



Abington Township
Office of the Fire Marshal

1176 Old York Road, Abington, Montgomery County, Pa., 19001
 Phone 267-536-1057 | Fax 215-884-8271 | www.AbingtonPA.gov

Permit Application
Fire Alarm

Fire Alarm System Application

Fire Alarm Systems must be designed and installed in accordance with NFPA 72, Pennsylvania UCC, and Abington Township Adopted Ordinances.

The fire alarm system design and installation shall be by a recognized Fire Alarm Contractor who is an experienced specialist in design and installation of fire alarm systems and holds a current contractor registration in Abington Township.

Fire Alarm Permit* applications must include all of the following information:

Included	Item
	Two sets of registered PA, PE, NICET Level III or IV sealed design documents/prints after an approved Third-Party Plan review
	Two copies of the battery calculation data report
	Cut sheets for all devices, appliances and fixtures to be installed
	Permit application form must be completed and submitted as part of the plan package
	Copy of Workers Compensation Insurance Coverage Information Form
	Certification of insurance must be submitted with Abington Township as the Certificate holder.
	Copy of executed work contract, providing cost and scope of work. <i>Cost of work must be separate from any other work contracted.</i>
	Permit Fee in accordance with the attached fee schedule + \$4.50 State Fee

Third Party Fire Alarm System Plans are to be submitted to an approved Third-Party Agency prior to submission of the application package to the Fire Marshal's Office. A listing of third-party agencies is attached. The Fire Alarm contractor or designee will be responsible to pay any fees required for the review directly to the Third-Party Review Agency.

Fee All required fees including the \$4.50 State Mandate must be paid at time of submittal. Fee Schedule included on page 4

Submittal All required documentation and materials must be submitted as a complete package.

Issuance Work within the scope of this permit is not to begin until the complete permit application has been received, reviewed, and permit issued.

Inspection The Fire Marshal must be contacted to perform all required inspections as outlined by relevant codes and as noted in issued permit during installation of the system. Minimum of 48 hours' notice required to schedule inspections.

Please contact the Fire Marshal's Office with any questions at **267-536-1057**.

*The Fire Alarm System Permit Application can be found online at www.abingtonpa.gov/departments/fire-services/fire-marshal.



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Permit No:

Application

Location	Name <input type="checkbox"/> Building <input type="checkbox"/> Occupant <input type="checkbox"/> Other		Other		
	Address			Unit	
	City		State		Zip
Applicant	<input type="checkbox"/> Same as Property Owner		<input type="checkbox"/> Same as Contractor		
	Name		Title		Phone
	Address			Email	
	Care of	Unit	City	State	Zip
Business Owner	Name			Phone	
	Address			Email	
	Care of	Unit	City	State	Zip
Property Owner	Name			Phone	
	Address			Email	
	Care of	Unit	City	State	Zip
Contractor	Name			Phone	
	Address			Email	
	Care of	Unit	City	State	Zip

Project

Proposed Work	Applicant may be required to provide additional documentation including, but not limited to, two sets of: Plans, battery calculations, specifications, etc. Plans to be sealed by registered PA PE or signed by NICET Level III or greater with Third Party review.			
	Description of Work			
Work Type	<input type="checkbox"/> New System		<input type="checkbox"/> Modification to Existing	

Applicant Signature _____ Date ____ / ____ / ____

Print Name _____ Email _____

The applicant certifies that all information on this application is correct and the work will be completed in accordance with the approved construction documents and PA Act 45 (Uniform Construction Code) and any additional approved building code requirements adopted by the Municipality.

Fee	Est. Cost of Work	\$ _____	Permit Fee	\$ _____ + \$4.50 State Fee = \$ _____
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Township Review (to be completed by Fire Marshal Staff only)

Reviewed By		Date	Approved By		Date
Knox Box	<input type="checkbox"/> Required		<input type="checkbox"/> To Be Installed		<input type="checkbox"/> Secured



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Commercial Plan Review Requirements for Third Party Agency Review

The Township of Abington requires that all commercial projects be reviewed entirely prior to permit submission to the Township. An entire plan review would consist of Building, Electric, Plumbing, Mechanical, Energy, Fire (Sprinkler, Alarm, Suppression System) and Accessibility.

Listed below are four (4) state approved third party agencies that can perform commercial reviews:

Code Inspections, Inc.

603 Horsham Road
Horsham, PA 19044
Office 866-672-9175
Fax 215-672-7642

**Building Inspection Underwriters,
Inc**

302 E. Pennsylvania Avenue
Feasterville, PA 19053
Office 215-322-2626
Fax 215-364-7921

Keystone Municipal Services

801 Yale Ave., Suite 622
Swarthmore, PA 19081
Office 610-328-4880
Fax 610-328-4836

United Inspection Agency

716 N Bethlehem Pike
Suite 300
Lower Gwynedd, PA 19002
Office 215-542-9977
Fax 215-540-9721

Any questions regarding the process, contact:

Fire Marshal's Office at 267-536-1057 or
Code Enforcement at 267-536-1010.



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Fire Alarms Fee (Initial Installation Only - Fire Prevention Code Fee Chapter 85-4 Section J)

Fee is \$25 per \$1,000 cost unit to do work and when greater than \$100 aggregate cost, plus State Mandate Fee. The Amount of Contract shall include Design, Parts, and Labor.

Amount of Contract			Fee Due
\$ 1	-	\$ 1,000	\$ 25
\$ 1,001	-	\$ 2,000	\$ 50
\$ 2,001	-	\$ 3,000	\$ 75
\$ 3,001	-	\$ 4,000	\$ 100
\$ 4,001	-	\$ 5,000	\$ 125
\$ 5,001	-	\$ 6,000	\$ 150
\$ 6,001	-	\$ 7,000	\$ 175
\$ 7,001	-	\$ 8,000	\$ 200
\$ 8,001	-	\$ 9,000	\$ 225
\$ 9,001	-	\$ 10,000	\$ 250
\$ 10,001	-	\$ 11,000	\$ 275
\$ 11,001	-	\$ 12,000	\$ 300
\$ 12,001	-	\$ 13,000	\$ 325
\$ 13,001	-	\$ 14,000	\$ 350
\$ 14,001	-	\$ 15,000	\$ 375
\$ 15,001	-	\$ 16,000	\$ 400
\$ 16,001	-	\$ 17,000	\$ 425
\$ 17,001	-	\$ 18,000	\$ 450
\$ 18,001	-	\$ 19,000	\$ 475
\$ 19,001	-	\$ 20,000	\$ 500

Amount of Contract			Fee Due
\$ 20,001	-	\$ 21,000	\$ 525
\$ 21,001	-	\$ 22,000	\$ 550
\$ 22,001	-	\$ 23,000	\$ 575
\$ 23,001	-	\$ 24,000	\$ 600
\$ 24,001	-	\$ 25,000	\$ 625
\$ 25,001	-	\$ 26,000	\$ 650
\$ 26,001	-	\$ 27,000	\$ 675
\$ 27,001	-	\$ 28,000	\$ 700
\$ 28,001	-	\$ 29,000	\$ 725
\$ 29,001	-	\$ 30,000	\$ 750
\$ 30,001	-	\$ 31,000	\$ 775
\$ 31,001	-	\$ 32,000	\$ 800
\$ 32,001	-	\$ 33,000	\$ 825
\$ 33,001	-	\$ 34,000	\$ 850
\$ 34,001	-	\$ 35,000	\$ 875
\$ 35,001	-	\$ 36,000	\$ 900
\$ 36,001	-	\$ 37,000	\$ 925
\$ 37,001	-	\$ 38,000	\$ 950
\$ 38,001	-	\$ 39,000	\$ 975
\$ 39,001	-	\$ 40,000	\$ 1,000

Contracts in excess of \$40,000 continue at \$25 per \$1000

STATE MANDATE FEE FOR ALL PERMITS IS \$4.50 effective October 30, 2017

Permit Fee Example:

Scope of work, including labor, parts, and design, contracted cost	\$18,721
Scope is within Permit Fee Range of \$ 18,001 - \$ 19,000 resulting in a permit fee of	\$475
Additional State Mandate Fee for all permits	\$4.50
Total Permit Fee Due when permit is submitted	\$479.50

If work within the scope of this permit is commenced prior to the permit being issued, additional fees/penalties may be applied, as well as additional actions taken to protect the safety of Abington Township.