

# MOUNT PROSPECT

## UPGRADES FIRE CODES FOR A SAFER COMMUNITY

### Congratulations Mayor Irvana Wilks and Mount Prospect Trustees!

In 2003, the Village of Mount Prospect amended their building and fire code to require residential quick response fire sprinklers in all new single family homes, town homes and those renovated homes that increase their habitable area by 150%. In addition, the Village has adopted a zero fire tolerance or zero square foot fire sprinkler threshold for all new commercial occupancies including multi-family.

As a result, the Village of Mount Prospect has already seen the benefit of a residential sprinkler save and a number of commercial sprinkler saves. Not only has Mount Prospect become a fire safe community protecting those who live, work and visit there, it has taken a proactive step to improve fire fighter safety by the installation of automatic sprinklers.

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*Congratulations for following FEMA's America Burning guidelines for the protection of citizens and FEMA's Firefighter Life Safety Summit recommendations for the protection of firefighters.*



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