



## HELP US TO HELP YOU

### Is Your House Number Clearly Visible from the Street?

#### Seconds Count in an Emergency

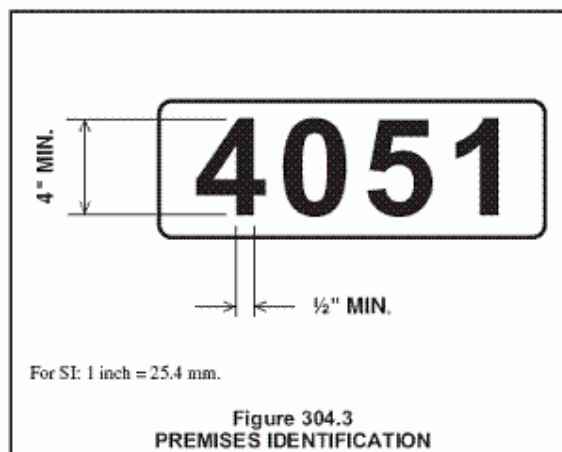
- House numbers are not only convenient for finding addresses but necessary for emergency responders to locate those in need.
- First Responders find you faster when your property is properly marked.

#### Check your property to make sure your numbers are:

- Clearly visible from the street
- Of appropriate size and a contrasting color to your home
- Close to the front door
- Visible at nighttime
- On both sides of your mailbox
- Unobstructed by vegetation



### International Property Maintenance Code (2015) Requirements



Numbers should be a minimum of 4 inches high with a minimum stroke width of 0.5 inch.

## It's the Law

Per **RCW 58.17.280**, “Any city, town or county shall, by ordinance, regulate the procedure whereby short subdivisions, subdivisions, streets, lots and blocks are named and numbered.”

Per **Woodland Municipal Code 12.30.030 - Assignment of addresses**, “All houses, residences and places of business within the city shall be numbered in accordance with WMC 12.30.010.”

Per the **International Property Maintenance Code (2015) - [F] 304.3 Premises Identification**, “Buildings shall have approved address numbers placed in a position to be plainly legible and visible from the street or road fronting the property. These numbers shall contrast with their background. Address numbers shall be Arabic numerals or alphabet letters. Numbers shall be not less than 4 inches in height with a minimum stroke width of 0.5 inch.”

