# Application to install Banners, Hanging Flower Baskets and Seasonal Decorations over the Highway under Section 178 of the Highways Act 1980

I/We have read and agree to the terms and conditions attached and are applying for permission to erect Name of item over the highway.

## Contact Details for Applicant: (i.e. Town/Parish council)

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| Name: | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Address: | Enter address as single line of text. |
| Telephone: | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Contact Email: | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Emergency 24 hour Contact No: | Click or tap here to enter text. |

## The Installation

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| Proposed location of installations (street/town/street light number etc.) | Click or tap here to enter text. | |
| Duration of installation: | From: | Click or tap to enter a date. |
|  | To: | Click or tap to enter a date. |
| Appointed Contractor/Competent Person(s) | Click or tap here to enter text. | |

## If appointing a third party - provide contact details below:

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| Name: | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Address: | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Telephone: | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Contact Email: | Click or tap here to enter text. |

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| 1. Is it proposed to have catenary wires stretched across the highway? | Choose an item. |
| 1. Is it proposed to have any electrical connection to Highway Authority equipment (e.g. street lighting column)? | Choose an item. |
| 1. If electrical connection is needed, what professionally approved electrical body is the contractor a member of? | Click or tap here to enter text. |

Detailed drawings and other supporting information shall be required for technical review before application can be granted – see attached checklist

## The following documentation shall be submitted:

Completed Application Form and associated paperwork (**required a minimum of 10 weeks prior to installation**) including:

* Terms and conditions – signed and dated by applicant to confirm they have been read and understood
* All technical information including the completed attachment form (hanging baskets/sign/seasonal motif), a map/plan showing the location of the installations with street light numbers, dimensions, details of each installation
* A signed written statement or an email from the applicant stating that your contractor/third party have demonstrated to you their operative’s competency and qualifications including the person/s who will complete the electrical connection and disconnection and the person/s “switching on” the installation at any ceremony
* A signed written statement or an email from the applicant stating that all temporary traffic management proposals, arrangements for protection and segregation of the public and signing and guarding are in accordance with the latest version of Chapter 8 of the Traffic Signs Manual published by the Department of Transport (Safety at Street Works and Road Works – A Code of Practice (commonly known as the “Red Book”)
* Proposed installation dates and final removal of the equipment, method statement and risk assessment covering installation and maintenance
* Evidence of the applicants Public Liability insurance (£10 million)
* 24/7 emergency applicants contact numbers; which may be used at any time and at all stages of the installation (there can be more than one contact if required)
* Details and results of any applicants current structural tests carried out, or confirmation that tests are to be carried out (providing dates of when they are to be carried out and the results will be available)
* A statement of conformity for the complete installation, in accordance with BS 7671 (applicants to provide test certificates following installation)
* Copy of the applicants written energy agreement
* An invoice will be raised for the fee of £50 per application or £50 per road/street (the length of an individual street may require an additional payment)

Please send your completed application to:

[Asset.Management@essexhighways.org](mailto:Asset.Management@essexhighways.org)

If you have any questions or queries, regarding your application, or any of the documentation, please contact us at [Asset.Management@essexhighways.org](mailto:Asset.Management@essexhighways.org)