

**City of Lathrup Village
Alarm Registration
27400 Southfield Road
Lathrup Village, Michigan 48076
248-557-3600**

ALARM LOCATION

Lathrup Village, MI 48076

ALARM OWNER

**EMERGENCY CONTACTS
(IF ALARM OWNER IS
NOT AVAILABLE)**

**ALARM SYSTEM
INFORMATION**

Type of Alarm: Burglar _____
Medical _____

Hold up _____
Fire _____ Other _____

After Hours Cleaning Company yes _____ no _____

Hazardous chemicals on site yes _____ no _____

**BILLING ADDRESS
(IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE)**

Paid _____
check # _____
date paid _____

I furthermore state that I have read and understand all the provisions of the Lathrup Village Eleventh Amendment Alarm Ordinance Number 272 (printed on the reverse side) and that I will abide by all the regulations as contained therein.

**CITY OF LATHRUP VILLAGE
ELEVENTH AMENDMENT TO MUNICIPAL CODE
(ORDINANCE NUMBER 272)
ALARM SYSTEMS – FALSE ALARMS**

These are condensed highlights of the Ordinance. The complete Ordinance can be obtained at the Lathrup Village Municipal Office or the Police Department.

The City of Lathrup Village Ordains:

The title of this Ordinance is "Eleventh Amendment to Municipal Code" and its purpose is to add a new Chapter to the Code which will regulate the installation, maintenance, and use of emergency alarm systems. This will help reduce the number of false alarms to which police and fire personnel are called upon to respond, reduce needless annoyances and disturbances to the neighbors, and requires alarm abusers to reimburse the City for a portion of the cost of responding to false alarms.

Article V of the 1985 Municipal Code Ordinance No. 254 is hereby amended by the addition of a new Chapter 16 which shall read as follows:

Chapter 16. Alarm Regulations

A. Special Definitions

101 through 107 are the special definitions for this Alarm Ordinance.

B. Alarms – Prohibited & Required Features

201 – Prohibits any alarms being automatically dialed into the Police or Fire Department.

202 – Requires automatic shut – off on all audible alarms in the City within 15 minutes.

C. Registration Required

302 – Registration must be obtained within 30 days for systems in existence after the effective date of this Ordinance. No person shall have an alarm system without having a registration.

303 – Registrations shall be filed with the Police Department on forms furnished by the City.

304 – With the completion of the registration, a fee of \$20.00 shall be paid to the City.

305 – The alarm system shall conform to the requirements of the Ordinance.

306 – Registrations expire after 3 years and are renewable for a \$5.00 fee.

307 – Requires alarm users to notify Police whenever the information on the registration changes.

D. Excessive False Alarms

401 – Requires alarm holder to exercise due care to install and maintain control of the alarm system. Instruct all persons having access to the premises to prevent false alarms from occurring.

402 – More than two "at fault" false alarms in any 12-consecutive month period deemed to be excessive and declared to be public nuisance and subject to corrective action.

403 – Alarm holder has the opportunity to submit an explanation for each false alarm.

404 – Police Chief to determine status of "at fault" false alarms after explanations.

405 – A \$90.00 fee charged for third and subsequent "at fault" false alarms in a 12-month calendar period.

E. General Provisions

501 – Police Chief may initiate corrective actions for excessive "at fault" false alarms.

502 – Decision of Police Chief may be appealed to Business Appeal Board.

III. Miscellaneous Provisions

The provisions hereof are declared to be severable pursuant to Section 7.8 of the Charter of this City and this Ordinance shall become effective on February 6, 1990. Enacted by the City Council on January 22, 1990.