



## Island County Public Works

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Dear Political Candidate

Island County Code Chapter 12.24.020 prohibits the placement of unauthorized signs within the County road right-of-way, including campaign signs. All political signs placed in the road right-of-way will be considered unauthorized. County Public Works personnel will remove such signs. Utility poles normally lie within the road right-of-way, but near the edge. Signs should be placed beyond that distance, outside the right-of-way.

Signs removed from the right-of-way by County Personnel will be kept at the respective road shops (Oak Harbor, Coupeville, Bayview and Camano) for 30 days for retrieval. Unclaimed signs will be disposed of after 30 days.

Respectfully,

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