



## SOUTH KING FIRE

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# FIRE PROTECTION EQUIPMENT IDENTIFICATION

## FIRE PREVENTION GUIDELINES

### SCOPE AND PURPOSE

To provide a policy for Fire Protection Equipment Identification within the City of Federal Way and the City of Des Moines.

### CODE AUTHORITY

International Fire Code (IFC)

### SPECIAL PROVISIONS

1. New and existing rooms containing controls for fire-protection equipment such as: Fire sprinkler risers, fire pump rooms and valves, or other fire detection, suppression or control elements shall be identified for the use of the fire department.
2. Approved signs required to identify fire protection equipment and equipment location shall be constructed of durable materials, permanently installed and readily visible. Approved signs include, but are not limited to: **Fire Sprinkler Riser Room, Fire Alarm Panel, Fire Command Center, Fire Pump Room, Fire Alarm Control Room, etc.**

Exterior Sign Specifications	Interior Sign Specifications
All dimensions are minimums. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• May be plastic or metal</li> <li>• Red REFLECTIVE background</li> <li>• 2" White lettering</li> <li>• 1" space between rows</li> </ul>	All dimensions are minimums. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• May be plastic or metal</li> <li>• Red background (<i>need not be reflective</i>)</li> <li>• 1" White lettering</li> <li>• ¾" space between rows</li> </ul>

**Note:** Signage for Mechanical Rooms, Roof Access, Electrical Rooms, etc. may be of building standard design.

FIRE SPRINKLER  
RISER ROOM

FIRE ALARM  
PANEL

DAS RADIO  
SYSTEM

FIRE PUMP  
ROOM

FIRE SPRINKLER  
RISER ROOM



KLER

1"

2"

1"

OM

*The example to the right shows the bottom right corner of an exterior riser room sign enlarged with detailed letter dimensions and spacing.*