

Wellington Park Mailbox Standards

1. Mailbox Construction Requirements:

- a. All mailboxes must meet USPS standards. A mailbox with the Postmaster General's (PMG) seal of approval meets USPS size and construction standards. If you build your own mailbox or buy a custom-made one, it must meet the PMG standards.
- b. The house number must be positioned visibly on the front or flag side of the mailbox in digits that are at least 1 inch tall.
- c. Mailbox must be placed 6 to 8 inches away from the curb. The incoming mail slot or door must be 41 to 45 inches from the ground.
- d. Mailbox post should be made from metal, composite material, or wood 4"x4" or 6"x6".
- e. Full mailbox construction standards can be found at [USPS.com](https://www.usps.com).

2. Mailbox Care and Maintenance Requirements:

- a. Mailbox must be operable (i.e. - door must close, flag must operate).
- b. Mailbox must be secure to the post, and the post must not be leaning or loose in the ground.
- c. Mailbox and post must be free of mold, mildew, rust, peeling paint and rot.
- d. House numbers that are missing must be replaced and visible as outlined in the construction standards.
- e. Mailboxes and posts that are beyond meeting standards with maintenance and care must be replaced at the homeowner's expense.