

North Maine Fire Protection District

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Fire Chief Robert Greiner

Residential KnoxBox Loaner Program

The North Maine Fire Protection District has established a residential KnoxBox loan- out program for the citizens of the fire district. Citizens meeting the following criteria are eligible for the loan-out program.

1. The KnoxBox must and can only be used for a North Maine Fire Protection District address. Keys from other fire departments will not work.
2. Any individual with an existing medical condition of which that medical or physical condition could render him/her from being able to open a locked door in an emergency situation.
3. Any condition that would be for the betterment of the North Maine Fire Protection District to have a KnoxBox to gain keyed entry instead of forcible entry. This is reviewable by the fire marshal at time of application.

The objectives of the program are:

1. To expedite the paramedics/firefighters reaching the patient and begin appropriate medical care.
2. To minimize or eliminate damage to property caused by forcible entry.

Obtaining a Residential KnoxBox

To obtain a KnoxBox the following procedure must be followed.

1. Contact the fire prevention bureau at (847) 297-5020, to set up an appointment.
2. Individual meets criteria of existing conditions.
3. Fill out a deposit/emergency contact form.
4. Payment of deposit (checks payable to the North Maine Fire Prot. District).
5. Fill out RED Center address flag form.

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6. The deposit form, payment of deposit and the RED Center address flag form must all be completed prior to receiving the KnoxBox.

7. Contact the fire prevention bureau to install the KnoxBox. A Fire Department representative will come out and verify that the key(s) work and secure the key(s) inside the KnoxBox.

8. There are two styles of boxes, the Knox HomeBox 1500-residential that will hold up to two keys (\$227.00 refundable deposit required). If you need more than 2 keys, a larger box will be required, please contact the fire prevention bureau (a refundable deposit of \$384.00 required).

9. We are not responsible for the security of any box while it is on your door. Historically to date, the residential box has not been stolen or tampered with.

Please contact our office with any questions you may have.

Thank you,

Scott Peterson

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Fire Marshal
North Maine Fire Protection District
Fire Prevention Bureau
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Residential Knox Box Loaner Program Contract

Box type: _____ Serial number: _____

Box installation location: _____

Name of Resident: _____ Phone number: _____

(Usage of box is set at one year from date requested. After One (1) year an annual rental fee may apply. Additional time may be granted, contact the fire prevention bureau.)

One key Knox Box refundable deposit: \$227.00

Multiple key Knox Box refundable deposit: \$384.00

Deposit date received: _____

Date of Issue: _____ Expiration Date: _____

Date Box Returned: _____

Damage Noted: Yes _____ No _____

Full Deposit Returned: Yes _____ No _____

Total Returned: _____ Date: _____

The residential Knox Box must be returned within (30) thirty days after its expiration date. Failure to return the Knox Box will result in forfeiture of your deposit. Check shall be made out to: ***North Maine Fire Protection District***. Please put in memo line that the check is for a deposit on a Knox Box and the address it is requested for.

Any damage to your property caused by the use of the KnoxBox, will the responsibility of the requesting party/occupant. The North Maine Fire Protection District is not responsible for damage.

Any damage or replacement fees to the KnoxBox while loaned out will be the requesting parties' responsibility as well. Funds will be taken from the deposit first, and if any additional charges are required, you will be advised. By requesting this key box and signing this form, the requesting/authorizing party assumes all liability and absolves the North Maine Fire Protection District and all its employees/associates of all liability. No device is completely secure and may be entered without authorization.

Requesting party/Authorized signature: _____

Name (printed): _____

Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email address: _____

Are you an emergency contact? Yes _____ No _____

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