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## **Sign Permitting Information**

**Signs are required to be permitted in accordance with the International Building Code.**

### **General:**

A sign shall not be erected in a manner that would confuse or obstruct the view of or interfere with exit signs, official traffic signs, signals or devices. Signs and sign support structures, together with their supports, braces, guys and anchors, shall be kept in repair and in proper state of preservation. The display surfaces of signs shall be kept neatly painted or posted at all times.

### **Requirements:**

Signs shall be designed and constructed to comply with provisions of the International Building Code for use of materials, loads, and stresses.

### **Permits, Drawings, and Specifications:**

Where a permit is required, construction documents listed in the Lincoln County Permit Application Sheet shall be required. The documents shall show the dimensions, material, and required details of construction, including loads, stresses and anchors. Wind Load, Seismic Load, Working Stresses, and Attachment are required.

### **Signs exempt from permits:**

1. Painted non-illuminated signs.
2. Temporary signs announcing the sale or rent of property.
3. Signs erected by transportation authorities.
4. Projecting signs not exceeding 2.5 square feet.
5. The changing of movable parts of an approved sign that is designed for such changes, or the repainting or re-positioning of display matter shall not be deemed an alteration.