



Arvin Home Systems

You Need an Alarm Permit

This is true no matter where you live, city or county. Every law enforcement jurisdiction has policies and procedures for responding to your alarm system when it is tripped. Some are more stringent than others. The whole idea is to reduce the number of police responses to false alarms; and the numbers say that 98% to 99% of all alarms are false! So, each jurisdiction is holding you, the alarm owner, responsible. Therefore, whichever police force covers your area, they require you to fill out and send in an alarm permit.

Some alarm permits are free and some require a fee. Every jurisdiction will fine you if they respond to your alarm and you don't have a permit! And each also has a scale of fines for every false alarm thereafter.

We've put together a summary of the majority of areas that we cover, however, the requirements can change at any time. So please, go online or call your law enforcement department to find out exactly what they expect from you.

MANTECA

Alarm Permit = Required
 Cost for Alarm Permit = No Charge
 Permit Renewal = Annually
 False Alarm Allowance = 2 in 12 Months
 No Permit Fine = \$200.00
 Website = http://www.ci.manteca.ca.us/police/faq/faq-alarm_permits.htm
 Phone = (209) 239-8401

SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY

Alarm Permit = Required
 Cost for Alarm Permit = No Charge
 Permit Renewal = Annually
 False Alarm Allowance = 1 in 12 Months
 No Permit Fine = ???
 Website = <http://www.sjgov.org/sheriff/alarm.pdf>
 Phone = (209) 468-4400

STANISLAUS COUNTY

Alarm Permit = May be Required,
 Requirement is Address Dependent
 Please call: (209) 525-7039
 Website = <http://www.scsdonline.com/>

STOCKTON

Alarm Permit = Required
 Cost for Alarm Permit = \$55.00 1st Time
 Permit Renewal = Businesses - Annually (\$25.00)
 Residences - Every 3 Years (\$25.00)
 False Alarm Allowance = None
 No Permit Fine = \$267.00
 Website = <http://www.stocktongov.com/government/departments/police/prevAlarmFee.html>
 Phone = (209) 937-8377

TRACY

Alarm Permit = Required
 Cost for Alarm Permit = \$20.00
 Permit Renewal = Annually (\$20.00)
 False Alarm Allowance = 2 in 12 Months
 No Permit Fine = ???
 Website = <http://www.alarmandvideo.com/wp-content/uploads/2011/10/Tracy-Residential-Alarm-Permit.pdf>
 Phone = (209) 239-8401

MODESTO

Alarm Permit = Required
 Cost for Alarm Permit = No Charge
 Permit Renewal = Annually
 False Alarm Allowance = 1 in 12 Months
 No Permit Fine = \$200.00
 Website = <https://www.modestogov.com/mpd/docs/permits/False%20Alarm.pdf>
 Phone = (209) 572-9649



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