



Big Sky Fire Department

Serving the Big Sky Community

Your Home – Safety Checklist

	YES	NO
Smoke Alarms – Alert you to fire – Protect your life when you are sleeping		
1. Is there a working smoke alarm (less than 10 years old) on every level of your home?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Is there a working smoke alarm near every sleeping area of your home?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Do you test your smoke alarm every week, vacuum it monthly and change the battery when you change your clock (every 6 months)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Escape Routes – The sure way to safety		
1. Does every member of your family know two ways out of their sleeping area; one inside the home and one through an exterior window or door?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Have you practiced both escape routes during the past year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Have you practiced using a meeting place when you practiced your escape routes?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9-1-1 - The call for help		
1. Does everyone in your home know how to call 9-1-1, the emergency number for FIRE, SHERIFF or MEDICAL emergencies?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Home Address – Helping fire fighters and sheriff deputies find you		
1. Is your home address posted where your driveway meets the street (with 4" reflective numbers on a reflective, contrasting background)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Is the address sign on a metal post?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Is your home address posted on your home (with 4" reflective or contrasting numbers so that it can be seen from the street)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Defensible Space – Helping fire fighters save your home from grass and wildland fires		
1. Is the area within 3 feet of every side of your home free from combustible materials?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. In the area between 3 and 30 feet from every side of your home, have you replaced uncut grass, brush or combustible materials with a maintained lawn (watered and mowed), rock, fire resistive plants or other non-combustible materials?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

If the answer to any of the questions was **NO**, you should correct the situation so that the answer is **YES**. For example, if you answered **NO** to Question #1, you should install smoke detectors on every level of your home. Your self-inspection of your home should conclude with all **YES** responses on the checklist. For an EMERGENCY, call 9-1-1. For a non-emergency or assistance, call the Big Sky Fire Department at 995-2100.