

CAMPAIGN SIGN PLACEMENT

****KENNEDALE PARKWAY (BUSINESS 287) IS A STATE HIGHWAY****

Placing campaign signs on any public land is illegal. Campaign signs can only be placed on private property with the permission of the property owner. Additionally, under state law (Texas Transportation Code, §392.031), placing any sign in a state highway right-of-way is a Class C Misdemeanor (subject to removal fees and civil penalties). Kennedale Parkway (Business Highway 287) is a state highway.

YOU NEED TO KNOW

- It is illegal to place any signs on or within any public right-of-way. This includes posting signs on trees, utility poles, traffic signs, or other objects on the right-of-way.
- Campaign signs can be placed on private property with the owner's permission.
- Before placing any campaign or political signs within the City of Kennedale, read Ordinance 414 (www.cityofkennedale.com/SignOrd).
- If you've placed your sign in the right-of-way or if it is posing a traffic hazard, it can be removed without prior notice. Costs associated with sign removal may be levied against the candidate or political committee indicated on the sign.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

- Texas Ethics Commission: ethics.state.tx.us/data/resources/advertising/Gpol_adv.pdf
- TxDOT: txdot.gov/inside-txdot/division/right-of-way/campaign-signs.html
- City of Kennedale Code Compliance: 817-985-2134 or cityofkennedale.com/compliance

POLITICAL ELECTION SIGN STANDARDS *from page 24 of Ordinance No. 414**

- Attached or ground sign
- Maximum of 8 (eight) feet in height
- Maximum sign area is 72 (seventy-two) square feet
- No limit to the number of signs allowed
- Must be removed within 7 (seven) days after the election

NOTE: View the full text of Ordinance No. 414 at cityofkennedale.com/SignOrd. Other portions of this or other ordinances, laws, or regulations may apply. View the full Code of Ordinances at cityofkennedale.com/code.