk, place the sign behind the sidewalk. If no sidewalk exists, place the sign a minimum of ten (10) feet from the edge of the pavement.