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REGULATIONS FOR MAILBOXES
INSTALLED IN PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY

1. Installation shall not conflict with existing or proposed utilities.
2. The face of the mailbox shall be 12" from the back of the curb.
3. Supporting post shall be no closer than 18" from the back of the curb.
4. Property owner shall be responsible for all costs of installing and maintaining the mailbox.
5. The bottom of the box shall be installed 42" to 48" in height from the roadway.
6. Mailbox supports shall be no more substantial than required to resist service loads and reasonably minimize vandalism.
7. Non-complying mailboxes shall be removed upon notice from Village employees. Should you have any questions regarding a proposed mailbox please contact the Department of Building & Health Services at (847) 368-5560.
8. Examples of structures which are not permitted would include stone or brick structures or materials which do not easily break away under impact.
9. Examples of mailbox supports that are acceptable would be:
4" x 4" wood posts, 4-1/2" diameter wood posts, 1-1/2" to 2" diameter standard steel or aluminum pipe posts.

EXAMPLES

