

## Derek Snyder

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**From:** Bovard, Margie F. <Margie.Bovard@indy.gov>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 23, 2022 10:15 AM  
**To:** Derek Snyder  
**Subject:** Re: New Beech Grove Police Station - Local Variance

February 23, 2022

RE: Local Variance  
[New Beech Grove Police Station](#)  
103 Main Street  
Beech Grove, Indiana 46107

Dear [Mr. Snyder](#),

Thank you for your letter dated February 22, 2022 requesting a local variance from Section 591-406, Chapter 591 of the Indianapolis-Marion County Fire Prevention Code which adopts NFPA 24, 1995 Edition, Section 3, requiring a post indicator valve for a fire service water supply line.

Your request and justifications for a variance from the provisions of Chapter 591-406 is in compliance with the provision of Section 591-246, Chapter 591 of the Indianapolis-Marion County Fire Prevention Code which was passed by the City-Council on April 29, 2002 and signed by Bart Peterson on May 2, 2002, and approved by the Fire Prevention and Building Safety Commission on May 8, 2002.

Based on the items listed in your letter dated February 22, 2022, a local variance to the above mentioned Section is granted by the Indianapolis Fire Department. [In accordance with the exception to NFPA 24, Section 3-3.2](#), a post Indicator valve [will not be located 40' away from the building due to site constraints](#). [The Post Indicator Valve will be placed at the Southeast corner of the site](#).

This approval must be presented to the Fire Prevention and Building Safety Commission as per IC 22-13-2-7. "The Commission shall review variances granted by a political subdivision to the fire safety laws and building laws adopted in its ordinances". This variance is not effective until it is approved by the Commission. There is no fee but the item must be placed on the Commission's agenda. Please email this form to the [Indiana State Fire Prevention and Building Safety Commission](#) at [buildingcommission@dhs.in.gov](mailto:buildingcommission@dhs.in.gov) to place this item on the next Commission meeting agenda.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact me at 317-327-5529 or [margie.bovard@indy.gov](mailto:margie.bovard@indy.gov)

Respectfully  
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