

Regulatory Compliance Department / Municipal Code Compliance Division

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Vision

Litter along Jacksonville’s public right-of-way mars the beauty of the city. Jacksonville must have a zero-tolerance policy for litter, including “snipe signs” placed upon publicly-owned property.

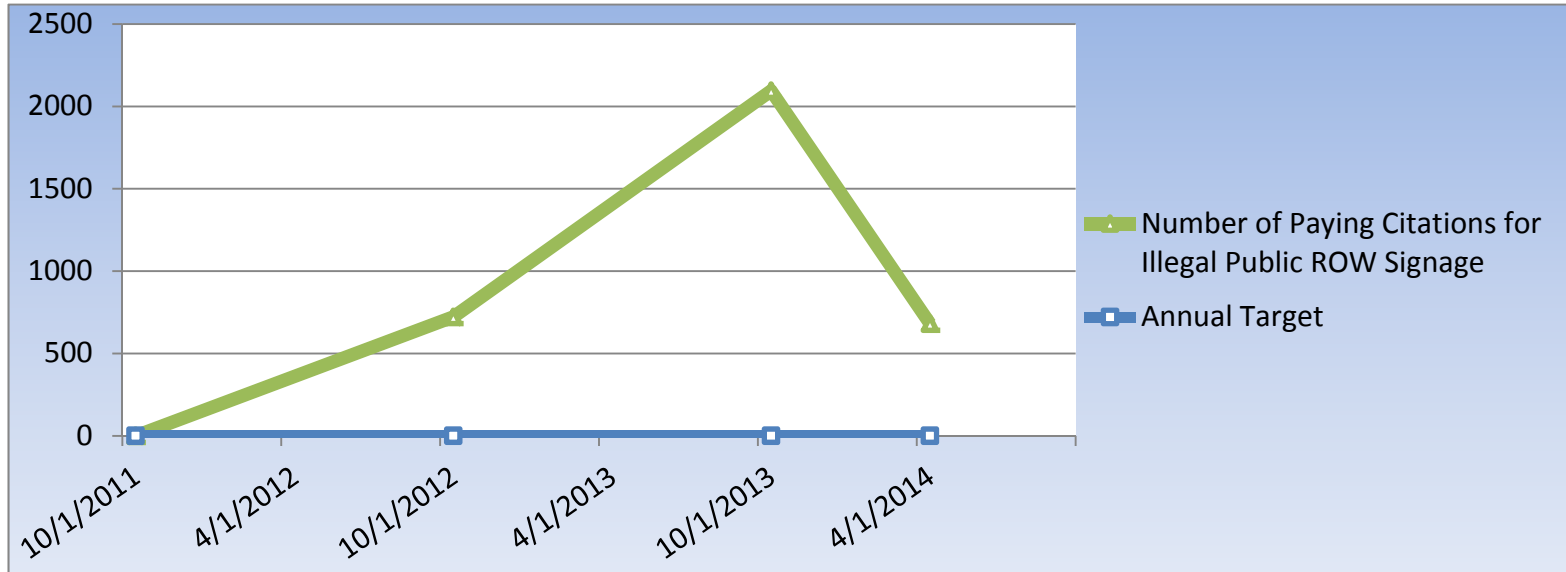
Mission

Placement of “snipe signs” is irreparable (the harm sought to be prevented has already occurred), is unlawful, and is subject to civil fines. Code Compliance Officers will issue immediate paying citations for placement of illegal public right-of-way signage.

of Paying Citations Issued for Illegal Public Right-of-Way Signage YTD: 681

City Priority

Quality of Life



Narrative

Following legislation passed by the City Council, the Municipal Code and Compliance Division was given authority to issue paying citations for illegal public right-of-way signage, commonly known as “snipe” or “bandit” signs. Violations also include any signage placed upon publicly-owned property. Enforcement of the ordinance began in 2012 and citations have steadily increased during the past two years, helping to improve the appearance of Jacksonville’s roadways.