**Signing for Traffic Generators on Freeways & Expressways**

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| **Type of Generator** | **Sign Type and Background Color** | **Criteria** | **Metropolitan Area over 100,000** | **Urbanized or Metropolitan Area under 100,000** | **Rural Area** | **Comments** |
| Airport\*, Ferry, Heliport, Bus Station, Train Station | Supplemental Guide Sign –  green | Type | An airport\* or ferry must be for public use and be shown on the Ohio Transportation Map. A heliport, bus station, or train station must have regularly scheduled departures and/or arrivals. | | | \* Maximum distance from interchange may be extended to 15 miles for each category for commercial airports. |
| Maximum distance from interchange | 5 miles | 7 miles | 10 miles |
| College, University, Post High School Educational Institute | Supplemental Guide Sign –  green | Curriculum | Must be duly accredited. Must offer at least two years instruction and offer at least an Associate Degree. | | |  |
| Full time enrollment on physical campus | 4,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | Part-time and blended course students on a 2 for 1 basis may be used in meeting this criterion. 100% online course students may not be used to meet the criterion |
| Maximum distance from interchange | 5 miles | 7 miles | 10 miles | Distance requirement may be waived by the DDD. |
| Joint Vocational School | Supplemental Guide Sign –  green | Annual adult enrollment on physical campus | 11,000 | 8,000 | 5,000 | Total adult attendance for all courses on campus in a year. Online attendance may not be used to meet the criterion. |
| Maximum distance from interchange | 1 mile | 3 miles | 5 miles |  |
| Major Military Installation | Supplemental Guide Sign –  green | Number of employees or permanently assigned personnel | 5,000 | 5,000 | 5,000 |  |
| Maximum distance from interchange | 3 miles | 4 miles | 5 miles |

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| Amusement Park, Arena, Auditorium, Convention Hall, Dam, Historical Site, Museum, Stadium, Zoo | Supplemental Guide Sign –  brown | Annual attendance | 200,000 plus 20,000 per mile of distance from interchange | | 100,000 plus 10,000 per mile of distance from interchange |  |
| Maximum distance from interchange | 10 miles | 10 miles | 10 miles |
| Recreation Area | Supplemental Guide Sign –  brown | Annual attendance | 200,000 plus 20,000 per mile of distance from interchange | | 100,000 plus 10,000 per mile of distance from interchange |  |
| Maximum distance from interchange | 10 miles | 10 miles | 15 miles |  |
| Fairground, Racetrack,  Casino | Supplemental Guide Sign –  brown | Annual attendance for permanent signs | 200,000 | 200,000 | 200,000 |  |
| Event attendance for temporary signs | 20,000 plus 2,000 per mile of distance from interchange | | |
| Maximum distance from interchange | 10 miles | 10 miles | 15 miles |
| Law Enforcement Agency (State, County, Muni. Police) | D12-H16  blue | Maximum distance from interchange | 1 mile | 1 mile | 2 miles |  |
| Toll Highway, Toll Bridge | Supplemental Guide Sign –  green | Location | Direct access from exit and a part of the state highway system. | | |  |
| Central Business District (downtown) | Supplemental Guide Sign –  green | Population | City of 300,000 or more population and no direct access to the downtown area. | | |  |