

Schedule B - Fire routes (By-law No. 2003-499)

Authorized signs

1. Unless otherwise specifically required pursuant to an approval of a fire route in accordance with the Fire Protection and Prevention Act or the Fire Code, the Building Code Act or the Ontario Building Code or a Site Plan Control By-law under the Planning Act, the following requirements shall apply to signs for fire routes:

1. A sign prohibiting parking in a fire route shall,
 1. be not less than 45 centimetres in height and not less than 30 centimetres in width;
 2. bear the markings and message that the area is a fire route where parking is prohibited and include double arrows, except at the ends of a fire route where single arrows shall be included;
 3. include, in black letters of a minimum height of 4.0 cm, the English Language message "FIRE ROUTE" and the French Language message "ROUTES DES POMPIERS", below the message "FIRE ROUTE", and
 4. have the design and dimensions as described in the following Figure:



2. Despite subsection (a), signs of a larger size and pavement or curb markings may be

- required where considered necessary by the Fire Chief to more clearly delineate a fire route.
3. Authorized signs shall be located as shown on a site plan approved by the City, and shall be located no more than 25.0 metres apart unless otherwise specifically approved because of unusual site conditions or fire route configuration, and the lower edge of each sign shall be between 2.0 metres and 2.5 metres above the ground.
 4. Despite the above minimum requirements, any sign which lawfully existed as an authorized and required sign at the date of the passing of this by-law continues to be lawful as an authorized and required sign:
 1. provided it continues to be maintained in accordance with Section 4. of this by-law or
 2. unless such sign has been required to be changed pursuant to an order of the Fire Chief under the Fire Protection and Prevention Act or Fire Code.

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