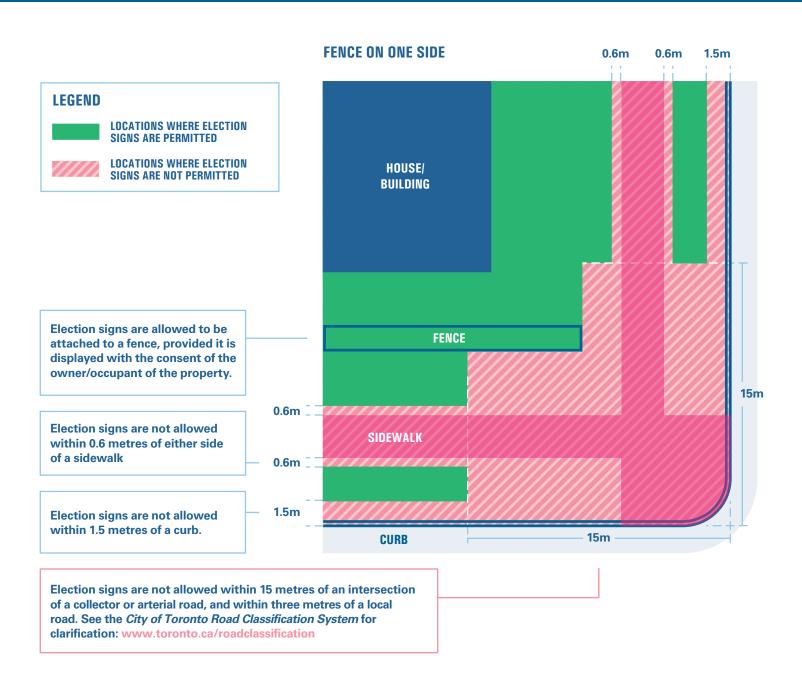
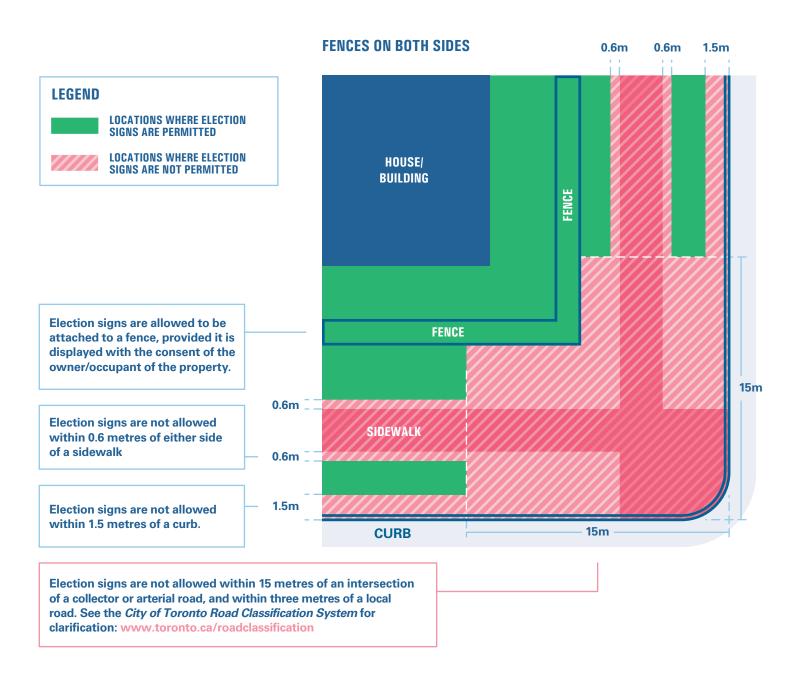
An election sign is any sign advertising or promoting a candidate in an election, OR, intended to influence persons to vote for, or against, a candidate.



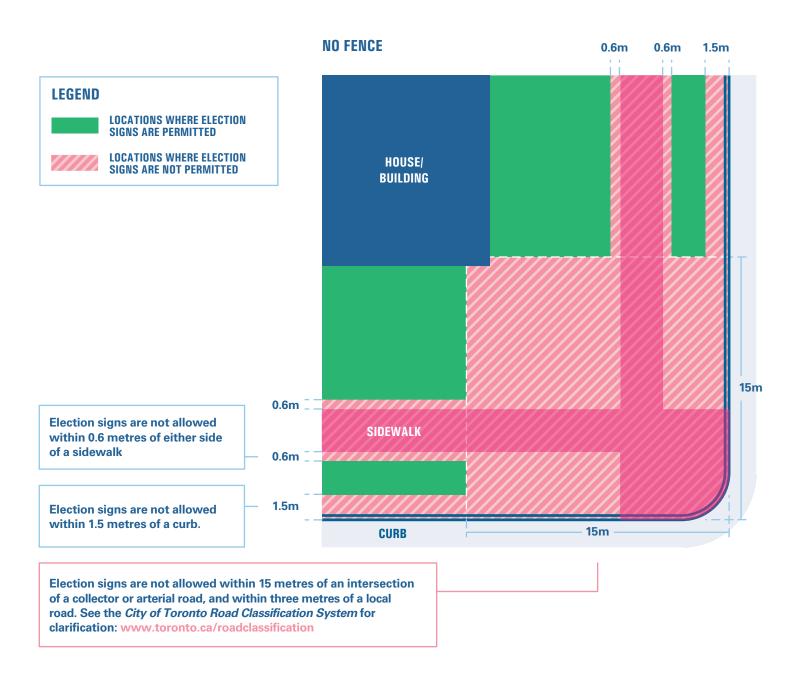


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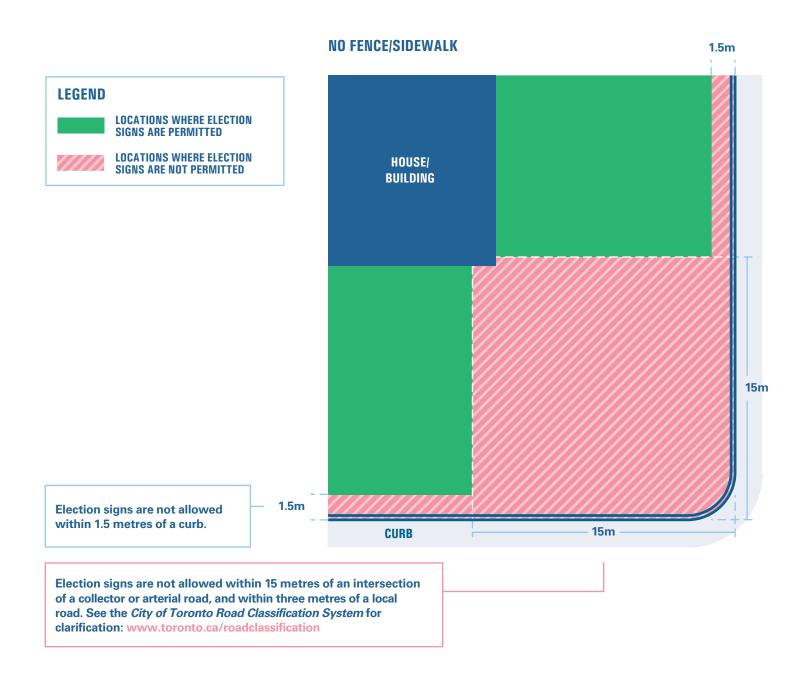
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This guide is not intended to be exhaustive of all situations and is subject to change. Each situation should be carefully reviewed against the specific provisions of the by-law.





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### Election signs can be displayed:

### On private property:

with the consent of the property owner/occupant.

### On public property:

- on streets/roads or public utility poles on streets/roads provided that election signs are not:
  - within 1.5 metres of the curb / edge of pavement
  - within 0.6 metres of either side of a sidewalk
  - within 15 metres of an intersection/pedestrian crossover of a collector or arterial road
  - within three metres of an intersection/pedestrian crossover of a local road
  - on a median or island
  - adjacent to a voting place, City park or a facility owned or operated by the City
  - without the consent of the owner/occupant of the abutting property.
- on bus shelters, garbage and recycling containers, and street installation dedicated advertising space
- on TTC dedicated advertising space
- as sign copy on a third party sign
- on vehicles or trailers

# If more than one sign are displayed at a location, each sign must be at least one metre apart, unless approved by:

- the property owner/occupant when placed on private property or
- the property owner/occupant of the abutting property when placed on public property

## Election signs <u>cannot</u> be larger than 1.2 square metres in area and higher than two metres above ground level, except:

- on campaign offices
- on TTC dedicated advertising spaces
- on street installation dedicated advertising spaces
- on third party advertising spaces (e.g., billboards)
- when displayed indoors
- on windows and balconies

#### **Election signs cannot:**

- be illuminated (unless on advertising spaces as per above)
- be attached to trees
- obstruct visibility or block sightlines for pedestrians, cyclists and motorists
- contain the City of Toronto logo

### **CAMPAIGN OFFICE SIGNS**

A campaign office sign is any sign that solely identifies the name of a candidate in an election and the location of a candidate's campaign office, and contains no other message. Campaign office signs can be displayed if they are displayed in accordance with the requirements of **Chapter 694, Signs** or the applicable sign permit.

Directional signs (to indicate the location of a campaign office) are prohibited.

