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DATE: June 5, 2009

TO: Building Owners, Condominium Associations, Property Managers
Fire Protection Contractors/Installers & Central Station Monitoring Companies

FROM: Fairfax County Office of the Fire Marshal

SUBJECT: Posting of Central Station Monitoring Company Information

Effective July 1, 2009, revisions to Chapter 62 (Fire Protection) of the Fairfax County Code amending the Virginia Statewide Fire Prevention Code (SFPC) will go into effect, requiring fire alarm and fire protection system central station monitoring information be posted and maintained at the fire alarm control panel (FACP). These revisions were approved by the Fairfax County Board of Supervisors on Monday, April 27, 2009. The new code section is provided below for your reference.

907.15.1. Posting of Central Station Monitoring Company. The name, telephone number, and account number of the current central station monitoring company shall be posted and maintained inside the fire alarm control panel. If the fire alarm system is not monitored, that fact shall be posted and maintained inside the fire alarm control panel.

If you have any questions about this new code requirement, please contact the Fire Protection Systems Branch at **703-246-4821**, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Thank you for your attention to this important fire protection and life safety issue.

Sincerely,

/s/

Deputy Chief Dereck A. Baker
Office of the Fire Marshal
Fairfax County Fire & Rescue Department

