

House Number Placement Information

Some of the address numbers in the Township have become faded or otherwise invisible. **Your address number is the first thing the emergency responders look for when dispatched.** If your house number is not visible from the street then there could be a delay in response time for your emergency. **It should be placed either on your house or if your house is not visible from the street, on a post other than your mailbox post.** As you know, if it has happened to you, mailboxes and their posts are sometimes damaged in the winter months.

The code requires "Numbers assigned to buildings in the Township according to the provisions hereof shall be affixed to, painted upon, or carved upon such building or upon a permanent standard, base or support between such building and the street upon which it fronts. Each number shall be at least four (4) inches in height and one-half (1/2) inch stroke, shall be of such color and material and shall be so located as to be visible both day and night from the street, and shall be constantly maintained in complete and legible form. The property owner shall from time to time re-affix or renew all numbers that shall not continue to conform to the requirements of this Article; provided, however, that in the case of a building occupied by other than the owner thereof, the occupant, rather than the owner, shall be responsible for maintaining the number upon such building as hereby required."