

ALARM SYSTEM USERS

6-12-1: REGISTRATION:

All businesses, including those operating from a private residence, using any type of alarm system within the Village of Oswego shall register annually to operate said alarm system. Alarm systems used at a private residence where no business is also operated shall not be registered. Though not subject to registration, residential alarm systems are subject to the penalties contained in Section 6-12-5. The words "alarm system" as used in this ordinance means any assembly of equipment, mechanical or electrical, arranged to signal the occurrence of any illegal entry to any premise, safe or vault, hold-up or panic button, or other activity requiring urgent attention and to which police personnel are expected to respond. (Ord. 09-70, 9-1-2009, eff. 1-1-2010)

6-12-2: APPLICATION FORM:

The application forms for registration shall be obtained from the Village of Oswego Clerk's Office. Businesses subject to registration and operating an alarm shall register as part of its annual business registration as set forth in title 3, chapter 1 of this code. (Ord. 09-70, 9-1-2009, eff. 1-1-2010)

6-12-3: DURATION OF REGISTRATION:

The registration shall be issued for a one calendar year period, beginning January 1 and ending December 31, or any part thereof. (Ord. 09-70, 9-1-2009, eff. 1-1-2010)

6-12-4: POSTING OF REGISTRATION:

Registrations issued to a business shall be posted in a prominent location open to the public. (Ord. 09-70, 9-1-2009, eff. 1-1-2010)

6-12-5: PENALTIES:

- (A) Failure to register an alarm system as required by this chapter shall be a class I violation for each day the violation occurs.
- (B) Commencing thirty (30) days after the date the alarm system is installed and placed in service:
 1. Each subsequent false alarm after the first at a business location, in any rolling six (6) month period, to which the village responds, is an individual class I violation. The police department shall notify the registrant of each instance wherein a false alarm was recorded, said notice shall further notify the registrant that additional false alarms will result in the imposition of charges.
 2. Each subsequent false alarm after the second in any rolling six (6) month period at a residential, non-business, location is an individual class I violation. The police department shall notify the registrant of each instance wherein a false alarm was recorded, said notice shall further notify the registrant that additional false alarms will result in the imposition of charges. (Ord. 09-70, 9-1-2009, eff. 1-1-2010)