



5.0 Fire Lane Markings

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- All fire lanes and access roads must be marked with signs indicating “No Parking Fire Lane” as described in the specifications on file at the Fire Marshal's Office. Said specifications shall include, but are not limited to, the following:
 - Signs shall measure 12 inches by 18 inch and have red letters on a white reflective background.
 - Signs must be metal construction only. Plastic or wooden signs are not acceptable.
 - Signs shall be mounted at a minimum height of four feet to the maximum of seven feet.
 - Signs shall be placed along the fire lane at intervals not to exceed 50 feet and as designated by the fire code official.
 - Signs shall be placed on both sides of the lane when striping is required on both sides of the lane by the North Carolina Fire Code.
 - Outlining or painting the fire lane on the roadway surfaces shall be done in yellow, red, and white with contrasting letters that read “FIRE LANE” 2 ft. X 8 Ft. Long at 50 foot intervals and/or as specified otherwise directed by the fire official. Striping shall be a minimum of 5" in width."
 - Existing fire lanes shall continue in effect as installed until such time as they are in need of re-stripping due to wear or re-paving.



