



ORANGEBURG DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

Fire Marshal's Office

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Key Box Requirement

The SC Fire Code section 912.4.1 states: The fire code official is authorized to require locking caps on fire department connections for water-based fire protection systems where the responding fire department carries appropriate key wrenches for removal.

Fire Code Requirement to install a locking FDC cap:

1. All new commercial buildings with a fire protection sprinkler system.
2. All existing commercial buildings where FDC caps are found missing during inspection.
3. All existing commercial buildings where deemed necessary by the Fire Marshal.

Ordering Information

1. Knox Box® FDC locking caps can be ordered online at <https://www.knoxbox.com/>
2. Select the Products menu and then the FDC locking caps option.
3. A location box will display. Select 'South Carolina' from the state list.
4. Type 'Orangeburg Dept Public Safety' in the fire department list.
5. It is important that you select 'Orangeburg Dept Public Safety' even if your project is not within the city limits. Your project is within the City of Orangeburg's fire response district.
6. Failure to select the correct agency will result in a denial of purchase and a delay in your project.
7. Select the second option which will allow express purchasing of FDC products only.