

To assist with your campaign and to ensure that you are familiar with the City's Election Signs Policy. This is a summary of the rules applying to the placement of election signs on private and public property within the City of Stirling.

Election signs **may only be placed during the election period**, commencing on the opening of nominations and must be removed two days after election day.

All Election Signs must be safely and securely installed and not pose a safety hazard. Signs must be capable of surviving a storm intact.

Election signs are permitted on Private Property provided you have consent of the owner and the placement does not pose a health or safety risk.

Election signs are permitted on Public Property provided:

- A sign or pair of signs are placed a minimum distance of 500 metres between each sign or pair of signs. Pairs of signs may be located next to each other or on opposite sides of a thoroughfare from each other;
- Election signs are made and secured in a manner that they don't become fragile or have the potential to become detached and pose a health or safety risk to motorists, pedestrians or property; and
- Election signs are regularly maintained during the election period.

Election signs may not be placed:

- On any park or reserve.
- On a carriageway, dividing strip, traffic island or roundabout within fifty (50) metres of a signalised intersection or pedestrian activated crossing.
- On or adjacent to any municipal building.
- Within ten (10) metres of an intersection or junction, or any other location that may pose a health or safety risk or obstruction to motorists or pedestrians.
- On a verge adjacent to a property without the consent of the owner.
- On any building, tree, pole or infrastructure including any street sign, traffic direction sign or parking sign or any other signs.

Election signs must not:

- Be more than 1.5 square metres in area and no higher than 1.2 metres above the natural ground level or have a maximum vertical or horizontal dimension greater than 1.2 metres. *Note: a "back to back" sign facing in two directions may have the dimensions on both sides.*
- Be illuminated (either internally or directly), move, flash, rotate or cause a reflection or otherwise to cause a distraction to road users.
- Be constructed of materials or installed in a manner that may have an adverse effect on the health, safety or convenience of a person, traffic, or land.
- Be self-adhesive.
- Advertise any organisation or person other than a registered candidate or political party.

For a comprehensive list of requirements or more information on placing election signs within the City of Stirling, please visit www.stirling.wa.gov.au or contact the City on (08) 9205 8555 or via stirling@stirling.wa.gov.au/enquiries