Delaware Sign Law
During Election Season

- Signs may be placed 30 days prior to an election and 30 days after an election. This applies to both primary and general elections.
- No sign may ever be placed within 10 feet from the edge of roadway, unless the sign is on private property.

**Signs are NEVER allowed:**
- On utility poles, light poles, traffic signal poles, or road signs.
- On bridges or any overpass.
- In medians, islands, or gore areas.

For Questions about the sign laws, contact your nearest DelDOT office:

- New Castle – 302-326-4688
- Kent – 302-760-2443
- Sussex – 302-853-1327

The Fines:

Each sign that is in violation results in a fine of $25, and a $15 recovery fee.

For more information on sign placement, see 17 Del. Code, Sections 524-527 and 1111 (C ).
NEVER place signs on utility / traffic signal poles, traffic signs, bridges, overpasses, medians, islands or gore areas.

This diagram applies all the time, even during an election cycle.