

# Sign Placement TEMPORARY

## A guide to non-regulatory, temporary & nuisance sign placement in Ada County

*The Ada County Highway District's sign placement policy seeks to maintain safety and visibility for drivers, cyclists and pedestrians.*



### 40-FEET BACK

Signs must be placed outside of the vision triangle, a space 40 feet back from the point in the intersection where the curb lines or the edge of pavement on roads without curbs would meet near the center of the intersection.

*Please see the reverse of this flier for additional information about sign placement.*



### INFRASTRUCTURE

Signs may not be placed on or attached to signal poles, traffic signs or on any other piece of public road infrastructure.

### LANDSCAPED AREAS

Signs may not be placed in roadway landscaping areas, including in medians, in roundabouts or within the landscaped areas between the curb and the sidewalk.



### ACHD POLICY 5104.3.5

#### Non-regulatory signs, temporary signs, and nuisance signs or lighting

All non-regulatory signs, such as *neighborhood watch* signs, temporary signs such as but not limited to *real estate*, *open house*, *garage sale* and *political campaign signs* and nuisance signs such as but not limited to miscellaneous services and lost animals (collectively hereafter referred to as *signs*) shall be placed according to the current District standards set for in section 5104.3.5.

To view the entire ACHD Policy section 5104.3.5, Ordinance Number 233, please visit [bit.ly/signplacement](http://bit.ly/signplacement).

**Ada County and the cities within Ada County may have sign ordinances that are more restrictive than ACHD Section 5104.3.5. If so, the more restrictive standard shall apply.**

**It is the responsibility of those placing signs in the public right-of-way to be aware of those regulations.**

### What happens if my sign is placed in a location that violates ACHD's sign ordinance?

Improperly placed signs will be removed under ACHD's authority to prevent hazards. Owners may be charged for any costs.

### How soon after Election Day do I need to remove my political signs?

Signs must be removed from the public right-of-way within 48 hours after the election.

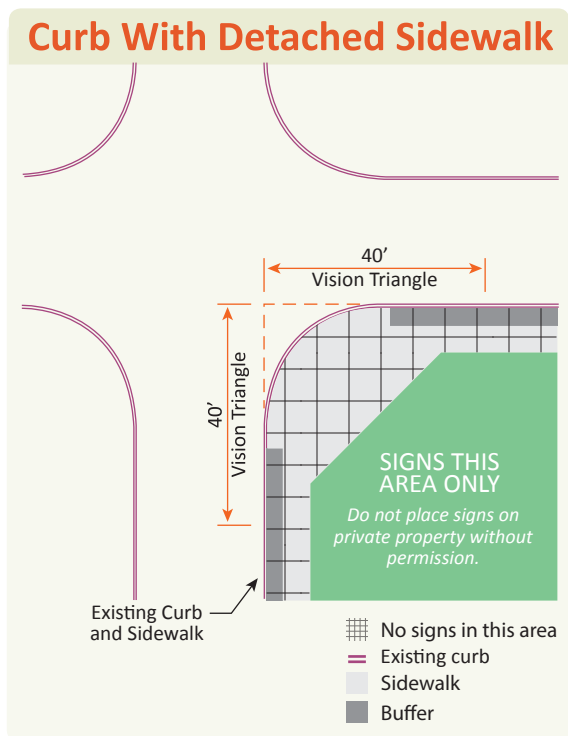
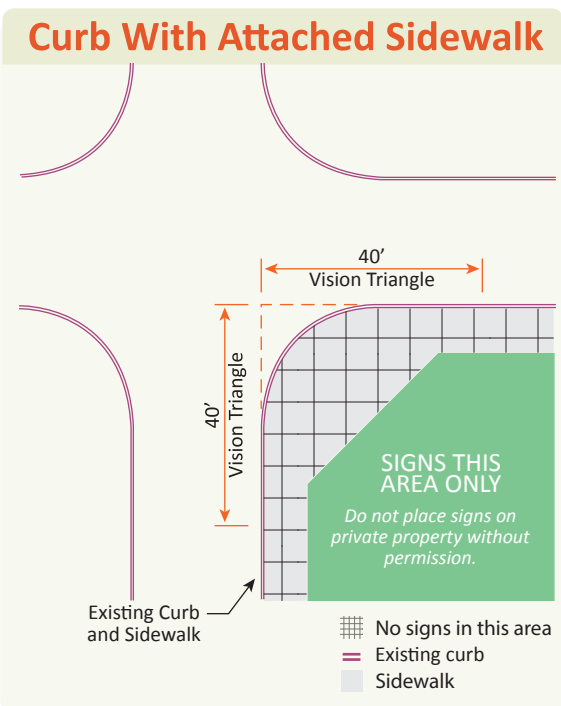
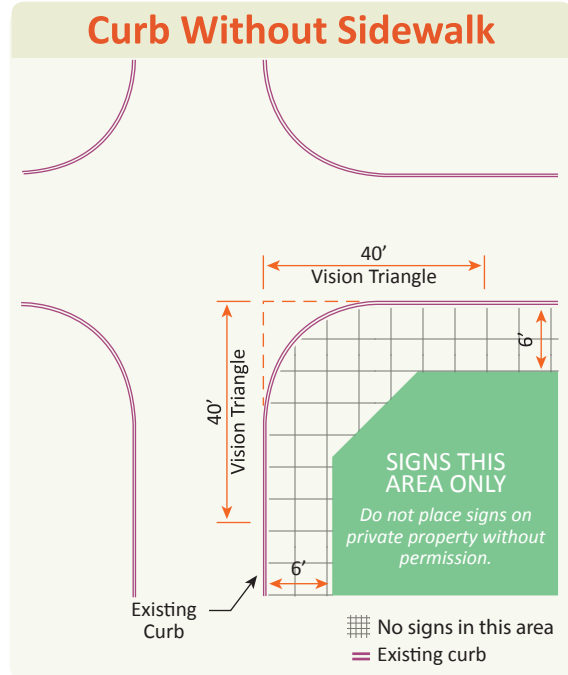
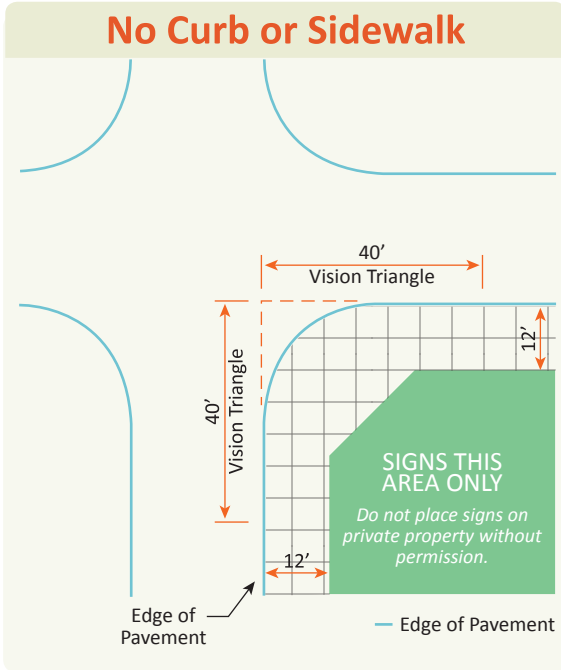


### What does ACHD do with the signs it removes?

If ACHD removes a sign that is determined to be in an unsafe location, it will hold the sign at its headquarters, located at 3775 Adams Street, Garden City. If you believe that ACHD may have removed your sign, you may go the ACHD headquarters and attempt to collect it. ACHD is open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. If you have a question, ACHD can be reached at 208-387-6100.



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**QUESTIONS ABOUT SIGN PLACEMENT?**

**ACHD Traffic Services Department**

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