



Town of Manchester FIRE MARSHAL'S Office

F.D.C. MARKING



To aid firefighters in locating important systems, the Manchester Fire Marshal's Office requires an approved sign marking the location of the Fire Department Connection on buildings with a fire sprinkler system.

Connecticut Fire Safety Code, Part III, Section 912.2.2 - Existing buildings. *On existing buildings, wherever the fire department connection is not visible to approaching fire apparatus, the fire department connection shall be indicated by an approved sign mounted on the street front or on the side of the building. Such sign shall have the letters "FDC" at least 6 inches (152 mm) high and words in letters at least 2 inches (51 mm) high or an arrow to indicate the location. All such signs shall be subject to the approval of the fire code official.*



Signs should adhere to the size requirements specified above, and should match one of the two color schemes depicted above (**RED** letters on **WHITE** background, or **WHITE** letters on **RED** background). Connections in obscure locations might require arrows or additional text to indicate the location. Please consult our office for specific text requirements and mounting locations.

Signs are available for purchase from several different vendors both locally and online.



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