

LONDON GROVE TOWNSHIP

FIRE LANE MARKING POLICY

Section 1. Scope

The Fire Marshal is authorized by section 503.3 of the 2012 International Fire Code, as adopted by Ordinance 92 of 2004 to require the placement of approved signs and other approved notices for the identification of fire lanes. The purpose of this policy is to provide guidelines.

Section 2. Definitions

Fire Lane: A Fire Access Road as defined and required by Chapter 5 of the 2012 International Fire Code.

Section 3. Signs

Fire lanes shall be marked with permanent “NO PARKING – FIRE LANE” and shall be at least twelve inches (12”) wide and eighteen (18) inches high. Signs shall have minimum two inch (2”) red letters and border on a white reflective background. Signs shall be permanently affixed to a stationary post, and installed six feet (6’), six inches (6”) above the finished grade. Signs shall be spaced not more than one hundred feet (100’) apart.

Examples of Signs:



Section 4. Pavement Markings

Fire Lanes shall be marked with the words “Fire” and “Lane”, perpendicular to the edge of the roadway. The lettering shall be white and minimum of three feet (3’) in height. On one-way the word “fire” and word “Lane” shall be a maximum of three (3) times the height of the letters. Markings shall be maximum of 100’ between the outside edge of each marking.