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CERTIFICATION OF OFFICIAL TEXT TO AMEND AN ORDINANCE  
BY THE SELECT BOARD OF THE TOWN OF RUMFORD  
[30-A M.R.S. § 3002(2)]

Chapter 40 – Temporary Signs and Advertisement Banners

To: BETH BELLEGARDE, *Town Clerk*:

We hereby certify to you that the document to which we have affixed this certificate is a true copy of the official text for a proposed amendment of the ordinance entitled “Chapter 40 – Temporary Signs and Advertisement Banners” approved by the Select Board and which is to be presented to the voters for their consideration on June 11, 2019.

Pursuant to 30-A M.R.S. § 3002(2), you will retain this copy of the complete text of the proposed ordinance amendment as a public record and make other copies available for distribution to the voters, and you will ensure that copies are available at the Town Meeting/Polling Places on the day of the vote.

Dated: March \_\_\_\_\_, 2019

SELECT BOARD OF THE TOWN OF RUMFORD

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CHAPTER 40  
Temporary Signs and Advertisement Banners

**Section 1 Temporary Signs Other Than Yard Sale Signs and Banners.** No temporary signs or banners shall be posted on the Town Hall or near the Information Booth. Signs and banners must not impair the view of the Rumford Falls from any location. They will not be allowed on Town owned property without the permission of the Town Manager, with the exception of the chain link fence on Rumford Avenue. The time of placement of temporary signs shall be governed by the State Statute, ~~and may only be placed up for a maximum time of 6 weeks per year~~, unless another time limitation is provided below in Sections 2, 3 or 4.

**Section 2. Yard Sale Signs.** The time of placement shall not be more than five (5) days before the yard sale and removed within twenty-four (24) hours after the end of the sale. Yard sale signs will not be allowed on Town owned property and shall not be placed on telephone poles.

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**Section 4. All Temporary Signs and Banners.** All signs and banners shall not exceed ~~24~~ <sup>32</sup> square 4 feet by 8 feet in size. All temporary signs, ~~other than yard sale signs on telephone posts,~~ must be displayed on their own stakes. All signs and banners shall have the name, address, and phone number of the person responsible for putting the sign or banner up and the date that the sign or banner was put up.

~~**Section 5. All Other Temporary Signs.** All other temporary signs and banners that are posted to inform the public about public events, business or informational signs shall be posted for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days with a ninety (90) day period in between postings. They will not be allowed on Town owned property.~~

**Section ~~6~~5. Penalties.**

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