

TOWN OF IRVINGTON, VIRGINIA
ORDINANCE AMENDMENT #2024-13.uc

An Ordinance Amendment to Allow the Use of Feather Signs under Certain Conditions.

WHEREAS, Town Council regulates signs in its zoning ordinance regulations; and

WHEREAS, §154.192 (A)(2) of the Town Code previously prohibited the use of feather signs, except in B-1 or B-2 districts, and Town Council now seeks to amend these regulations to allow feather signs under specific conditions; and

WHEREAS, the legal authority for the proposed amendment is the Town Charter and §§ 15.2-2201, 15.2-2280, 15.2-2285, and 15.2-2286 of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended; and

WHEREAS, the amendments and reenactments within are for the purpose of furthering the health, safety, protection, general welfare, good zoning practices, good order, government, trade and commerce of the Town and its inhabitants.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED, that the Town Council of the Town of Irvington, Virginia does hereby amend Sections 154.192 as part of the Town Code Chapter 154 Subchapter on “Signs” as follows:

TITLE XV: LAND USAGE
Chapter 154. ZONING

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SIGNS

§ 154.192 Prohibited signs and sign structures.

- (A) It shall be unlawful for any person to erect, place or use any of the following within the town:
- (1) Off-premise billboards or off-premise temporary signs, unless specifically permitted by law.
 - (2) Feather Signs; Exception: Although Feather Signs are prohibited, a limitation of two signs are permitted on a temporary basis during Special Events, during business hours only, for a maximum of 4 days at one time and a maximum of 15 days per month.
 - (3) A sign which involves motion or rotation of any part of the structure or display or a sign containing intermittent lights or animation, such as prism, bow flag or feather flags or the like.
 - (4) Roof signs;
 - (5) Flashing lights or flashing signs of any type;
 - (6) Portable signs which are trailer-mounted or otherwise designated to be relocated or are constructed on a chassis or carriage with permanent or removable wheels;

- (7) Long-term parked vehicles with signs erected upon or applied are not allowed if parked for greater than two weeks duration per occurrence;
- (8) Signs placed or erected on property not owned by the sign owner, without written consent of the property owner;
- (9) Signs painted directly on a building without written approval from the building owner;
- (10) Any other type or kind of sign except those permitted.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED AND ENACTED, that this ordinance shall take effect immediately.

DATE ADOPTED:

AYES:

NAYS:

ABSTENTIONS:

ABSENT:

ATTEST:

Mayor, Town Council of Irvington, Virginia