



SKAGIT COUNTY FIRE MARSHAL

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LIFE SAFETY AND FIRE INSPECTION

Inspection # 1 2 3 Final

BUSINESS NAME: _____ DATE: _____ TIME: _____

ADDRESS: _____ BUSINESS REPRESENTATIVE: _____

PHONE: _____ INSPECTOR: _____

The items checked below need your attention:

A. EXITS

- 1. Remove unapproved locks or latches from exit doors. (1008.1.9.3.1) (IFC 1008.1.10)
- 2. Unlock all exit doors during business hours. (1008.1.9.3)
- 3. Remove obstructions from exits, aisles, corridors and stairways. (1008.6)
- 4. Repair or maintain exit doors and hardware to operate properly. (1008.1.10)
- 5. Remove storage from beneath exit stairs. (315.3.2)
- 6. Provide exit signs with letters at least 6" high on a contrasting background. (1011.6)
- 7. "This Door To Remain Unlocked When Building Is Occupied" signage needed. (IFC 1008.1.8.3)

B. EXIT LIGHTING

- 8. Repair lighted exit signs or emergency lighting. (IFC 1011.2/1006.1)
- 9. Provide lighting for exits, aisles, corridors and stairways. 1006.1

C. FIRE EXTINGUISHERS

- 10. Provide extinguisher(s) of a minimum rating. (IFC 906.1)
- 11. Mount extinguishers where readily available, not more than 5' above floor. (IFC 906.9)
- 12. Post signs indicating location where extinguishers are not readily visible. (IFC 906.5)
- 13. Portable fire extinguishers were due for annual maintenance. Need to have maintenance performed within the next 30 days. (IFC 901.6 NFPA 10)

D. FIRE PROTECTION ACCESS AND EQUIPMENT

- 14. Provide minimum 5" high address numbers so they are visible from the street fronting the building. (IFC 505.1)
- 15. Remove obstruction and provide access in fire lanes. Maintain/provide fire lane signage. (503.3)
- 16. Maintain access to and operation of standpipes, fire hose, sprinkler valves, fire hydrants, fire extinguishers and other fire protection equipment. (507.5.4)
- 17. The system(s) is/are due for confidence testing and certification. Need to have done within the next 30 days. (901.6.1/901.6)
- 18. Provide and maintain smoke detectors in proper operating condition. (907.9.5)
- 19. Install approved protective covers on fire department hose connection. (NFPA 13.6.8.2)
- 20. Type 1 Commercial Hood w/UL300 Suppression system or equivalent is required. (IFC 609.2/IMC 507.1)

E. FIRE SEPARATIONS

- 21. Remove obstructions from fire doors and maintain to operate properly. (703.2)
- 22. Seal unapproved opening with approved material. (703.1)
- 23. Keep attic and scuttle covers closed, and ceiling tiles in place. (703.1.3)

F. HOUSEKEEPING

- 24. Remove or store rubbish, waste material and oily rags in closed metal containers. (304.3.1)
- 25. Clean grease filters and hood/duct system over cooking equipment. (609.3.3)
- 26. Provide approved waste containers for combustible waste. (315.2.3)
- 27. Arrange storage in an orderly manner to provide for exiting and fire department access. (315.3)
- 28. Remove storage to at least 18" below level of sprinklers (36" for storage piled over 12" high). (315.3.1)
- 29. Reduce storage height to at least 2' below ceiling. (315.2.1)
- 30. Boiler, mechanical and electrical panel rooms shall not be used for storage. (315.3.3)
- 31. Move the dumpster at least 5' from the building or overhang. (304.3.3)
- 32. Post and enforce "No Smoking" signs. (310.3)
- 33. Chain all compressed gas cylinders in an upright position and provide protective caps. (3003.5.3)

G. FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS

- 34. Storage in excess of 10 gallons shall be in an approved cabinet. (5704.3.4.4)
- 35. Use only approved safety cans for portable dispensing of flammable liquids. (5705.1)
- 36. Store liquids away from exits, aisles, corridors or stairways. (5704.3.3.3)
- 37. Discontinue pouring from containers exceeding 5 gallons or provide a pump taking suction from top. (5705.2.5)

H. ELECTRICAL

- 38. Discontinue use of extension cords in lieu of permanent wiring. (IFC 605.5)
- 39. Each outlet box shall have a cover faceplate or fixture canopy. (IFC 605.6)
- 40. Maintain at least 30" clearance in front of electrical panel. (IFC 605.3)
- 41. Maintain wiring in good condition and protect from damage. (IFC 605.6)
- 42. Discontinue use of non-approved multi-plug adapters. (IFC 605.4/NFPA 70)
- 43. Microwave must be plugged in to a dedicated outlet. (605.7)
- 44. Refrigerator must be plugged in to a dedicated outlet. (605.7)
- 45. Discontinue the daisy chains of plugstrips &/or extension cords. (IFC 605.4.2)
- 46. Electric portable heaters shall be plugged directly into an approved receptacle. (IFC 605.10.2)

I. MISCELLANEOUS

- 47. Occupant capacity signage must be posted near main entrance and kept visible. (IFC 1004.3)

I HAVE RECEIVED A COPY OF THIS FORM AND AGREE TO CORRECT ANY VIOLATIONS NOTED ON IT BEFORE THE RE-INSPECTION

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REMARKS: _____

CONGRATULATIONS. At the time of our visit, none of the fire safety hazards listed above was identified.

This fire prevention survey was made for the purpose of promoting fire safety and correcting conditions which may cause or contribute to a fire. It contains a list of items that must be corrected to bring the safety conditions up to the minimum standards prescribed by County Ordinances and International Codes adopted by Skagit County.

***** A follow up inspection will be made on or about _____, 20_____

If you have any questions, please call (360) 336-9410 between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

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