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# Nolensville Fire Marshal's Office

# 2023-01 Fire Prevention Standards

## **DISCLAIMER**

These Standards may change without notice. Whenever applicable statutes, regulations and standards are updated and adopted, the latest shall apply. Please contact the Fire Marshal's Office at (615) 776-6689 to determine if these standards have changed. These requirements do not exempt any individual from complying with other applicable state, county, or city codes and Standards.

### **Submittal**

Submit plans as a digital copy either on a jump drive, online share, or emailed to <u>mlupo@nolensvilletn.gov</u>

- The entire project, including all roadways or fire department access, property lines, and buildings.
- Detailed plans including all underground fire mains, fire sprinklers, fire alarm systems, and any other fire safety component locations.
- A Life Safety Plan must be included if applicable with travel distance and egress.
- Building square footage, construction type, occupancy type, and occupancy load.
- Hydraulic calculations for all designed areas if applicable.
- Manufacturer's specification sheets for life safety materials and equipment.

#### **Applicable Base Codes**

- NFPA 101 Life Safety Code 2018 Edition.
- International Fire Code 2018 Edition.
- NFPA 13, 13R, & 13D

### Fire Department (FD) Access

- FD access 20' clear width, 13'-6" height. 18' width with mountable curbs.
- Turnarounds for dead ends 150' or more in length.
- Cul-de-sac minimum inside diameter 96'.
- Hammerhead with 120' total length.
- FD access minimum right hand turn radius 28'.
- If the building is over 30' in height and setback more than 50' from the paved FD access, provide a fire lane.
- Gates provide sufficient access width (20') and height (13'6'').
- Gates provided with emergency vehicle access.
- Knox Key Box required on all commercial buildings near front door between five feet (5') and six feet (6') high.
- Address identification in 4" numbers or letters above the door.

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### **Underground Fire Mains**

- Fire hydrants every 500' along roadways or fire department access.
- Remote FDC located on street side of the structure near an entrance.
- FDC located minimum twenty feet (20') off of the structure.
- FDC located no greater than one hundred feet (100') from an FD access road.
- FDC located a minimum of thirty-six inch (36") off of the back of curb with vehicle impact protection.
- FDC located within one hundred feet (100') of a hydrant.
- Thirty-six-inch (36") clearance around the FDC.
- FDC supplied with one (1) four-inch (4") Storz connections.
- FDC head between eighteen inch (18") and forty-eight inch (48") above finished grade.
- No Fence obstruction to hydrants, hose lay distance, FDC, or egress path.
- A fire line with both a hydrant and a FDC must have the hydrant on the main side of the FDC

### **Inspections**

All underground fire protection systems, fire sprinkler systems, fire alarm systems, and other fire life safety related inspections must be scheduled through the Fire Marshal's Office at 615-719-3102

## Inspection, Testing, and Maintenance

All reports for ITM must be submitted by the service provider through Inspection Reports Online. www.InspectionReportsOnline.net

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