

Section 2D.9

LANDSCAPE SPONSORSHIP SIGNS FOR ROUNDABOUTS

2D.9.1 DEFINITION

This policy is intended to provide guidance on the issuance of permits to any entity for signs displaying the sponsorship of landscaping in the center island of roundabouts.

2D.9.2 CONDITIONS FOR PLACING SIGN

The Department will not install landscaping sponsorship signs. Applications for a Gateway or Roundabout Landscaping Sponsorship Sign permit may be sent to the District Office to which the requested sign would belong.

To obtain a Gateway or Roundabout Landscaping Sponsorship Sign permit:

1. A permit request form for Gateway or Roundabout Landscaping Sponsorship
2. The request must specify where the signs will be placed
3. The following must be attached to the request:
 - a. A map illustrating where the signs will be placed
 - b. Shop drawings illustrating the size of sign, lettering height, font, legend, and type of material (sheeting) to be used

2D.9.3 LOCATION AND PLACEMENT

The Roundabout Landscaping Sponsorship signs shall only be placed in an area within the center island of the roundabout behind the truck apron curb. The sign shall be mounted as an independent sign assembly that is 2 feet above ground.

2D.9.4 SIGN DESIGN PERMITTED

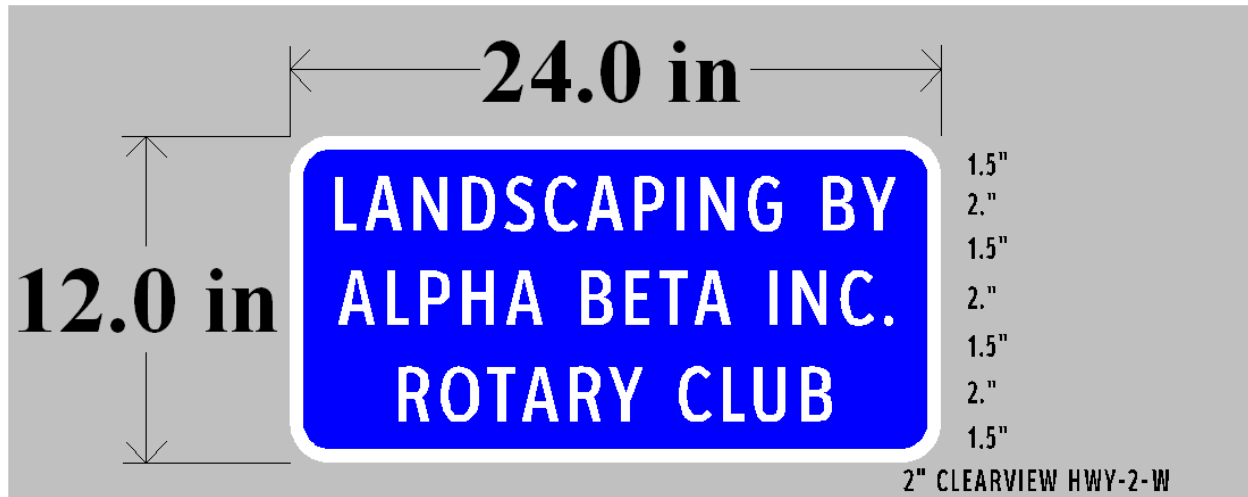
Sponsorship signs are non-standard highway signs and shall be designed as follows:

1. The signs shall be made with blue background reflective sheeting with the primary legend in white reflective sheeting.
2. Signs shall be installed with breakaway square tubing.
3. Letters are capitalized in 2 inch Clearview Hwy-2-W font.

The back of the sponsorship sign shall have the following information either on a weather proof sticker or written neatly in black permanent marker:

1. The proper agency to call for maintenance
2. The permit number
3. The installation date

Figure 2D.9.1 Example Landscape Sponsorship Sign for a roundabout on a state highway.



2D.9.5 APPROVAL

The applicant shall request the sign through a Gateway Sign and Sponsorship Signs for Roundabout Landscaping permit application in which the District Traffic Operations Engineer shall recommend for approval. The Traffic Engineering Management Administrator shall approve the permit.

2D.9.6 DOCUMENTATION

The District Traffic Operations Engineer may consider documenting the locations of the Sponsorship signs by either Control Section – Logmile or GPS coordinates.