

# NEWS RELEASE

**July 8, 2008**

Beginning Monday, July 14, 2008, the City of Cleveland Code Enforcement Officers will begin removing unlawfully posted signs from area roadways. Signs will be disposed of as waste.

This notice is to remind the public to follow these simple tips in the placement of temporary or portable signs:

- It is unlawful to post signs within public rights-of-way or on utility poles.
- Do not attach your sign to a utility pole or a city street sign.
- Do not put your sign in a median, by a sidewalk, or between a utility pole and the street (signs are to be 5 feet off the right-of-way).
- Do not use a sign larger than 32 square feet.
- Do not put your sign within 10 feet of a driveway or near an intersection.
- Post signs either low enough (under 30 inches) or high enough (over 7 feet) so it does not block visibility for drivers.
- Avoid utilities when anchoring signs.
- Post your sign on private property, but check with owner first and remember there are limits on the size and number of signs on the property.
- Remove your sign promptly after the event has concluded.

Thank you!