## **TOWN OF HOLLIS**

### **Political Advertising**

- 1. The provisions of RSA 664:17 shall be strictly enforced.
- 2. No political advertising shall be placed on or affixed to any public property, utility poles, highway signs or private property without the owner's consent. Political advertising may be placed within state-owned rights-of-way as long as the advertising does not obstruct the safe flow of traffic and the advertising is placed with the consent of the owner of the land over which the right-of-way passes.
- 3. No political signage shall be allowed to be installed or maintained on any public townowned lands (*see partial list below*) or the rights of way adjacent to town-owned property.

Partial List of Town Owned property where political signs are prohibited:

- 1. The triangle at Wright Road and Broad Street
- 2. The triangle at Federal Hill Road and Silver Lake Road
- 3. The triangle at Plain Road and Federal Hill Road
- 4. All town-owned cemeteries
- 5. All town-owned buildings, including Town Hall, Police, Fire and DPW Buildings, Farley Building, EverReady Engine House, Lawrence Barn\* and the Transfer Station\*
- 6. Woodmont (MBLU 35-63) and Stefanowicz Farms (MBLU 32-1)
- 7. The intersection of French Mill Road and Wright Road (MBLU 14-99)
- 8. The intersection of Depot Road and Runnells Bridge Road (MBLU 10-2)
- 9. Monument Square (50-21-1)
- 10.All other town properties

\*RSA 659:34-Electionerring signs outside the polling place may not be affixed to the polling place building or grounds. An attended sign is permitted to rest on the ground while under the direct control of the person electioneering; signs cannot be left unattended.

# TITLE LXIII ELECTIONS

## CHAPTER 664 POLITICAL EXPENDITURES AND CONTRIBUTIONS

## **Political Advertising**

#### Section 664:17

664:17 Placement and Removal of Political Advertising. - No political advertising shall be placed on or affixed to any public property including highway rights-of-way or private property without the owner's consent. All political advertising shall be removed by the candidate no later than the second Friday following the election unless the election is a primary and the advertising concerns a candidate who is a winner in the primary. Signs shall not be placed on or affixed to utility poles or highway signs. Political advertising may be placed within state-owned rights-of-way as long as the advertising does not obstruct the safe flow of traffic and the advertising is placed with the consent of the owner of the land over which the right-of-way passes. No person shall remove, deface, or knowingly destroy any political advertising which is placed on or affixed to public property or any private property except for removal by the owner of the property, persons authorized by the owner of the property, or a law enforcement officer removing improper advertising. Political advertising placed on or affixed to any public property may be removed by state, city, or town maintenance or law enforcement personnel. Political advertising removed prior to election day by state, city, or town maintenance or law enforcement personnel shall be kept until one week after the election at a place designated by the state, city, or town so that the candidate may retrieve the items.

Source. 1979, 436:1. 1994, 4:28. 2006, 273:1. 2013, 24:1, eff. July 15, 2013.