

§17.40.120. Signs in the Public Right-of-Way

A. No Signs Shall be Allowed in the Public Right-of-Way, Except:

1. Emergency warning signs erected by a governmental agency, public utility or contractor authorized to work within the rightofway;
2. Public signs erected by or on behalf of a governmental entity to post legal notices, convey public information, and direct or regulate pedestrian or vehicular traffic;
3. Community or public events may have signs within the public rightofway as approved by the Department of Community Development and the City Administration Department;
4. Informational signs of a public utility regarding its poles, lines, pipes or other facilities;
5. Temporary signs identified in §17.40.100 and elsewhere in this chapter as being permitted in the rightofway are not subject to the prohibition of this section.
6. Perpendicular signs as permitted in this chapter are not subject to the prohibition of this section.

B. Removal

Any sign installed or placed on public property, except in conformance with the provisions above, shall be forfeited to the public and subject to confiscation. In addition to other remedies, the City shall have the right to recover from the owner or person placing such a sign the full costs of its removal and disposal.