

**Chapter 26, Article 11, Section 11.6,
“Prohibited Signs and Devices”**

...
All signs and devices not expressly permitted under this Ordinance or exempt from regulation hereunder in accordance with the previous section are prohibited. Such signs and devices include, but are not limited to:

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- (b) Except as otherwise permitted in the City Center District, Any illuminated tubing or strings of lights, including but not limited to:
- (1) Those outlining property lines;
 - (2) Outlining open sales areas;
 - (3) Outlining rooflines, doors or windows, or edges of walls, except as specifically permitted in the Waterfront Overlay District;
 - (4) Landscaping, except low intensity constant glow rope lighting;
 - (5) Except for perimeter down-lighting which is shielded to illuminate open sales areas but no land outside those areas, and those strings of lights exempt under holiday decorations;
 - (6) Neon may be incorporated into the design of a sign.

Frequently Called Numbers



Billing & Collections.....	639-2528
Building/Permitting.....	575-3324 (opt. #1)
City Clerk/Local Business Tax Receipts	575-3369
City Manager’s Office.....	575-3302
Finance	575-3318
Fire Dept. (non-emergency).....	575-5529
Human Resources	575-3308
Park Rental	575-3352
Police Dept. (non-emergency)	639-4111
Public Works (Canal Maintenance, Parks & Ground, Sanitation/Recycling)	575-5050
Urban Design/Planning/Design Studio.....	575-3372
Utilities	575-3339
Zoning & Code Compliance	575-3314 / 575-3352
Charlotte County Administration	743-1200
Charlotte County Human Services	833-6500
Charlotte County Mosquito Control.....	764-4370
Charlotte County Public Works	575-3600
Charlotte County Supervisor of Elections	883-5400

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