

10-16-2: TEMPORARY AND PORTABLE SIGNAGE

- A. **Policy:** It is the policy of the city, to restrict the use of temporary and portable signage. Temporary signage has a place in the community for specialized purposes, such as announcing properties for sale or lease, upcoming events, yard sales, construction activities, or making political or ideological statements.
- B. **Regulations for Temporary and Portable Yard Signs**
1. **Size**
Temporary and portable yard signs shall not exceed **three (3) square feet** on any exposed sign face. Portable yard signs may be double-sided, awning-type, or A-frame construction, for a **total maximum sign area of six (6) square feet**.
 2. **Location**
 - a. Temporary signs may be placed in any zone when located on **private property**.
 - b. On vacant lots with no structure, signs must remain **entirely within the property boundary**.
 - c. Portable yard signs may be placed on the **property to which the sign pertains**, consistent with Section 10-16-1.
 - d. Off-site portable yard signs may be located within the **public right-of-way**, but **not** in the paved portion of any street and **not** on any sidewalk.
 3. **Height**
No temporary or portable yard sign may extend more than **six feet (6')** above existing ground level. Mounting devices may extend above the sign by no more than **six inches (6")**.
 4. **Number**
Only **one (1)** temporary or portable yard sign is allowed per parcel, except during election periods as regulated in Section 10-16-5.
 5. **Time Limit**
Portable yard signs may be displayed only immediately **prior to** and **during** the event, yard sale, or open house they advertise and must be removed **at sundown**. No portable yard sign may remain in place for more than **seventy-two (72) consecutive hours**. Signs not removed after this period are considered **refuse**, and the owner or installer may be subject to a **Class B misdemeanor** for littering.