Town of Francestown

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SELECTMEN'S POLICY for Signs on Town Property

Objects that convey a message for the purposes of advertising or identifying any establishment, event, information, or product are considered signs and are subject to this policy.

No signs, either temporary or permanent, may be placed upon any Town property unless permission has been granted by the Board of Selectmen in advance of their placement. Persons wishing to place a sign on Town property should submit a sketch of the proposed sign, with dimensions, to the Selectmen's office. However, no permission is necessary for signs advertising Town, Library, School, or FIHS sponsored events or programs, provided the signs are placed on the lawn on the Town Hall side of the Common and all other conditions listed below are met.

All signs should be neatly constructed and self-supporting. Signs may not be attached to a utility pole, tree, or town-owned flagpole. Signs may not be placed in a manner that will endanger traffic by obscuring the view, by confusion with official signs, by glare or by any other means. Signs may not be placed in, or extend into, a right-of-way.

The person or group responsible for placing the sign must remove the sign immediately following the event or program advertised, and must adhere to any and all conditions of approval.

The Board of Selectmen reserves the right to remove, without notice, any sign erected in violation of this ordinance.

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