

FIRE HYDRANT(S).

Installation and maintenance standards

Private fire hydrants and water mains shall be installed in accordance with NFPA 24 and the Village of Somers Water Utility. Private fire hydrants and water mains shall be maintained in accordance with NFPA 25. An Approved water hydrant, "An approved water hydrant" shall mean a water hydrant connected to a municipal water main, and the hydrant shall have one five inch (5") Storz connection and two two-and-five-tenths-inch connections. The connecting waterline between the municipal water main and the approved water hydrant shall not be less than six inches. The center of the lowest outlet cap of the yard fire hydrants shall be at least eighteen (18in) inches above grade and not more than twenty-three (23in) inches above grade. All water hydrants shall be installed in such a manner and location so as to be accessible at all times to the Fire Department.

16.24 FIRE HYDRANT(S).

(A) A minimum of one (1) fire hydrant (approved), as defined in §16.30, shall be installed on all properties where a sprinkler system or standpipe system is installed.

(1) This hydrant shall be located remote from the building and curbside to a street or driveway capable of providing safe access for fire department vehicles.

(2) The minimum distance from the building shall be equal to the height of the building plus ten (10) feet.

(B) Additional hydrant(s) shall be provided around the perimeter of the building so that no two (2) hydrants are more than three hundred (300) feet apart measured by normal access routes.

(C) All fire hydrant locations shall be approved by the Fire Department, a fire hydrant containing at least one five (5) inch Storz connection and at least two (2) two and one-half (2.5) inch outlets having national standard threads shall be installed in compliance with the requirements of the Village of Somers and NFPA. All fire hydrants shall be installed in such a manner and location so as to be accessible at all times to the Fire Department.

(D) All fire hydrants within the commercial development shall be capable of providing a minimum of one thousand five hundred (1500) gpm at twenty (20) psig. (Rev.

