

4. Specific sign types (cont.)

4.9 Projecting signs

4.9.1 Definition

A projecting sign is any sign projecting outward from a building wall.

4.9.2 Size

- A. The maximum total area of a projecting sign on a one-story building shall be no more than four (4) square feet per sign face.
- B. The maximum total area of a projecting sign on a building with a street front exceeding one (1) story shall be no more than five (5) square feet per sign face.

4.9.3 Placement

- A. A projecting sign must be located at or near the public entrance.
- B. The lowest point of a projecting sign shall not be less than seven feet, six inches (7'-6"), above the sidewalk.
- C. A projecting sign shall be separated from the building face from which it projects by no less than three (3) inches and shall project not more than four (4) feet from that face or two-thirds (2/3) of the width of the sidewalk, whichever is less.
- E. The highest point of a projecting sign and its supporting frame shall be no higher than the top of the second - story window sills of the building from which the sign projects.
- F. All projecting signs over a public way, such as a sidewalk, come under the jurisdiction of the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Nantucket and may at any time be reviewed by that board for compliance with town regulations.

4.9.4 Sign support

- A. A projecting sign or its supporting bracket shall not extend above the top cornice line of the building from which the sign projects.
- B. No sign shall project beyond the bracket on which it is hung.

4.9.5 Combinations

- A. A projecting sign may be combined with a window sign or a menu box.
- B. A projecting sign that does not exceed two (2) square feet may be used in combination with a wall sign except in residential neighborhoods.
- A. A projecting sign may incorporate a symbol sign. See Section 4.13.

4.9.6 Provisions

A projecting sign shall be allowed for each entrance door or set of entrances of a building, with a maximum of one (1) projecting sign per business.

