

## Chapter 31

### EMERGENCY REGULATIONS

#### sec 31.1. Enhanced 911

#### sec 31.2. E911 House Numbers

**[HISTORY: 31.1 Adopted at the 5-7-1991 ATM Article 7, 31.2 Adopted at the 5-4-2010 ATM Articles 13, 14, 15]**

sec31.1 [The town voted at the 5-7-1991 ATM, Art. 7, to accept the provisions of Ch. 291 of the Acts of 1990, thereby allowing the town to receive enhanced 911 service, as defined in said Act, and, if acceptance and notification to the Secretary of the Commonwealth of said acceptance occur on or before December 11, 1991, the town will also receive, at no cost to it, the benefits of enhanced 911 network features and components and any other enhanced 911 network features that may be made available by the Statewide Emergency Telecommunications Board.]

#### sec31.2 E 911 House Numbers:

a. The number for each dwelling, each apartment, and each business, and other buildings in the Town of Mount Washington shall be those that the Select Board has voted to assign, determined after review by the Town Tax Assessors and the Planning Board. [This section is upon amendment at Town Meeting of 5-1-12]

b. It shall be the responsibility of each property owner in the town to obtain and install the number or numbers assigned to the affected structure or structures within ten (10) working days of the assignment. Only the plaques approved by the town shall satisfy the requirements of this bylaw.

c. The owner of the property seeking a building permit for a new building or structure shall apply for and receive such a building number designation or numbers from the Emergency Management Director as a part of the application to the Building Inspector for a building permit and/or as a part of the application to the Road Superintendent for a driveway permit, and no permit shall be issued without designation of such building number. The numbers must be installed on the property before any construction or construction preparation begins.

d. Reflective numbers shall be placed at the main entrance to the structure; that is, on the road on a suitable support so that they are clearly visible from the street. The size of the numbers to be no less than 3 inches high, and placed no higher than six (6) feet above ground level, and no lower than 3 feet above ground level.

e. This Bylaw shall be enforced by the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Mount Washington, either directly or through an enforcer to be appointed by them. Failure to comply with this Bylaw shall subject the offending property owner to a fine not exceeding ten dollars (\$10.00) per day after proper notification of failure to such owner. All residents shall have 3 months from the date of notification of the property owner by the Town that the numbering system is complete and the address plaques are ready for distribution.