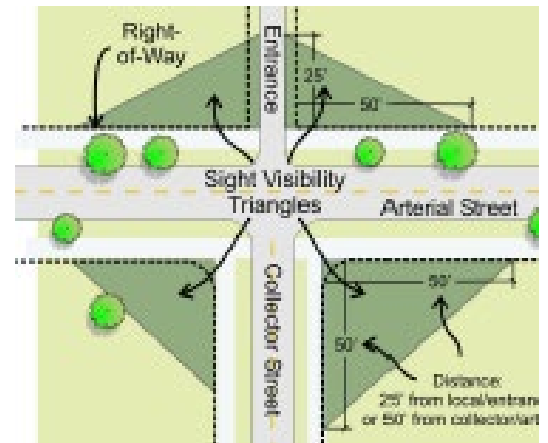


Fences are regulated by the Hendricks County Zoning Ordinance, and section 7.6

Summary

- **No permit is needed to build a fence,**
  - Fences are still subject to the rules and regulations found in County Ordinances.
- **Fences are permitted up to the property line, but must never be placed in any ‘Right Of Way.’**
  - Fences are subject to the ‘sight visibility triangle’ found in the Ordinance (See image.)
- **The finished face must face out.**
- **There are limits on materials, such as no barbed wire.**
- **Fences are limited to 6’ tall in residential areas, and 4’ in front yards,**
  - Fences in front yards must also be 50% opaque.
  - Any yard fronting on a street is a front yard, regardless of the orientation of the building
- **Fences should not be placed in easements,**
  - The easement holder can remove the fence when accessing the easement. Public easements require approval of the County Surveyor and Engineer.



This information is a summary. It is not intended to answer questions about a specific situation. Interested persons should contact the planning & building department office by telephone, 745-9254, or visit the office on the ground floor of the Hendricks county government center, 355 south Washington street, Danville, IN. Office hours are 8:00 am to 4:00 pm, Monday through Friday.