





# Fire Alarm Permit Application Checklist

All of the following information is required and must be submitted. Checking off each item as you prepare your application package will ensure your package is complete and will help to expedite the permitting process.

## Complete and submit the following

- Design complies with City Code Ch. 10 and Fire Department Regulations Ch 5: \_\_\_\_\_
- Life Safety Code Occupancy Classification: business occupancy
- A formal code analysis may be required depending on the complexity of the property: \_\_\_\_\_
- Is the top occupiable floor of the building greater than 75 ft. above the lowest level of fire department access (high-rise)? NA
- Is this new work or a renovation to an existing system? new
- Name of company providing programming and certification of system Protection Professionals  
(see <http://www.portlandmaine.gov/fireprevention/firealarmcompanies.asp> for approved companies):
- Vectored pdf plans and documents included
- Accurate scalable floor plan(s) \_\_\_\_\_
- Reflected ceiling or electrical plans are not acceptable. The plans shall be represent only the fire alarm system
- Each plan shall have a graphic scale
- Each plan shall have a 3 in. x 3 in. space reserved in the top right hand corner for city approval stamp
- Each plan shall have FA and a sheet number and a descriptive tile on it
- Each sheet shall be saved as a separate file and named the sheet number and title (ex. *FA-01 First Floor*, *FA-04 Wiring Diagram*, etc.)
- In order to review revisions to previously submitted plans, each revision shall have the same file name as the previous version
- Each document shall be a separate file with a descriptive file name
- An example of one document and file is a four page data sheet for one smoke detector
- Designer qualifications (copy of NICET IV certificate or stamped plans and documents)
- Scope of work
- Wiring diagram(s)
- Annunciator details
- Operations matrix

- Battery and voltage calculations
- Equipment data sheets
- A city electrical permit has been pulled

**Master Box Approval (complete all items for approval)**

- Is this check list applicable?
- Will a master box be installed? Not applicable
- AES approved installing contractor? \_\_\_\_\_
- Documentation of AES approval: \_\_\_\_\_
- Property Owner? \_\_\_\_\_
- Property Owner Billing Address? \_\_\_\_\_
- Property common name: \_\_\_\_\_
- E-911 Address for protected premises: \_\_\_\_\_
- Life Safety Code Occupancy Classification: \_\_\_\_\_
- Emergency contact name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Emergency contact phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_
- Additional emergency contact phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_
- Number of stories protected? \_\_\_\_\_
- Number of square feet of structure protected? \_\_\_\_\_
- Is the building protected by a supervised, automatic sprinkler system? yes

\* See Applicant Submittal Requirements for Electronic Plan Review.

Separate permits are required for internal and external plumbing, & electrical installations. For questions on Fire Department requirements call the Fire Prevention Officer at (207) 874-8405. Please submit all of the information outlined in this application checklist. If the application is incomplete, the application may be refused.

In order to be sure the City fully understands the full scope of the project, the Planning and Development Department may request additional information prior to the issuance of a permit. For further information or to download copies of this form and other applications visit the Inspections Division on-line at [www.portlandmaine.gov](http://www.portlandmaine.gov), or stop by the Inspections Division office, room 315 City Hall or call 874-8703.

**This is not a Permit; you may not commence any work until the Permit is issued.**



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## **Electronic Signature and Fee Payment Confirmation**

*Notice: Your electronic signature is considered a legal signature per state law.*

By digitally signing the attached document(s), you are signifying your understanding this is a legal document and your electronic signature is considered a **legal signature** per Maine state law. You are also signifying your intent on paying your fees by the opportunities below.

I, the undersigned, intend and acknowledge that no permit application can be reviewed until payment of appropriate permit fees are **paid in full** to the Inspections Office, City of Portland Maine by method noted below:

Within 24-48 hours, once my complete permit application and corresponding paperwork has been electronically delivered, I intend to **call the Inspections Office** at 207-874-8703 and speak to an administrative representative and provide a credit/debit card over the phone.

Within 24-48 hours, once my permit application and corresponding paperwork has been electronically delivered, I intend to **hand deliver** a payment method to the Inspections Office, Room 315, Portland City Hall.

I intend to deliver a payment method through the U.S. Postal Service mail once my permit paperwork has been electronically delivered.

Applicant Signature:

Date:

I have provided digital copies and sent them on:

Date:

NOTE: All electronic paperwork must be delivered to [buildinginspections@portlandmaine.gov](mailto:buildinginspections@portlandmaine.gov) or by physical means ie; a thumb drive or CD to the office.

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