Monterey Municipal Code Section 38-189.D. requires the installation of story poles and orange netting whenever a project includes construction greater than one story or an increase of height to an existing building. The purpose of story poles and orange netting is to demonstrate the proposed mass of the project, to reveal view impacts resulting from the project and to inform the Architectural Review process. The following rules govern the installation of story poles:

- The story poles and orange netting must be installed at least ten days before the public meeting of the ARC and must identify the three major roof components: ridge, rake, and eave with 18” orange netting, which is available at most hardware stores.
- Story poles, netting or supports may not be attached to trees or utility poles.
- If safety concerns, such as inclement weather, make the installation of story poles hazardous, an applicant should inform staff. An alternative method of conveying the project can be considered.

The following illustrations demonstrate the required elements of story-poles:

*Story poles and orange netting must be retained for the entire ten-day appeal period following the public meeting. After this period, they should be removed.