Brazoria County has adopted the 2012 edition of the International Fire Code with no local amendments.

During the planning process, developers and designers should contact our office to determine specific design specifications on fire protection devices. Fire departments throughout the county have different hose connections as well as access control systems.

The Brazoria County Fire Marshal’s Office issues permit for construction. The following is a list of permits and fees associated with the construction permits:

105.7.1 Automatic fire-extinguishing systems
105.7.2 Battery systems
105.7.3 Compressed gases.
105.7.4 Cryogenic fluids.
105.7.5 Emergency responder radio coverage system.
105.7.6 Fire alarm and detection systems and related equipment.
105.7.7 Fire pumps and related equipment.
105.7.8 Flammable and combustible liquids.
105.7.9 Hazardous materials.
105.7.10 Industrial ovens.
105.7.11 LP-gas.
105.7.12 Private fire hydrants.
105.7.13 Solar photovoltaic power systems.
105.7.14 Spraying or dipping.
105.7.15 Standpipe systems.
105.7.16 Temporary membrane structures and tents.

All construction plans submittals should be 2 hard copy sets (one for Fire Marshal mark-up and one for approved construction site) and 1 digital copy on USB with product and detail specifications. All documents submitted to the Fire Marshal’s Office should be accompanies by a transmittal sheet with contact information.