Sec. 102-194. - Signs during election periods.

- (a) In addition to those otherwise allowed by this chapter, up to four signs may be erected on any private property commencing 60 days prior to any public election which will be held within the city through seven days after said public election, with no permit fee requirement. Such signs are allowed on private property, provided that:
 - (1) Signs do not exceed four square feet in area each.
 - (2) The property on which the sign is located has the permission or authorization of the owner or renter of the real property.
 - (3) Signs are to be removed within seven days after the date of the election.
- (b) Larger signs, in addition to those otherwise allowed by this chapter may be erected on private property commencing 60 days prior to any public election which will be held within the city through seven days after said public election, with no permit fee required, provided that:
 - (1) Each applicant may install no more than four larger signs in the city and no more than one per lot. No sign shall exceed 32 square feet in area. A double-sided sign shall be considered one sign with each side displaying a maximum of 16 square feet in area.
 - (3) The applicant properly maintains his or her signs.
 - (4) A sign erected pursuant to this section shall be placed on no more than four 4x4 pieces of wood secured in the ground and the bottom of the sign face shall be no more than four feet above the grade level adjacent.
- (c) The foregoing provisions do not limit the right to substitute a free expression message (including a political, commercial or non-commercial message) for any message that may otherwise appear on a lawfully erected sign.

(Ord. No. 1126, § 1, 7-8-08; Ord. No. 2018-14, § 1, 12-11-18)