


Signage Requirements		Wilton	Where allowed	Darien	Westport	New Canaan
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sign illumination	Internally lit signs	prohibited	NA	in a ped-oriented area halo-lit wall sign. In auto-oriented area internally illuminated through one face or possibly multiple faces halo-lit, channel-lit, sign box with dark background, bright letters,	Self-illuminated signs shall be such that all direct light sources are completely covered	
sign illumination	flashing signs	prohibited	NA	prohibited	prohibited - all signs must be illuminated with constant intensity except for time-temperature signs	prohibited
sign illumination	neon or gas-illuminated signs	prohibited	NA	prohibited	prohibited	prohibited
sign types	wall signs	14SF plus 1 SF for each 2 feet lineal feet of frontage. May not extend beyond end of building 29-8-a.7.g.1 max 30 SF	DE-5, DE-10, WC	.33 sqft per lineal foot (POA) 32F Max .67 sq ftp per lineal foot AOD) 48 SF max. not more than 12 in out, nor more than	one sign not more than 2 sqft stating the name of the occupant. Not to exceed 6 sq ft for retail, grocery storesm, restaurants and other food establishments. 1SF per lineal foot of fronting. Max height 20ft, max 18 inches out from wall	wall mounted signs only. 20x15 if rectangular or 4 ft if elliptical or circular letters 12" high or 8" and 4". Not more than 25SF per lot
sign types	Marquee Signs. ( attached to the vertical face of a building marquee or canopy)		DRB, GB, WC			
sign types	free standing (detached)	18 SF. Max 16 ft or height of building, or six feet if no building in DRB. Max 12 sq feet and 10 feet high or one kiosk in Wilton Center., in DED max 24 SQ FT	R-1A, R-2A, THRD, DRD, CRA-10, DRB, GB, WC, DE-5 , DE-10	not mentioned	One per lot not to exceed 14 sq ft. With street address in at least four in letters/ Max 20 ft or botom of roof line,	
sign types	free standing (hanging)	not mentioned	All, with permit	12 SF AOD, 7SF POD . ONE SIGN per property, not over 9 feet high	not mentioned	
sign types	free standing (real estate)		All, with permit			
sign types	pole signs	not mentioned. Wilton has them but only on route 7	only route 7?	18 SF one per property, max 15 feet high, at least 7 feet clearance	not mentioned	
sign types	temporary commercial signs	banners = 45sq ft;single or double panel - 18 sqft, must be on the parcel, must have a sign permit. Maximum time 30 days. May not be illuminated	All districts with a sign permit, only on the parcel in which the business is located	special event signs up to 18 SQ FT and 7 days. Flat on wall	signs for public and charitable events, political signs, signs advertising sales and lease, signs on a window or door for sales or special features, not more than 25 % of window not more than 30 days. Plaques banners pennants streamers for 30 days.	
sign types	temporary non-profit sigfns	no more than 20 total in Wilton, only with owners permission	All, with permit			
sign types	sandwich boards	see temporary commercial signs		prohibited except as below.	prohibited	prohibited
sign types	sign kiosk	footprint max 9 SF, height max 9 ft, 5 feet from property line. Can't move	WC	not mentioned	not mentioned	
sign types	poster sign for movie theatres	as many as movies being shown	DRB, GB	not mentioned	not mentioned	
sign types	parallel blade signs (parallel to building, attached to building	not mentioned, but Wilton has them		75F in POD, 125F in AOD, ground floor tenant	included as part of projecting signs	
sign types	Projecting Signs also called perpendicular blade signs (perpendicular to building, attached).	29-8.a.4.d.2 min 7 ft above ground, max 72" from wall. 29-8.a.7.e.2 max 8 sq feet. 29-8.a.7.f.2 max 8 sq ft 29-8-a.7.g.2 max 16 SF.	WC, DE-5, DE-10	75F, bottom more than 7, top less than 12 feet high.not internally illuminated, not more than 40 inches from wall	one sign per business max 2 SF . Min 8 ft above ground	
sign types	permanent window signs	up to 25% of area of window	DRB,GB,WC	prohibited	not mentioned	
sign types	temporary window signs	up to 25% of area of window	DRB,GB,WC	up to 25% of window area, no more than 30 days	not mentioned	
sign types	etched glass signs	not mentioned		10% of glass surface , in addition to other signs	not mentioned	
sign types	awning signs	not mentioned		.33 sq ft per lineal ft in POD, .67 in AOD	not mentioned	allowed but no detail
sign types	Wall mounted directory	not mentioned		7 sq ft on wall of building. One per buidng	not mentioned	
sign types	free standing directory	not mentioned		individual per ARB, one per building	not mentioned	
sign types	directional signs	2 SF.	All, with permit	2 SF or 2 15F signs in a public lot	2 SF	
sign types	monument signs	not mentioned		20SF 1 per property. One per property, max 6 feet high	not mentioned	
sign types	roof signs	prohibited	NA	prohibited	prohibited	
sign types	banners or streamers	prohibited by 29 8A.6.c. but temporary ones permitted by 29-8.A.7.c.2 up to 45 Sq ft max 14 days 3 times a year	All, with permit	not mentioned	not mentioned	prohibited
sign types	Signs off the premises of the business being advertised	prohibited except kiosks	NA	prohibited	prohibited	
sign types	billboards	prohibited	NA	not mentioned	not mentioned but Westport has them	

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sign types	painted or attached	on rocks, prohibited	NA			
		trees. Fence, truck, utility pole				
sign types	special permit use			12 SF. ARB may allow multiple per property		
sign types	government and warning signs		all		by right	
Miscellaneous	Residential districts				one free standing sign not more than 24sq ft. 15 feet from property line, include street address. Historic building marker (2SF), Derectional sign 2SF, public convenience signs 2SF	
Miscellaneous	HDD				complex rules - see 33-7.5	
Miscellaneous	shopping center				all occupant signs will reflect a coordinated aesthetic, including letter size, letter style, illumination, placement, colors and types of signs	
Zoning Districts		2 Acre Residential	R-2A			All signs not included above are individually approved by the commission
		1 Acre Residential	R-1A			
		Center Residence Apartment	CRA-10	SF		
		TownHouse Residence District	THRD			
		Design Residence District	DRD			
		Design Enterprise District	DE-10			
		Designed Enterprise District	DE-5			
		Wilton Center District	WC			
		Design Retail Business District	DRB			
		General Business District	GB			
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