



KENT COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION

POLICY

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Political Election Signs in the Right-of-Way

Policy authored by Managing Director

When allowed, the following criteria must be met for the placement of political election signs within Kent County Road Commission right-of-way:

1. Signs shall not be larger than nine (9) square feet
2. Signs shall be a minimum of fifteen feet (15') from the paved surface and at least one hundred fifty feet (150') from the intersection of another public street
3. Signs shall not be placed in vision corners
4. All signs must be removed within 10 days after the election.

Signs not adhering to this policy will be removed and stored at one of the Road Commission facilities:

1. 1500 Scribner Avenue, NW in Grand Rapids
2. 4949 Complex Drive, SE in Grand Rapids
3. 11777 White Creed Avenue in Cedar Springs
4. 131 – 84th Street, SW in Byron Center

Removed signs will be stored for one week. The Road Commission reserves the right to collect a handling and storage fee for excessive violation of this policy.

The Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) does not permit signs to be placed in the right-of-way of State highways (numbered routes). Signs found on State highways will be removed and stored at 1500 Scribner Avenue, NW in Grand Rapids. For questions pertaining to MDOT's policy, contact them at (616) 451-3091.