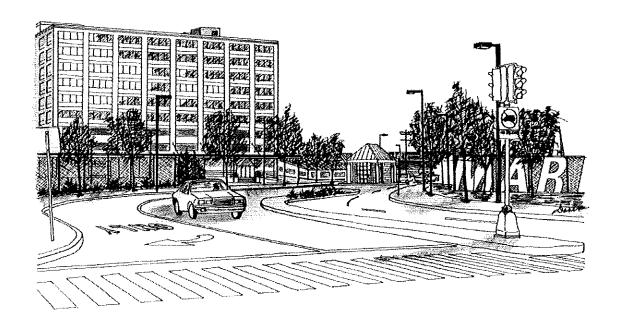


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Marine Industrial Park Tenant Signing Guidelines

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Introduction

These guidelines are to be utilized by current and future EDIC tenants. They serve to insure the quality standards established by the EDIC's comprehensive sign program to be implemented in the summer of 1987. The goal of EDIC's sign program is to provide orientation information to the public and to unify and enhance the visual appearance and create a sense of place within EDIC's Marine Industrial Park.

These guidelines explain tenant responsibilities in the design and construction of allowable signs visible to the public in EDIC industrial parks.

The Landlord (EDIC) reserves the right to refuse approval of any sign submission, which fails to meet these goals. No signage will be erected without prior final written approval of the Landlord.

No alterations shall be made to such sign after final written approval has been given by the Landlord. Any alterations shall be remedied at the tenants expense.

Building/Street Identification Sign

Any new construction of a parcel within the Marine Industrial Park owned by the BRA/EDIC, the Tenant shall be responsible for providing the fabrication and installation of the parcel/building name and address signage in accordance with the standards set forth:

Single-tenant buildings - choice of the following:

shall provide double-sided, major identification freestanding sign in front of their building's main entrance designating the tenant name, street name and street number. (See sketch SK-1)

shall provide double-sided, pole mounted sign in front of their building's main entrance designating the street name and street number. (See sketch SK-2)

shall provide single-sided, fence mounted sign in front of their building's entrance or as near to it as possible designating the street name and street number. (See sketch SK-3)

Multi-tenant buildings:

with an approved building name shall provide double-sided, major identification freestanding sign at the entrance(s) to the building designating building name and building address. (See Sketch SK-4)

New Streets and Right of Ways

Shall provide a double-sided major directory freestanding sign at the entrance to a new street and/or right of way designating building names and/or single tenant names and parking facilities with directional arrows. (See sketch SK-4 and SK-5)

No alterations to these signs by the Tenant will be permitted after BRA/EDIC's written approval.

General Standards

All work performed on any sign or other graphic item by the Tenant or his Contractor must be performed according to the guidelines set herein, and according to the best standards and practices of the trades involved.

Acquisitions of Signs and Submissions

The Tenant shall submit detailed drawings of each sign for approval by the landlord. Drawings shall include a location elevation and sectional view, a dimensional layout, an accurate likeness of type, letterstyle and /or logo, samples of all colors and materials, construction and mounting sections and details, method of illumination, color of illumination and electrical requirements.

All signs shall be provided and installed by the Tenant, and at the Tenant's sole expense, subject to the Landlords approval. The Tenant shall submit all new and /or renovations of signage to the Landlord. The Landlord shall review graphic design, materials, construction, location and installation of all Tenant signs. The Landlord shall respond to all submittals in writing within fifteen (15) working days after the receipt thereof by the BRA/EDIC construction representative. The Tenant shall not proceed with fabrication or installation of any sign without prior written approval of such items by the Landlord. If a sign is installed that lacks written landlord approval, the Landlord shall have the authority to have said sign removed. The Tenant shall incur all costs for removal and repair of all affected mounting areas.

General Regulations

Tenants should comply with the following general guidelines regarding tenant name and/or building name:

- a) Single tenant buildings should clearly identify the name of the company on the building, preferably near the buildings main entrance. Every effort should be made to apply letters directly onto the building.
- b) Existing tenant logos or letterstyles should be used for the building identification to reinforce the tenant's identity. If and existing logo does not exist, a letterstyle which relates to the buildings architecture and reflects the nature of the tenant's business may be permitted. Decorative commercial-style lettering is illegible and therefore not permitted unless the Landlord grants special permission in writing.
- c) In-ground single-tenant identification signs are not desirable and will be permitted only in special cases where the architecture is not appropriate for letter or sign application.
- d) Multi-tenant buildings may reinforce the name of the building with individual letters or a sign applied it the building façade. In-ground identification by the multi-tenant is not permitted unless the Landlord grants special permission in writing.
- e) All additional sign requirements, such as shipping and receiving, visitor's parking etc. should use consistent materials, color and typography so as to visually relate to one another and, preferably, relate to the tenant identity, where appropriate.
- f) All regulatory and traffic signs erected by Tenants shall conform with M. U. T. C. D. and Boston Department of Transportation, Traffic and Parking standards.
- g) Temporary signs are not to exceed 60 days.
- h) Any sign or its illuminator shall not by reason of it's location, shape, size, or color interfere with traffic or be confused with or obstruct the view or effectiveness of any official traffic sign, traffic signal or traffic marking.
- i) No sign shall be illuminated between the hours of 12:00 midnight and 6:00 AM. (unless authorized in writing by EDIC)
- j) A wall sign attached parallel to a building can project no more than fifteen inches (15") from the building surface, may not obstruct the architectural features of the building and cannot extend higher than whichever of the following is lowest:
 - ♦ 25 feet above grade

- the top of the sill of the first level of windows above the first story.
- ◆ The lowest point on the roof except in the case of a one-story building with a continuous horizontal parapet above the roof in which case a sign may be as high as the top of the parapet.
- k) Tenants shall be responsible for maintaining and replacing their signs if and when deterioration, rust, damage or vandalism warrant replacement. Signs should otherwise be regularly maintained and cleaned by tenants and kept in good condition.
- A sign on a building should always be thought of as a part of the building, and not as an unrelated object attached to it. The general color of the sign should relate to that of the building to which it belongs.
- m) The lettering and background color should contrast for proper legibility. No more than two colors should be used on any one given sign without special permission. More than three colors will not be permitted.
- n) Signs can be individually cut letters, sandblasted, painted, silk-screened, etched or applied to: metal, wood, acrylic or stone.
- o) The overall size of signs should conform to the City of Boston code, maximum area allowed for signs in a non-residential district. A copy of the Boston Sign Code may be obtained from the Boston Redevelopment Authority or by calling EDIC at (617) 722-4300.

Prohibited Signs

The following signs shall not be permitted, constructed, erected or maintained:

- a) Signs which incorporate in any manner flashing, moving, colored or intermittent lighting, excluding public service signs showing time and temperature.
- b) Signs constructed, erected or maintained upon the roof, chimney, elevator towers and penthouses of buildings.
- c) Signs which project over a public right-of-way with the exception of wall signs which may project no more than twelve inches (12") from a building face.

- d) Signs portraying a specific commodity for sale and/or any advertisement signs.
- e) Signs erected so as to obstruct any door, window or fire escape on a building.
- f) Window signs which cover more than twenty-five percent (25%) of the area of the window.
- g) Plywood or other temporary sign materials used for permanent sign purposes.
- h) Any exterior identification sign for a tenant within a multi-tenant building unless special permission is granted by the Landlord.
- i) Signs projecting/attached at right angles to the building, unless special permission is granted by the Landlord.

Construction Improvement Signs

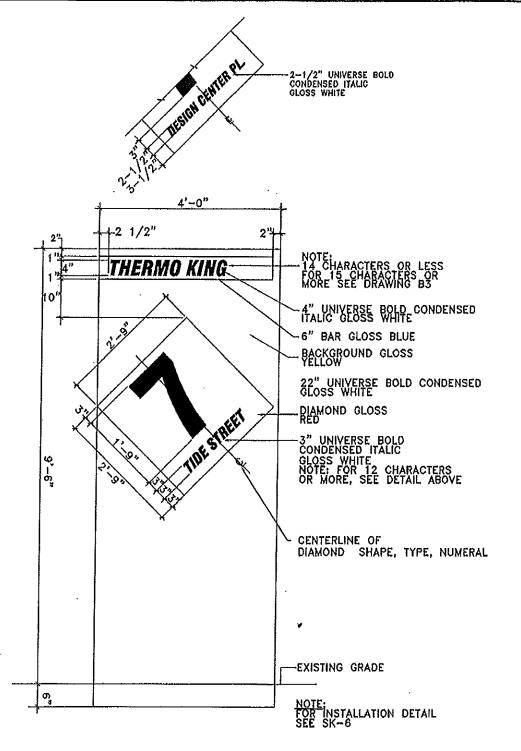
On all major construction improvement projects the tenant shall provide at least one temporary sign as described in sketch SK-8. This sign shall be erected for the life of the construction project. The tenant may have one additional construction improvement sign for the tenant's use, subject to the approval of the Landlord.

Exhibits

- SK-1 Major Building/Street Address Identification Sign In Ground
- SK-2 Standard Building/Street Address Identification Sign Pole Mounted
- SK-3 Standard Building/Street Address Identification Sign Fence Mounted
- SK-4 Major Building Identification Sign
- SK-5 Standard Street Name Sign and Installation
- SK-6 Major Directory Identification Sign (Omitted)
- SK-7 Major Identification Sign Installation Detail (Omitted)
- SK-8 Temporary Construction Improvement Sign
- SK-9 Alternative Building Identification Sign In Ground
- SK-12 Parking Lot Fee Schedule

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NOTE: Additional information on these guidelines may be obtained by contacting EDIC/Operations & Engineering Department at (617) 722-4300.



MAJOR BUILDING/STREET ADDRESS IDENTIFICATION SIGN

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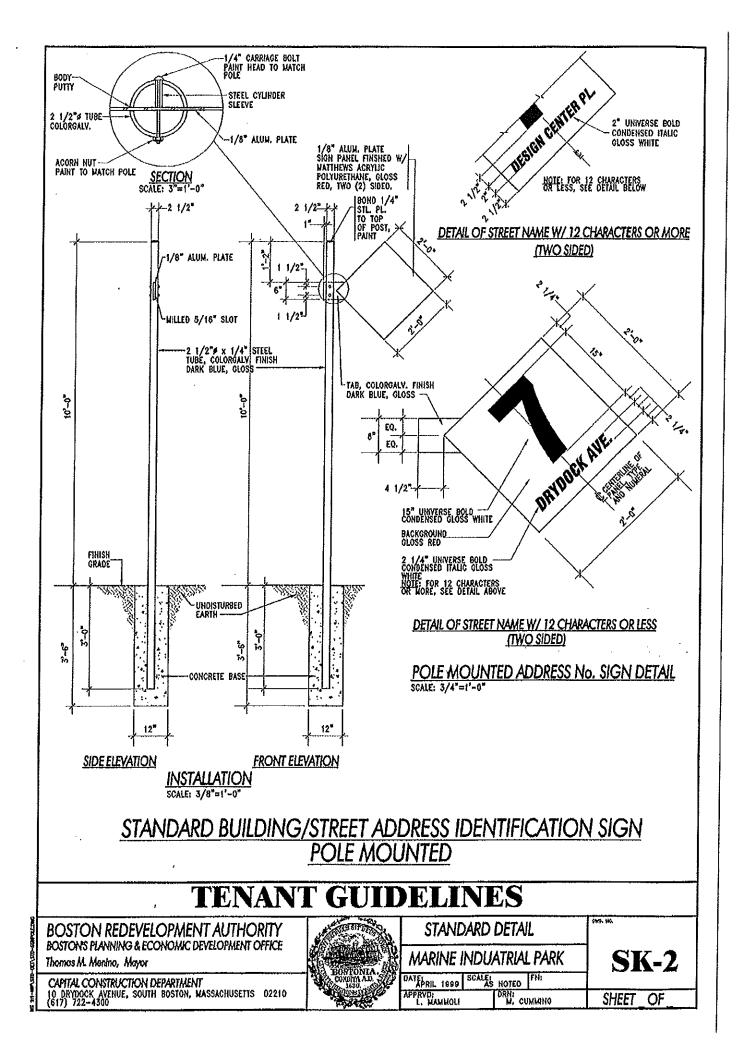
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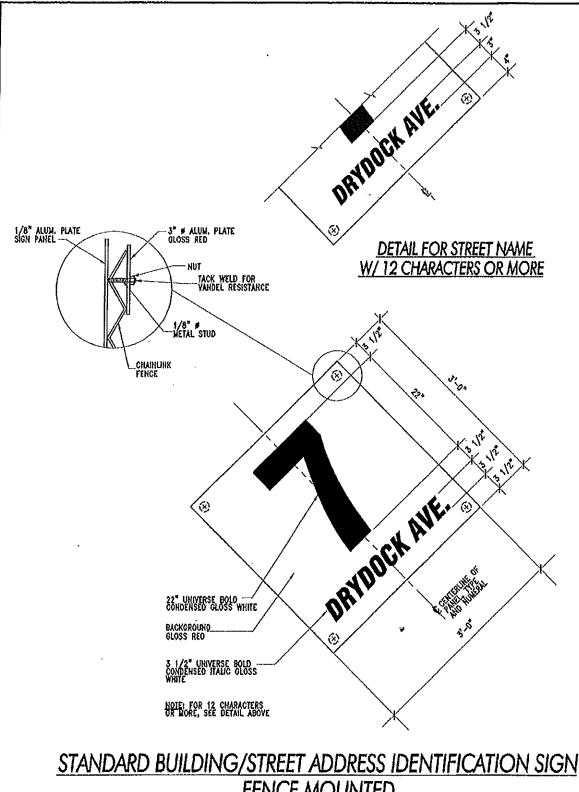
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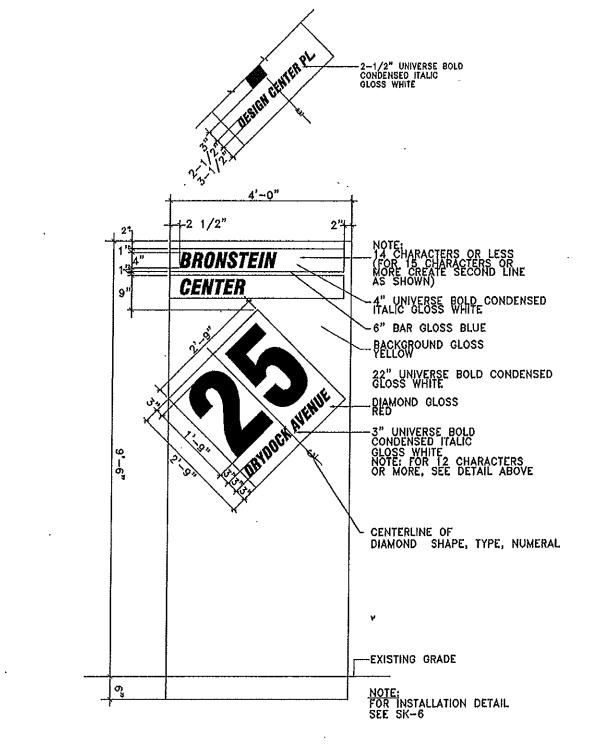
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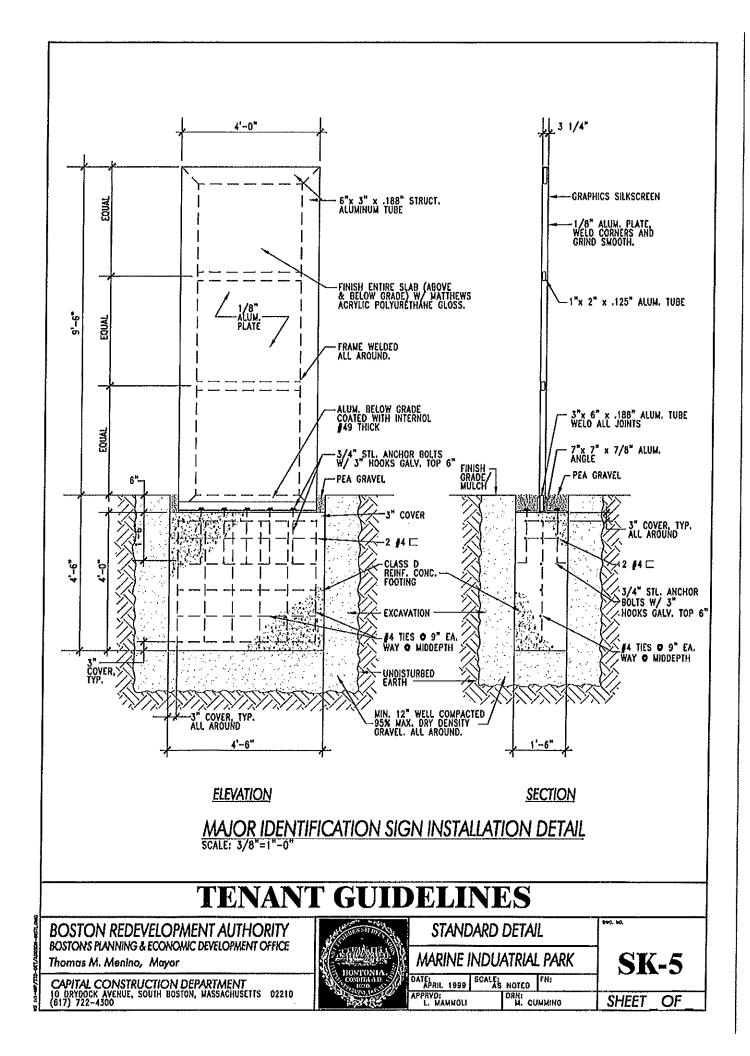
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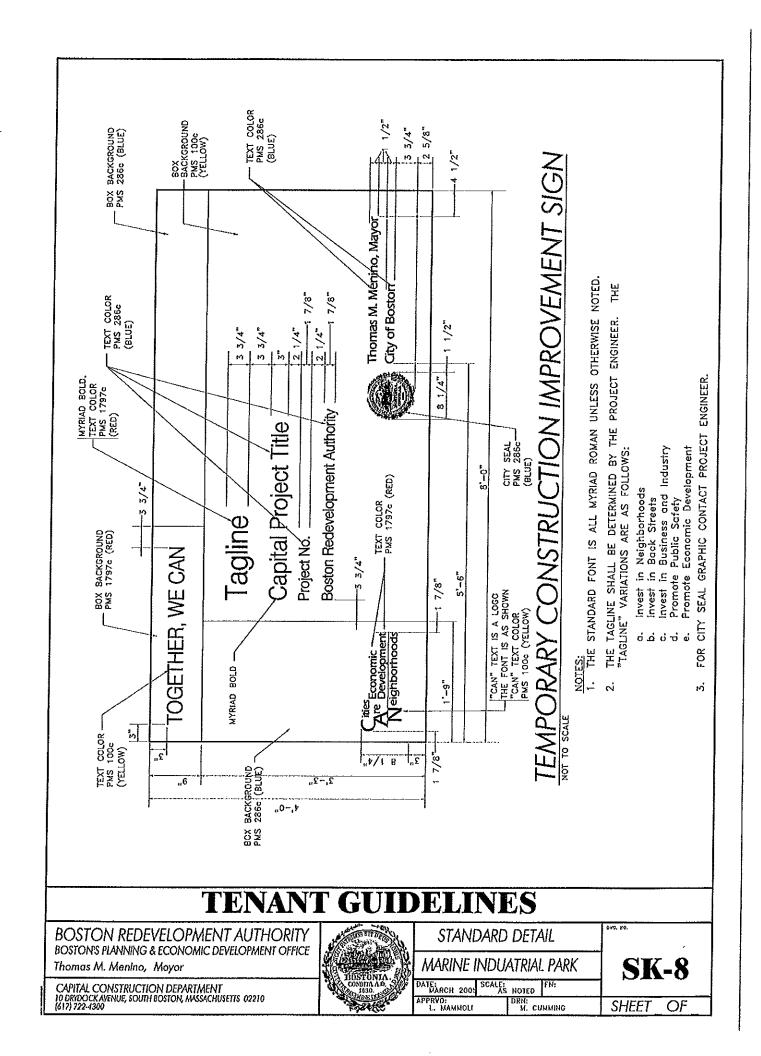
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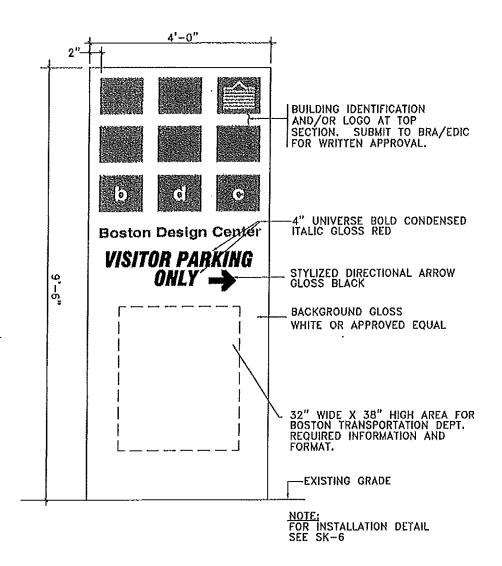
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MAJOR BUILDING PARKING LOT SIGN WITH BTD REQUIREMENTS

SCALE: 1/2"=1'-0"

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