

# POSTING OF REAL PROPERTY

“It shall be unlawful for any person to enter upon any real property posted under the provisions of this subchapter without the written consent of the owner or lessee of the real property.” A.C.A. § 18-11-403(a)(2).

**(1) The following land may be posted**

- forests
- orchards
- pastures
- impoundments
- cultivated land
- other real property

**(2) Who may post property**

- The owner or lessee

**(3) Ways to post property**

**(A) Forest Land**

(1) SIGNS – placed not more than 100 feet apart and at each road entrance. The signs shall bear the words “*POSTED*” and/or “*NO TRESPASSING*” in letters at least 4 inches high. The signs shall be readily visible to any person approaching the property.

(2) PAINT – vertical paint marks at least 8 inches in length shall be placed on trees or posts no more than 100 feet apart and at each road entrance. The paint marks shall be not less than 3 feet nor more than 5 feet high, and shall be readily visible to any person approaching the property.

**(B) Cultivated Land, Orchards, Pasture Land, Impoundments, Other Same** as (1) and (2) above but the distance between signs or paint mark is no more than 1000 feet apart.

**(4) Posting Paint**

Posting paint is a purple, semi-paste, tree marking paint which meets or exceeds the following specifications:

<b>Pigment</b>		<b>62.6%</b>
Titanium Dioxide	22.2%	
Calcium Carbonate	77.8%	
	<b>100.0%</b>	
<b>Vehicle</b>		<b>37.4%</b>
Oleoresinus Vehicle	47.2%	
Petroleum Solvents	45.4%	
Driers, wetting agents, and tinting materials	7.4%	
	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

**(5) Availability of Posting Paint**

Any manufacturer of paint may manufacture this posting paint, provided the manufacturer adheres to the designated formula.

The following paint manufacturers are able to produce a purple semi-paste tree marking paint:

- (1) Anchor Paint Manufacturing Company  
Little Rock, AR (501-374-2852)
- (2) Nelson Paint Company; Montgomery,  
AL (1-800-236-9278)
- (3) NCP Coatings Inc., Sumter, SC  
(1-888-827-6637 toll free)
- (4) The Home Depot Store  
(1-800-553-3199)  
([www.homedepot.com](http://www.homedepot.com)) } To find a store near you

**DISCLAIMER STATEMENT:**

The AFC does not require any landowners to use the manufacturers listed. There may be other posting paint manufacturers. No endorsement is intended or made of any manufacturer.

The Arkansas Forestry Commission prescribes the type and color of posting paint. The Arkansas Forestry Commission does not enforce the Posting Law.

Any person who knowingly paints the prescribed color on any tree or post for any purpose other than posting real property shall be guilty of a Class B misdemeanor. ACA § 18-11-406(a)(2).

It shall be unlawful for any person to post any lands which the person does not own or lease except with the written permission of the owner or lessee. Violators shall be guilty of a Class B misdemeanor. ACA § 18-11-406(b).