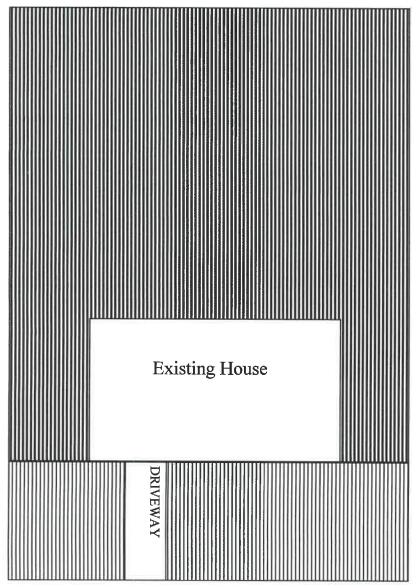


Maximum Fence Height 6 Ft

Maximum Fence Height 4 Ft.

## PROPERTY LINE



RIGHT OF WAY

# **CITY OF BONNER SPRINGS**

# **FENCES**



BUILDING INSPECTION 913.667.1710

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

A fence permit is required for the installation of any new Fence on private or public property. A permit is also required if 50% or more of an existing fence is being replaced or repaired.

Fences must follow height and setback requirements based on their location as described below:

#### **GENERAL RESPONSIBILITIES:**

\*Fences are allowed to be located at the property line. If not located on property line, fence must be 2 feet off property line, for maintenance of fence and yard.

\*It is the responsibility of the property owner to ensure the fence is correctly located on the property. When the location of a property line is unclear, a property survey must be completed **prior** to beginning construction.

\*The type of fence allowed are chain link, wrought iron, vinyl or wood (privacy or picket).

\*Fences may be located on or across utility easements in the side or rear yard; however, the homeowner is responsible for removal and replacement of the fence if access is needed for work in the easement by any organization using the easement.

\*All gates are required to swing in, so as not to obstruct sidewalks or right of ways.

\*The finished board side of the fence must face outward from the property. The posts and beams must be on the inside. The only exception is that if a fence is constructed adjacent to an existing fence, the finished board side may face inward.

#### FRONT YARD:

\*Fences with a maximum 4 foot height may be located in the front yard and on the side, back to the front edge of the house. If you are on a corner lot, sight distance triangle requirements must be met (check with the Codes Department for more information).

### **REAR AND SIDE YARD:**

\*A maximum six (6) foot height fence may be located in the side or rear yard.

#### REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION

1. Complete "Construction Permit Application" which may be obtained at City Hall or online at bonner-springs.org and submit to Building Inspection.

2. Provide two (2) copies of a Site Plan. The Site Plan

should include the following information:

- a. Type of fence
- b. Height of fence
- c. Location of fence on property
- d. Site Plan shall be drawn in accordance with an accurate boundary line survey.

Permit fee of \$50.00

#### PRIOR TO DIGGING

Homeowners/contractor <u>must call for underground</u> <u>locates prior to beginning construction</u>. A 72 hour time frame is required. Call Kansas One Call 1.800.344.7233 for all utility locates.

#### **INSPECTION**

When fence is completed, please call Building Inspection at 913.667.1710 for an inspection of the fence.

The inspection only verifies approved materials and allowable height of fence. The City <u>does not establish</u> <u>property lines, nor does the permit sanction a fence outside of the property line.</u>