

# Boston Fire Department

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## Historic Fire Alarm Box Directory - 7400 Series

Number	Date of Number	Prior Numbers	Location and Prior Locations	Location Established
7412p	9.27.1918		East Ninth and Dorchester Sts.	9.27.1918
7413	6.15.1915	143	Dorchester St., opp. West Seventh St. Dorchester and Seventh Sts.	6.15.1915 12.31.1872
7414	7.27.1965		Dorchester and Old Harbor Sts.	7.27.1965
7415	6.15.1915	158	Telegraph and Gates Sts. Telegraph St., near Gates St.	8.01.1917 3.14.1896
7416p	6.15.1915	133 131 Dup.	East Ninth and Mercer Sts. Mercer and East Eighth Sts. East Eighth, near Mercer Sts.	11.25.1891 7.25.1887 4.28.1880
7417	12.01.1921		East Eighth and Old Harbor Sts.	12.01.1921
7418p	7.15.1941	12-7416	Rev. Richard A. Burke St. and Patterson Way Michael J. Perkins School, Burke St. near Mercer St. Michael J. Perkins School, Vale St. near Mercer St.	7.15.1941 3.12.1941 10.13.1927
742p	1.22.2002		William J. Day Blvd. and Babe Ruth Dr.	1.22.2002
7421	6.15.1915	131 6/14	East Eighth and G Sts.	4.28.1864
7422	6.15.1915	173	East Eighth and H Sts. Columbia Rd. and H St.	5.09.1927 11.26.1913
7423	6.15.1915	147	East Sixth and G Sts. G St. opp. East Sixth St. Storey St. near G St. G and Thomas Sts.	4.17.1963 11.25.1891 11.01.1874 12.31.1872
7424	6.15.1915	2163 181	East Sixth and I Sts. Capen School, East Sixth and I Sts.	5.11.1911 1.10.1889
7425	6.18.1915	151 137 Dup.	East Fourth and H Sts. East Fourth St., near H St. Blind Asylum, East Broadway and H St.	9.21.1892 9.28.1887 4.30.1877
7426	6.18.1929		East Fourth and Atlantic Sts.	6.18.1929
743	6.30.1926		Columbia Rd. and I St. Marine Rd. and I St.	12.01.1932 6.30.1926
7431	6.18.1915	135 6/9	East Eighth and K Sts.	4.28.1864
7432	6.18.1915	137	Marine Rd. and L St. East Ninth and L Sts.	5.09.1927 12.09.1913
7433	9.27.1918		Engine House 2, 700 East Fourth St. East Fifth and K Sts.	4.27.1984 9.27.1918
7434	6.18.1915	154 146 Dup.	East Eighth and M Sts. East Eighth St., near M St. Asylum for feeble-minded Youths, East 8 St. near M St. Idiotic Asylum, East Eighth St., near M St.	5.10.1901 1.20.1896 7.25.1887 12.04.1875
7435	6.18.1915	2159	East Fourth and L Sts. Tuckerman School, East Fourth and L Sts.	9.06.1913 9.19.1905
7437	3.28.1924		East Sixth and L Sts.	3.28.1924

7438p	1.17.1991		East Fifth and M Sts.	1.17.1991
7441	6.18.1915	146	East Sixth and N Sts.	7.17.1912
			East Seventh and N Sts.	11.07.1899
			East Sixth St., near N St.	10.01.1886
			Boston Cordage Co., N and East Sixth Sts.	1.01.1883
			American Steam Safe Works, N and East Sixth Sts.	12.31.1872
7442	6.18.1915	141	East Seventh and O Sts.	7.17.1912
7443	6.18.1915	159	East Sixth St. and Farragut Rd.	11.13.1929
			East Sixth St., near Farragut Rd.	3.01.1901
			East Sixth and Q Sts.	2.20.1895
7445	6.18.1915	145 6/11	East Fourth and N Sts.	10.10.1927
			East Fourth and O Sts.	6.18.1915
			Engine 2, East Fourth and O Sts.	5.10.1882
			Hose 12, East Fourth and O Sts.	3.06.1875
			East Fourth and P Sts.	4.28.1864
7447	8.24.1954		East Fifth and P Sts.	8.24.1954
7451	10.09.1917		East Fifth and O Sts.	3.29.1928
			Benjamin Pope School, East Fifth and O Sts.	10.09.1917
7452	10.13.1927		Columbia Rd. and N St.	10.13.1927

#### Discontinued Boxes;

137	4.28.1864	6/5	East Fourth St., between K & L Sts., Ladder 19	4.21.1905
			East Fourth St., between K & L Sts., Comb. Wagon 2	5.10.1893
			East Fourth St., bet. K & L Sts., Hose House No. 12	5.10.1882
			Fourth St., between K & L Sts., Steamer House No. 2	4.28.1864
			Engine House No. 2, Fourth St.	9.17.1860
			Engine House No. 14, Fourth St.	1858
			Primary Schoolhouse, Broadway between L & M Sts.	1856
			House of Industry	4.28.1852
			Discontinued on 9.06.1913	
7411	6.15.1915	122 128 Dup.	Dorchester and Vinton Sts.	1.12.1904
			Dorchester and Jenkins Sts.	11.13.1893
			Hose Co. 10, Dorchester and Jenkins St.	7.25.1887
			Dorchester and Jenkins Sts., Hose Co. 10	12.03.1877
			Changed to Box 7236 on 11.02.1955	
7414	6.15.1915	161	Carney Hospital, 34 Old Harbor St.	6.12.1896
			Discontinued on 3.12.1954	

#### Notes;

The first Fire Alarm boxes In South Boston were numbered using the District / Station numbering system.

On April 28, 1864, a new three digit number system was established and numbers in the 100 series were assigned to boxes in South Boston.

Due to the lack of numbers for new boxes, duplicate numbers were introduced in 1875.

In June of 1887, fire boxes in East Boston were renumbered from the high 100 series to the 600 series and the high 100 numbers were reassigned for use in South Boston.

A new four digit number system was introduced in 1914. Numbers in the 7100 to 7400

series were assigned to South Boston beginning in June of 1915.  
The letter p next to the box number indicates phantom box.