

Language related to activation of the exterior waterflow horn/strobe has been aligned with DFC 912.6, which requires only one flow switch to activate an alarm condition, and that the flow switch must be the one closest to the sprinkler.

- Reason: Why is your proposal necessary?

The proposal breaks the paragraph into referenceable sections, clarifies how and when the exterior notification is to be activated, and references full criteria outlined in another section. Furthermore, the current language implies that occupant notification is to be activated upon sprinkler flow, which may not be a condition (e.g., for private-mode notification in psychiatric facilities, or in a high-rise building where only specific floors are notified). The new language clarifies that occupant notification is to be activated as required in other sections.

- Substantiation: Why is your proposal valid? (i.e. technical justification)

The proposal reduces code conflicts (e.g., this section notes that exterior horn/strobes are to be activated by both the main and zone switches, whereas 912.6 required only the closest sprinkler to activate the exterior notification appliance).

Impact is minimal, as this is simply a clarification of current code requirements.

Bibliography and Access to Materials (as needed when substantiating material is associated with the amendment proposal):

Other Regulations Proposed to be Affected

***For proposals to delete content from the 2019 Denver Green Code in conjunction with adding it to other mandatory Denver codes and/or regulations, only.**

Please identify which other mandatory codes or regulations are suggested to be updated (if any) to accept relocated content.

Referenced Standards:

List any new referenced standards that are proposed to be referenced in the code.

Impact:

How will this proposal impact cost and restrictiveness of code? ("X" answer for each item below)

Cost of construction:	<input type="checkbox"/> Increase	<input type="checkbox"/> Decrease	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Impact
Cost of design:	<input type="checkbox"/> Increase	<input type="checkbox"/> Decrease	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Impact
Restrictiveness:	<input type="checkbox"/> Increase	<input type="checkbox"/> Decrease	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Impact

Departmental Impact (City use only):

This amendment proposal increases/decreases/is neutral to the cost of plans review.

This amendment increases/decreases/is neutral to the cost of inspections.