



# City of Saratoga

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## **SMOKE ALARM AND CARBON MONOXIDE ALARM SELF-CERTIFICATION (for exterior residential projects ONLY)**

**PERMIT NUMBER:** \_\_\_\_\_

*This signed certification has to be returned to the Building Department prior to final or given to the Building Inspector at the final inspection.*

**PLEASE PRINT**

Project Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Property Owner: \_\_\_\_\_

Licensed Contractor: \_\_\_\_\_ License #: \_\_\_\_\_

The State of California requires smoke and carbon monoxide alarms to be installed in all residential buildings. Smoke or carbon monoxide alarms are permitted to be battery operated in buildings where no alterations are performed on the interior. Smoke, carbon monoxide or multiple-purpose alarms (carbon monoxide and smoke alarms) must be approved and listed by the State Fire Marshal. For an approved list of alarms, go to [www.osfm.fire.ca.gov](http://www.osfm.fire.ca.gov) The devices must be installed per the manufacturer's instructions.

### **Alarm Location Requirements**

**Smoke alarms** must be installed:

- a) in each room used for sleeping purposes
- b) in each hallway outside of the sleeping room(s)
- c) on each level of the dwelling, including basements

**Carbon monoxide alarms** must be installed:

- a) outside of each sleeping room in the immediate vicinity of the bedroom(s)
- b) on each level of the dwelling, including basements

I hereby certify that smoke alarms and carbon monoxide alarms have been installed in compliance with current California codes and all alarms have been tested and are functional for the above permit.

**Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

I am the (check one):  Contractor  Property Owner

**NOTE:** *This self-certification is only to be used for residential exterior projects where access to the interior of the building by the City of Saratoga Building Inspector is not required during the course of construction.*