

Sec. 16-1. Reserved.

Editor's note—Ord. No. O-81-39, adopted May 26, 1981, provided for the deletion of § 16-1, which defined "sign," and derived from § 1 of an ordinance adopted Jan. 8, 1962.

Sec. 16-2. Signs on right-of-way.

No signs for any purpose other than street identification or traffic and parking control shall be placed upon the streets or sidewalks of the town, provided however, that the town manager may give permission for signs of either a temporary or permanent nature to be placed thereon when such signs shall not interfere with the orderly use of said right-of-way.

(Comp. 1961, p. 54, § 1; Ord. No. O-81-24, § 1, 3-9-81)

Sec. 16-3. Placing notices, signs on utility poles, trees, prohibited; exception.

No signs or notices for advertising purposes shall be fastened or tacked to telephone, telegraph or electric light poles or trees on the streets or sidewalks.

However, the town manager may give permission for temporary signs to be placed on the streets or poles.

(Comp. 1961, p. 44, § 3; Comp. 1961, pp. 51, 54)

Sec. 16-4. Reserved.

Editor's note—Ord. No. O-81-39, enacted May 26, 1981, provided for the deletion of § 16-4, relative to signs in the central business district, as it derived from § 2 of an ordinance enacted Jan. 8, 1962; § 1 of an ordinance adopted Jan. 29, 1963; § 1 of an ordinance of March 26, 1963; and § 1 of an ordinance of Sept. 11, 1967.

Sec. 16-5. Signs not in town center district on, over streets, sidewalks, etc.

Except in the town center districts, no signs other than traffic-control or other such signs erected by the town, state or other governmental unit, shall be permitted on or over any street or sidewalk or highway.

(Ord. of 1-8-62, § 3; Ord. No. O-81-39, 5-26-81)

Sec. 16-6. Building code standards to be met.

All signs, marquees or drop awnings must be erected in accordance with the North Carolina Building Code requirements.

(Ord. of 1-8-62, § 2)

Cross reference—Building code, Ch. 5.

Sec. 16-7. Overhead advertising banners, streamers.

It shall be unlawful for anyone to place an overhead advertising banner or streamer above any street within the town without first obtaining a permit therefor from the town manager. Such permit, when so issued by the town manager, shall state the authorized location, size, construction and method of placing, and the period allowed for display of such banner or streamer. Anyone placing an overhead advertising banner or streamer above any street within the town, without first obtaining a permit therefor, or who places such overhead advertising banner or streamer not in compliance with requirements of a permit issued therefor by the town manager, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

(Comp. 1961, p. 52, § 1)