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Political Sign Placement and Complaint Process

Marshall, MN – June 11, 2024 – After numerous complaints regarding placement of political campaign signs in 2022, the city of Marshall is sharing information ahead of the 2024 campaign season regarding the rules on political signs as well as how the city will respond to complaints on where those signs are placed.

Improperly placed signs can create safety hazards and interfere with a driver's vision along streets and roadways. City right-of-way also serves the purpose of conducting, transmitting or distributing water, drainage, sanitary sewage, electricity, steam, gas, or electronic communications.

To maintain these important services and for the betterment of traffic safety while affording office-seekers the opportunity to inform the public, the city wants to inform the public by providing the rules regarding political signs, but also establish a procedure for handling citizen complaints regarding the placement of those signs.

Please see the following link for information on rules regarding political signs and procedures for handling citizen complaints concerning political sign placement:

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