

ORDINANCE NO. 2007-75

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 14, SIGN CODE
OF THE VILLAGE OF BUFFALO GROVE
MUNICIPAL CODE**

WHEREAS, the Village of Buffalo Grove is a Home Rule Unit pursuant to the Illinois Constitution of 1970;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT and BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF BUFFALO GROVE, LAKE and COOK COUNTIES, ILLINOIS, as follows:

Section 1. The foregoing recitals are hereby adopted and incorporated into and made a part of this Ordinance as if fully set forth herein.

Section 2. Subsection K. of Section 14.36.010 of the Village of Buffalo Grove Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

K. Political Signs. Political signs announcing political candidates seeking public office, political parties, and/or political and public issues contained on election ballots may be placed on private property, subject to the following:

- (1) **Number.** There shall be no limit on the number of political signs for each zoning lot.
- (2) **Area.** The total area of all political signs upon any zoning lot shall not exceed thirty-two square feet in area.
- (3) **Location.** No political sign shall be placed within the public right-of-way. No political sign shall be placed on public property except as permitted by the Illinois Election Code (10 ILCS 5/1-1 et seq.).
- (4) **Height.** Political signs shall not be of a height to block any line of sight of adjacent vehicular traffic.
- (5) **Removal.** Political signs shall be removed within two days of the conclusion of the election to which the sign pertains.

Section 3. Subsection F. is added to Section 14.40.070 of the Village of Buffalo Grove Municipal Code is to read as follows:

14.40.070 Public Areas

F. Notwithstanding the foregoing political signs may be placed on public property (excluding public right-of-way) as permitted by the Illinois Election Code (10 ILCS 5/1-1 et seq.)

Section 4. If any section, paragraph, clause or provision of this ordinance shall be held invalid, the invalidity thereof shall not affect any other provision of this ordinance.

Section 5. Any person violating any portion of this ordinance shall be punished according to the provisions of Chapter 1.08 of the Buffalo Grove Municipal Code.

Section 6. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication. This ordinance may be published in pamphlet form.

AYES: 5 - Braiman, Glover, Berman, Kahn, Trilling

NAYES: 0 - None

ABSENT: 1 - Rubin

PASSED: November 19, 2007.

APPROVED: November 19, 2007.

PUBLISHED: November 20, 2007.

APPROVED:



Village President

ATTEST:



Village Clerk