



INFORMATION ON ELECTION SIGNAGE

Provisions for Election signage within the Central Otago District Council are controlled within the District Plan.

Election signs are a permitted activity under Rule 12.7.5 (i) (h), providing that such signs:

1. *Are not erected earlier than 2 months before polling day.*
2. *Do not exceed 3m² in area.*
3. *Are not located on road reserve without the written consent of the Chief Executive.*
4. *Are removed by the close of the day before polling day.*
5. *Have spacing between any lines of text of not less than 50mm.*

Note: The erection of any sign on any part of a State Highway is subject to a Transit New Zealand Bylaw outside 50 km per hour speed restricted areas.

If your sign does NOT fall within these parameters you may need a resource consent. Please contact our Planning Team on 03 440 0056 or resource.consents@codc.govt.nz

Please note that single sided signage that is visible to oncoming traffic is authorised, double sided signage is prohibited

If you would like to put your sign on road reserve, the Council has designated specific areas. Please contact the Planning Department for further information.