

Residential Sprinkler Installation Guidelines  
San Marino Fire Department  
2200 Huntington Drive  
San Marino, CA 91108-2691  
626-300-0735

1. All sprinkler systems required by the San Marino City Code must have the double contact flow switch monitored. There must be a smoke detector over the control panel. Attached garages must be sprinklered. Newly constructed detached garages must be sprinklered.
2. A fire flow form may be obtained online in the “Forms Catalog” section of the Planning and Building website or at the fire station or building department.
3. Submit 2 sets of plans for the system to the San Marino Building Department. A plan check fee is due at this time. The plans go to an outside plan check company and the turnaround time is usually two weeks.
4. When plans are approved, pay building department fees and a \$110.00 fire inspection fee.
5. There will be a rough and final inspection. Rough inspection will include pressure test at 200 psi for two hours, bracing, and piping. Final inspection will include a bucket test and alarm test as well as all finish work.

Please call the Fire Marshal, Jim Anderson, at 626-300-0738, if you have any questions, or to schedule an inspection.