



CITY OF MADISON FIRE DEPARTMENT

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Project Address:

Contact Name & Phone #:

FIRE APPARATUS ACCESS AND FIRE HYDRANT WORKSHEET

1. Is the building completely protected by an NFPA 13 or 13R automatic fire sprinkler system?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
If non-sprinklered , fire lanes extend to within 150-feet of all portions of the exterior wall?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
If sprinklered , fire lanes are within 250-feet of all portions of the exterior wall?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A

2. Is the fire lane constructed of concrete or asphalt, designed to support a minimum load of 85,000 lbs?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
a) Is the fire lane a minimum unobstructed width of at least 20-feet?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
b) Is the fire lane unobstructed with a vertical clearance of at least 13½-feet?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
c) Is the minimum inside turning radius of the fire lane at least 28-feet?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
d) Is the grade of the fire lane not more than a slope of 8%?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
e) Is the fire lane posted as fire lane?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
a. Is a detail of the signage included on the site plan?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
f) Is a roll-able curb used as part of the fire lane?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
a. Is a detail of the curb included on the site plan?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
g) Is part of a sidewalk used as part of the required fire lane?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
a. Is the sidewalk constructed to withstand 85,000-lbs?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A

3. Is the fire lane obstructed by security gates or barricades? If yes:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
a) Is the gate a minimum of 20-feet clear opening?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
b) Is an approved means of emergency operations installed, key vault, padlock or key switch?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A

4. Is the Fire lane dead-ended with a length greater than 150-feet?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
If yes, is the area for turning around fire apparatus provided by:			
a) A cul-de-sac with a minimum inside diameter of 70-feet?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
b) A 45-degree wye with a minimum length of 60-feet per side?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
c) A 90-degree tee with a minimum length of 60-feet per side?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A

5. Is any portion of the building to be used for high-piled storage in accordance with IFC Chapter 23?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
If yes, see IFC 2306.6 for further requirements.			

6. Is any part of the building <u>greater than 30-feet</u> above the lowest level of fire apparatus access?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
If yes, answer the following questions:			
a) Is the aerial apparatus fire lane parallel to one entire side of the building?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
b) Is the near edge of the aerial apparatus fire lane between 15' and 30' from the building?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
c) Are there any overhead power or utility lines located across the aerial apparatus fire lane?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
d) Does the aerial apparatus fire lane have a minimum unobstructed width of 26-feet?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A

7. Are all portions of the exterior walls of the building within 500-feet of at least (2) hydrants?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
<i>Note: Distances shall be measured along the path of the hose lay as it comes off the fire apparatus.</i>			
a) Is the fire lane at least 26' wide for at least 20-feet on each side of the hydrants?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
b) Is there at least 40' between a hydrant and the building?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
c) Are the hydrant(s) setback no less than 5-feet nor more than 10-feet from the curb or edge of the street or fire lane?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
d) Are hydrants located in parking lot islands a minimum of 3½-feet from the hydrant to the curb?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
e) Are there no obstructions, including but not limited to: power poles, trees, bushes, fences, posts located, or grade changes exceeding 1½-feet, within 5-feet of a fire hydrant?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A

Note: Hydrants shall be installed and in-service prior to combustible construction on the project site.

Attach an additional sheet if further explanation is required for any answers.

This worksheet is based on **MGO 34.20** and **IFC 2006 Edition Chapter 5 and Appendix D**; please see the codes for further information.