



# Importance of House Numbers

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## The Importance of House Numbers

House numbers are not only convenient for finding addresses but necessary for emergency responders to locate those in need.

When responding to an emergency, minutes matter so be sure that fire, ambulance, and police personnel can easily and quickly find your address.

If the numbers on your house are not visible or easy to read, it will take emergency personnel longer to reach you. Those extra minutes spent trying to locate a property can mean the difference between life and death. So take the time now to be sure your house numbers can be seen from the street to help emergency responders find you faster.

## Building Number Code

**Each building in the corporate limits of the city shall have its assigned building number properly displayed.**

1. The building address number shall be affixed to the building front or facade as defined in section 9-370 or to a separate structure such as both sides of a mailbox, post, wall, fence or other visible and commonly used area in such a manner so as to be clearly visible and legible and without obstruction from the public or private way on which the building fronts.
2. Any numbers which are not clearly visible and legible from the public or private way shall not be used.
3. The numerals shall be of a contrasting color with the immediate background of the building or structure on which such numerals are affixed and shall be not less than three inches in height and one-half inch in width.
4. Numerals shall be made of a durable weather-resistant material permanently affixed to the front of the building or structure.