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Reminder: Signs in the Public Right-of-Way Prohibited

As a reminder, all signs, except for traffic control, government signs and a limited number of specially permitted signs are prohibited in the public right of way, which includes poles, posts or structures on or adjacent to sidewalks, streets, or roadways per [Chapter 247](#) of Scarsdale Village Code.

In 2021, the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit agreed with the Southern District Court's review of Scarsdale's sign laws that included the warning, "[a]ny enforcement that considers the type of sign or the viewpoint expressed would violate the First Amendment." Therefore, the Village of Scarsdale has no choice but to continue to remove all signs, regardless of content or viewpoint, placed within the public right of way.

If you have placed or authorized a non-exempt sign of any type to be placed in the public right-of-way, please relocate it to be wholly on your private property, where it must comply with any other applicable local laws. If you are unsure of where your property line is, as it may often be 13 feet or more from the curb, be sure to consult your land survey.

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