

**CITY OF LAWRENCE
DOC. 30/2013**

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Lawrence that the Revised Ordinances of the City of Lawrence are hereby further amended by **ADDING** the following subsection (5) to be inserted in proper numerical order in Section 29-20(g) Permitted Signs.

(5) Billboards (excluded in OSR, OSC, R-1, R-2, R-3, R-4, B-1, B-2, B-3, I-1, I-2 and I-3 zoning districts)

- a. Billboards are a permitted use on all municipal property within 1000 feet of an interstate highway. Special Permits are required in HA district.
- b. The billboard operating company must have their name boldly displayed on all billboard frames.
- c. The billboard special permit must be taken out by both the land owner and the billboard operating company and must remain in the custody and control of both during the term of the special permit.
- d. A billboard which remains vacant and/or in a state of disrepair for a period of 6 months shall be considered abandoned under the purposes of the special permit.
- e. On all new billboards a bond, equal to the sum of the cost to remove the billboard, shall be required prior to the issuance of any permit. The Planning Board shall set the form and amount of security that represents the cost for removal and disposal of abandoned billboard in the event that it is abandoned and the owner is incapable or unwilling to remove said billboard.
- f. Supplemental conditions (b) through (d) are applicable to both new and existing billboards.

And further by **DELETING** a portion of Sub-Section 29-11 of the Municipal Code (Use Table.) as referenced below:

| USE | DISTRICT | | | | | | | | | | |
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| | | R-1 | R-2 | R-3 | | | | | | | |
| | OSR | R-1A | R-2A | R-4 | HA | B-1 | B-2 | B-3 | I-1 | I-2 | I-3 |
| Billboards | NO | NO | NO | NO | NO | NO | NO | NO | NO | NO | NO |

Attest: William J. Maloney, City Clerk

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