



How Many “No Trespassing” Signs Do You Need? Checklist

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To aid many of you in determining how many “No Trespassing” signs you need to hang along your property, I’ve developed a simple checklist to aid you in this process.

1. Understand your property lines:
 - a. Does the property have street access? _____(Yes/No). If Yes how many sides does the property have street access on? _____;
 - b. Does the property adjoin other property? _____ (Yes/No);
 - c. Does the property have water access (does it have a river, stream, or creek running through it or does it have other water access)? _____ (Yes/No).
2. Determine all the points to enter your property at (is there a gate off the road, spot to access from water, spot neighbors like to use to cut between properties, etc).
_____ (Insert number of access points here).
3. Will you need additional signs to help keep public aware that property is posted with no trespassing signs? _____ (Insert Number here). Remember to keep in mind spots that will make a sign easily seen from.
4. Add #2 and #3 together to get the total number of “No Trespassing” signs you will need to hang.

There is no magic number here, it will be something more than 1, but will depend on the characteristics of your property. The goal is to have enough signs hung to put your neighbors and others on notice that trespassing is not permitted.