



Clovis Fire Department

Standard #7

FIRE HYDRANTS

The Clovis Fire Department has established the following fire hydrant conditions to be completed prior to final acceptance of a development:

- A. Install “**Blue Dot**” hydrant locators for locating fire hydrants in darkness or other inclement weather conditions. The marker shall be installed as per the manufacturer's directions. The marker shall be located six (6”) inches from the centerline on the same side of the street as the fire hydrant and shall be in direct line with the fire hydrant being located. **Exception: Blue** marker shall **not** be placed inside crosswalks.
- B. Point the direction of the 4/1/2" outlet toward the roadway and away from parking stalls. Chains are to be removed. Bollards are required where subject to damage. A 3' clearance shall be maintained around all sides of the hydrant.
- C. The hydrant color standard is:
 - a. OSHA Safety **Yellow**
 - b. OSHA Safety **Blue - only on caps and top of hydrant**
- D. Paint the curb **red**, seven feet, six inches (7'6”) each side of the centerline of the fire hydrant, as per Vehicle Code, Sec. 22514. The **red** paint color is:
 - a. **Red** Curb Marking Paint, 100% acrylic, water based, 2 coats
 - b. Paint only to expansion joints of driveways or corners at intersections when the driveway or corner is within the seven feet, six inches (7'6”).
- E. Install the hydrant according to the City of Clovis standard W-2.

