



INFORMATION ON THE PLACEMENT OF POLITICAL SIGNS

The City of Johns Creek does not regulate the content of printed speech or media. Political and campaign signs are classified as Standard Informational Signs or Banners based on their size, location and duration. The Georgia Department of Transportation (GDOT) is cautioning state and local political candidates to ensure roadside signs are not placed in the GDOT right-of-way (ROW), including Abbotts Bridge Road (State Route 120) and Medlock Bridge Road (State Route 141). On all other roads, the City of Johns Creek Code of Ordinances applies. Please reference Article 33 of the Zoning Ordinance for more information on signage.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

- Signs cannot be placed on public ROW. Signs cannot obstruct, impede, or create a hazardous condition for pedestrian or motor vehicle traffic.
- Signs shall provide an adequate visibility triangle as per City standards.
- Signs cannot be erected on private property without the consent of the property owner.
- Signs cannot be placed on government-owned property, such as a park.

STANDARD INFORMATIONAL SIGNS:

- Standard informational signs are limited to either 1 sign that is 16 square feet, or up to 4 signs not to exceed an aggregate 16 square feet in area.
- Standard informational signs shall not be greater than 8 feet above the grade level of the adjacent street or 4 feet above ground level, whichever is greater.
- Standard informational signs shall be no closer than 10 feet to the back of curb of a private street.
- Standard informational signs do not require a permit.

BANNERS:

- Banners shall not be more than 32 square feet and shall be erected with supports, so they do not sag or become dilapidated.
- Banners shall be set back at least 10 feet from ROW, 20 feet from the edge of pavement if a private street.
- Banners are allowed for a period not exceeding 14 days with no more than 4 such periods per calendar year.
- Banners require permitting from the City of Johns Creek.