

# Wellfleet Fire Department



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## HOUSE NUMBERING

The Wellfleet Fire Department reminds residents that street address numbering is required on all residential and commercial buildings by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts (per MGL Ch.148, S. 59) and by Wellfleet General Bylaws, Article VII, Section 43.

We require that numbers of no less than 3” (preferably 4”) be attached to the house or business so that they are **clearly** visible from the street.

If it’s not possible to see numbers on the structure because of distance or obstruction, we require that numbers also be attached to both sides of a post or sign at the end of the driveway so that they may be seen by emergency vehicles approaching from either direction.

We recommend that numbers be reflective and in a color which will clearly contrast with the material they are attached to.

These requirements and recommendations will help our emergency personnel find your house more quickly.