



2020 GLENDALE (CA) FIRE CODE AMENDMENTS

CFC Table 901.6- ADDED

**TABLE 901.6 REQUIRED TESTING, TESTER QUALIFICATIONS, AND CERTIFICATION
SUBMITTAL INTERVALS**

	TESTER QUALIFICATIONS(a)	REQUIRED MINIMUM TESTING FREQUENCIES (b)				FREQUENCY TO SUBMIT REPORTS TO GLENDALE FIRE DEPT. (c)
		Semi-annual	Annual	Triennial	Every 5 years	
ENGINEERED FIXED EXTINGUISHING SYSTEM						
Dry Chemical System	1, 5	X				Annually
Carbon Dioxide System	1, 5		X			Annually
Halogenated System	1, 5	X				Annually
Clean Agent System	1, 5		X			Annually
Wet Chemical Extinguishing System	1, 5	X				Annually
STANDPIPE SYSTEMS	1, 5		X		X	Annually
AUTOMATIC FIRE SPRINKLER SYSTEMS	1, 5		X		X	Annually
FIRE PUMPS	1, 5	Electric-monthly Diesel- weekly	X			Annually
FIRE ALARM SYSTEMS, MONITORING SYSTEMS	8	Frequency ranges from quarterly to annually depending upon equipment; see NFPA 72				Annually
MISCELLANEOUS						
Commercial Cooking Equipment	Fire Protection Systems	1, 5	X			Annually
	Duct Cleaning	Frequency ranges from 1 month to 12 months; see NFPA 96				Not required
Private Fire Hydrants	1, 9		X			Annually
Single Station Smoke Alarms	2, 6		X			Annually
Fire Extinguishers	5		X			Annually
Smoke Control System	Dedicated	3	X			Annually
	Non- Dedicated	4		X		Annually
Emergency and Standby Power Systems	2		X			Annually
Electrical Buss Ducts	Torque and Electrical Testing	2			X	Triennially
	Infrared Testing	2		X		Annually
Fire Doors and Shutters	4, 7		X			Annually
Fire Escapes	7		X			Annually
Emergency Responder Radio Coverage Systems	10		X			Annually

- a. Other concerns or individuals may be qualified to test and certify subject to approval of the fire code official.
- b. The testing frequencies listed herein are intended as a convenient summary based on the applicable standards. The applicable standards shall always govern if there is any conflict. It is important to note that many standards mandate inspections on more frequent bases than shown herein. It is not the intent to supersede, modify, or reduce the requirements found in the applicable standards.
- c. Reports of tests and certifications need not be submitted to the Glendale Fire Department more frequently than annually, unless specifically requested by the fire code official.

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. State Licensed Fire Protection Contractor (C-16) 2. State Licensed Electrical Contractor (C-10) 3. State Licensed HVAC Contractor (C-20) 4. May be performed by Owner 5. Licensed by the State Fire Marshal | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 6. 25 or less units, qualified owner may perform test 7. State Licensed General Contractor (A or B); see also footnote (a) 8. State Licensed Electrical Contractor (C-10) and, for systems installed after 1989, holding the U.L. | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Certificate (or approved equal) for the building fire alarm system 9. State Licensed Plumbing Contractor (C-36) 10. FCC-issued General Radio Operators License (GROL) and certification by an approved school, organization, or the equipment manufacturer |
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Citation: Ordinance 5937, §VI-22 of Volume VI of the 2020 Glendale Building and Safety Code, effective 1 January 2020