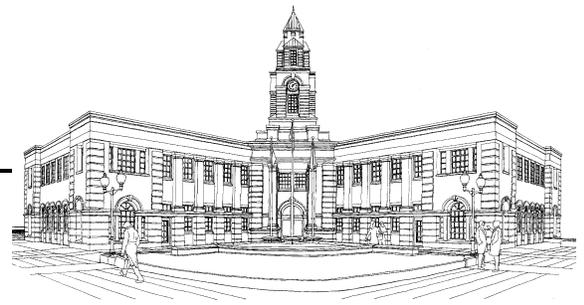


# City of Morristown

Incorporated 1855



## Department of Community Development & Planning

December 1, 2015

Dear Business Owner:

On November 3, 2015, the Morristown City Council adopted new regulations regarding feather flag signs within the City of Morristown. Following these changes to the sign ordinance, staff will begin enforcing feather flag sign regulations beginning in January 2016. Staff respectfully requests your cooperation in ensuring such signs are displayed in a safe and proper manner within the modified guidelines.

A **feather flag sign** is now defined as a freestanding, **temporary** sign constructed of a pole that may be driven into the ground or mounted upon a base with an attached vertically-elongated material resembling a feather, flag, sail or rectangle. Examples of feather flag signs can be found on the reverse of this letter.

In summary, the new regulations allow feather flag signs provided they conform to the following conditions:

1. **Must not exceed 10 feet in height.**
2. **Must not cause an obstruction to motorists or pedestrians.**
3. **Must be out of the public right-of-way and *at least 10 feet* from pavement edge, whichever is further.**
4. **Must not exceed 32 square feet in total sign area of all temporary signs.**
5. **Five (5) temporary signs of any kind maximum on any property (defined as a parcel, not a business).**
6. **May not be displayed more than 60 days out of any year.**
7. **Must be within a commercially zoned district.**

For more details and specifics you may review the complete text of the Sign Regulations on the City's web page at [www.mymorristown.com/Chapter\\_29.pdf](http://www.mymorristown.com/Chapter_29.pdf)

If you have any questions regarding these regulations or the City's enforcement of these regulations, please contact the **City of Morristown Department of Community Development and Planning at (423) 585-4620 or (423) 585-1830.**

Thank you for your cooperation.

Alan Hartman, AICP  
Development Director

## Shapes and Sizes

