



Pedestrian Crosswalk Device Agreement

The Burlington Department of Public Works makes orange construction barrels with signs indicating a pedestrian crosswalk attached, or other similar devices designed specifically for pedestrian crossings, available to neighborhoods and institutions to further accentuate pedestrian crossings. Their use is primarily at mid-block crossings but they can also be used at crossings where pedestrians express some discomfort when crossing the street. The device is provided upon request and does not imply the provision of any greater or lesser degree of personal safety for an individual crossing the street.

The device will be provided to a resident or institution according to the following:

- An individual is identified who will be the local contact for Public Works for the device and signs this form acknowledging same.
- The device will be set in place by public works staff, thereafter it is the responsibility of the neighborhood or institution to manage the use of the barrel, taking it in and out at night and securing it for street maintenance and snow removal activities. It is the responsibility of the neighborhood or institution to replace the device after consulting with the Public Works staff.
- The device is permitted in the road only during daylight hours unless otherwise stipulated by Public Works staff.
- The device must be removed from the road to accommodate street maintenance activities such as sweeping.
- The device must be removed from the road during winter months to provide for the safe plowing of streets.
- The device will be replaced once by Public Works in the event it is damaged or stolen. Public Works will provide no more than two devices per calendar year at no cost.
- Additional devices may be provided to the neighborhood or institution beyond the replacement device at the cost of \$85.00 to be paid by the neighborhood or institution.

Wherever possible we look to help, and assist neighborhoods to make their streets a safer, friendlier place. Along with that desire, the Department of Public works has an obligation to community at large,

- To protect the city from risk, and liability of having these barrels on the street,(barrel becoming a projectile hitting parked cars)
- Provide other forms of service to the community (Sweeping, plowing, de-icing), which these serve in direct conflict with.

We as a city look to the applicant to abide by the long list of requirements, with the understanding that these mechanisms have been put in place to allow these competing interests to work in harmony. The Department of Public Works reserves the right to remove the barrels at any given point in time if it serves as a danger or hazard. If the applicant violates anyone of these rules more than twice within any given calendar year the department will confiscate the barrel, and the barrel will not be issued to the entity to whom it was assigned for at least a year's time.

I've read and understand the above and sign for the following neighborhood or institution.

Neighborhood or institution: _____

Name: _____ Date: _____

Public Works Traffic Foreman: _____ Date: _____