

ORDINANCE NO. 1868

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 13-15-110 OF ORDINANCE NO. 1004 OF THE CITY OF PIERRE, HUGHES COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA, RELATING TO THE REGULATION OF POLITICAL SIGNS.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF CITY COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF PIERRE, SOUTH DAKOTA, THE FOLLOWING ORDINANCE SECTIONS SHALL BE AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

Section 13-15-110 Political Signs.

With the exception of bumper stickers placed on licensed motor vehicles, no person shall place or display any political candidate or election issue signs on public or private property before ten days prior to the day when absentee voting in a primary or general election begins, and all such signs shall be removed within seven days following the election.

1. Political candidate signs up to 32 square feet in size, and located in a use zone that allows on-site advertising, may be displayed at the principal campaign headquarters or a lawful political candidate at any time.
2. Political candidate or election issue signs up to 32 square feet in size, when located on their own rented or leased space of a vacant lot not in residential zoning, but within a use zone allowing on-site advertising, may be displayed ten days before the day when absentee voting in a primary or general election begins, but must be removed within seven days following the election.
3. With permission of the property owner, or the adjacent property owner, political candidate or election issue signs may be placed on private property, two weeks ten days before the day when absentee voting in a primary or general election begins, providing the signs do not exceed 432 square inches in area and are removed within seven days following the election.
4. With the permission of the adjacent property owner(s), political or election issue signs not exceeding 32 square feet in size and placed in a vehicle or on a trailer, may park on public streets and in public parking lots, but not in residential zoning, ten days before the day when absentee voting in a primary or general election begins provided all parking regulations are met and the signs are removed within seven days following the election.
5. Political and election issue billboards may be displayed at any time in all use zones allowing off-site advertising as provided for in Chapter 13, Sections 13-15-108, of the City of Pierre Planning and Zoning Ordinances.

If the provisions of different chapters, articles or sections of this ordinance conflict with or contravene each other, the provisions of each chapter, article and section shall prevail as to all matters and questions growing out of the subject matter of such chapter, article or section.

Section 13-15-111 through 199. Reserved.

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First Reading: August 6, 2024

Second Reading & Adoption: _____

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Steve Harding, Mayor

ATTEST:

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