

34.19 FIRE APPARATUS ACCESS ROADS.

(1) Fire Lanes on Public or Private Property Devoted to Public Use.

The following requirements are in addition to the requirements in IFC Section 503.1:

- (a) The marking of fire lanes on public or private property devoted to public use shall be approved by the Chief.
- (b) Obstructing fire lanes shall be prohibited at all times, including the accumulation of snow.
- (c) General Requirements:
 - 1. Fire lanes shall be established on public or private property devoted to public use where the parking of motor vehicles or other obstructions may interfere with the ingress and egress of Fire Department vehicles, personnel and equipment for the protection of persons and property.
 - 2. At least two (2) exterior walls of each building shall be available for Fire Department access. The Chief may consider alternative designs that ensure adequate access for fire apparatus, equipment and personnel.
- (d) Any person who violates any provision of this subsection or fails to comply with any of its requirements shall upon conviction thereof forfeit not less than twenty-five dollars (\$25) nor more than two hundred dollars (\$200).

(2) Surface of Fire Apparatus Access Roads.

The following requirements are in addition to the requirements in IFC Section 503.2.3:

Fire lanes shall be designed to support the imposed loads of fire apparatus and shall be constructed of asphalt or concrete.

(3) Grade of Fire Apparatus Access Roads.

The following requirements are in addition to the requirements in IFC Section 503.2.7:

The grade shall not exceed a slope of 8%.