Fire Prevention Division			
FIRE PROTECTION EQUIPMENT IDENTIFICATION	PAGE	1 of 1	Revised: 4/19/2013
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PURPOSE

The purpose of this regulation is to ensure that fire protection system equipment locations are identified so as to be readily visible to emergency responders. Dependent on the location of fire protection system equipment, additional directional signage may be required.

REGULATION

SIGN SPECIFICATION

<u>Signs</u>: The sign shall be constructed of .080 gauge aluminum and shall be of such size to accommodate the minimum letter/number size. The signs shall be permanently installed.

<u>Building Interior Signs</u>: Signs required to be installed in the building interior shall be reflective to assist emergency responders with immediate visibility in the event of power failure.

Building Exterior Signs: Signs required to be installed on the exterior of a building are not required to be reflective.

<u>Letters/Numbers</u>: The letters/numbers shall be a minimum of 4" high with 3/4" brushstroke, in a color contracting to the sign's background (e.g., white on red). When exposed to weather elements, the letters/numbers shall be of weather-resistant materials.

LOCATIONS

<u>Fire Risers</u>: *Interior and exterior* doors leading into rooms or areas containing the fire sprinkler system's riser shall be identified as **FIRE RISER**.

<u>Fire Department Connections (FDC):</u> FDC's shall be required to be marked to identify the building/area served when located remote from the building; multiple FDC's are installed in the same proximity; and FDC serves more than one building or area.

<u>Fire Alarm Control Panel (FACP)</u>: Doors leading to rooms or areas containing the fire alarm control panel shall be identified as **FACP**.

<u>Fire Riser and FACP</u>: Interior doors leading to rooms or areas containing the fire sprinkler system riser and FACP shall be identified as follows:

(example)
FIRE RISER
FACP