



Department of
Neighborhoods

INSPECTIONS AND PUBLIC SERVICE



HOW TO IDENTIFY & REPORT BANDIT SIGNS!

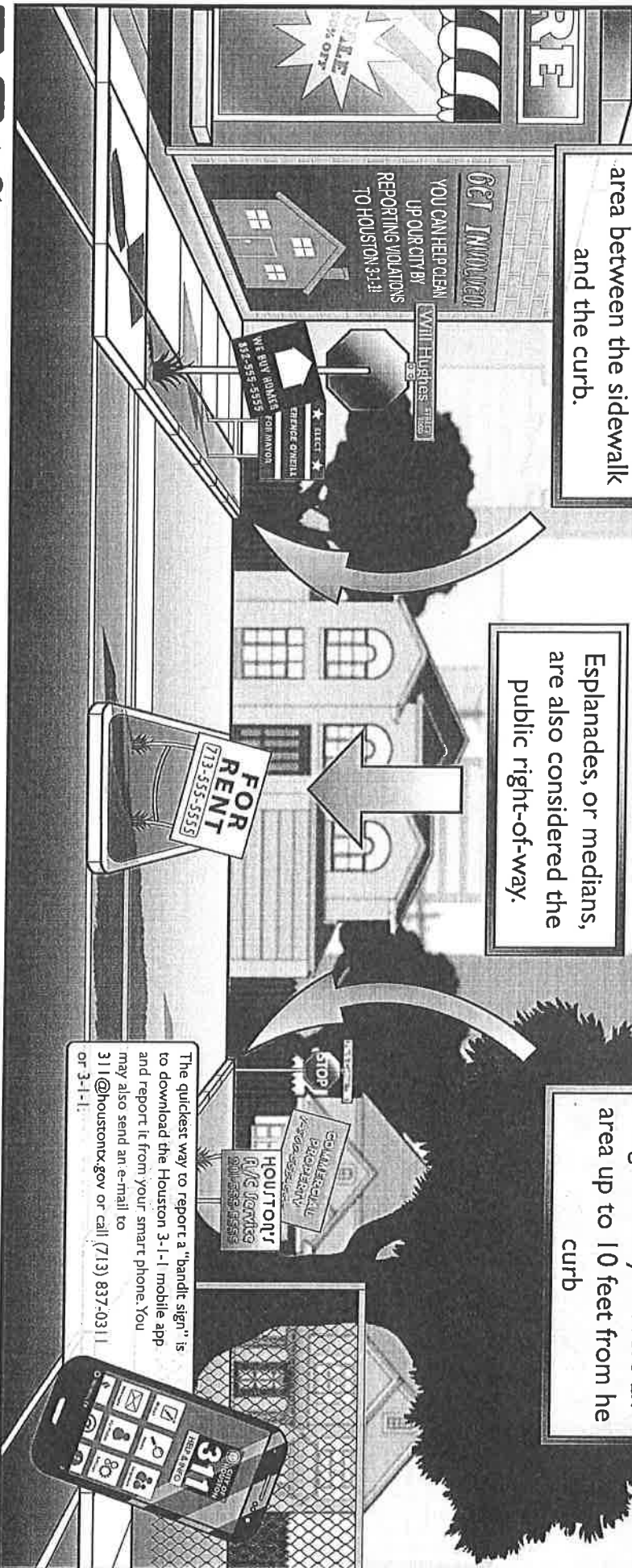
Bandit signs are typically small and placed in large quantities along public spaces such as esplanades. These signs include political, real estate, developer, and garage sale signs, etc. and are placed upon a public street, public sidewalk, public right-of-way, or on any public building or structure of any kind belonging to the city. Below are some examples of bandit signs.

If there is a sidewalk, the "right of way" covers the area between the sidewalk and the curb.

Esplanades, or medians, are also considered the public right-of-way.

If there is no sidewalk, the "right of way" covers an area up to 10 feet from the curb

The quickest way to report a "bandit sign" is to download the Houston 3-1-1 mobile app and report it from your smart phone. You may also send an e-mail to 311@houstonx.gov or call (713) 837-0311 or 3-1-1.



To learn more about our neighborhood code violations, visit us on-line at www.houstonx.gov/ips and join us on social media at [#NeighborHou](https://twitter.com/NeighborHou).

Approved: 2017.07.14