



On-Line, Instructor Led Training

Fire Alarm Plan Review – Updated!

Based on NFPA 72-2019, NEC 2017, and IBC 2018

**Tuesday, January 17 and Thursday, January 19, 2023
1:00 to 5:00 PM, EST**

This course describes the common problems associated with the plan review process and offers suggestions for improvement through plan review and acceptance test checklists, battery and voltage drop calculations, exercises to determine proper spacing of smoke detectors, audibility, and proper sizing and placement of visible notification appliances. Instructor: Larry Rietz

Registration Pricing:

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Instructor Larry Rietz: Larry Rietz, SET, has over 30 years of construction industry experience, the last 25 spent designing, commissioning, testing, and inspecting of fire alarm, mass notification/emergency communication, and related life safety systems. Larry currently serves on the Automatic Fire Alarm Association (AFAA) Board of Directors as Secretary.

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Fire Alarm Plan Review
1-day Course Outline (7 hours)
2-part Course Outline if On-Line (7 hours)

• **Course Description**

This application course describes the common problems associated with the plan review process and offers suggestions for improvement by providing plan review and acceptance test checklists, spreadsheets to determine battery and voltage drop calculations, exercises to determine proper spacing of smoke detectors, exercises to determine proper audibility of fire alarm notification appliances and proper sizing and placement of visible notification appliances. This seminar is intended for authorities having jurisdiction involved in fire alarm system plan review, contractors providing submittal documentation for plan review and fire alarm system designers.

This seminar is based on 2019 NFPA 72, 2017 NFPA 70 (NEC) and 2018 IBC

This course consists of 7 Contact Hours for continuing education. The student must attend entire seminar to receive credit.

Course Materials

- Student course book and handout workbook (provided)
- Student should have access to the respective editions of NFPA 72, NFPA 70 and their adopted building code.
- Calculator, pencils and note paper, ruler and compass (Student to provide)

Course Outline

1. Review the Requirements for Plan Review and Submittals based on the International Building Code and NFPA 72.
2. Review of pre-plan and plan review checklists examples
3. Review secondary power supply requirements including battery-set calculations
4. Review voltage-drop limits including voltage-drop calculations
5. Review smoke detector location and spacing requirements including practical exercises
6. Review fire alarm audible notification requirements including practical exercises
7. Review fire alarm visible notification requirements including practical exercises
8. Review of pre-acceptance and acceptance testing checklist examples

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