

CITY OF DALLAS TX

316.5.1 Electrified Fences and Barriers

Electrified fences and barriers shall comply with the Texas Local Government Code, Section 51A-4.602 of the Dallas City Code, and this section.

316.5.1.1 Existing (Prior to September 1, 2019) Electrified Fences and Barriers

Existing electrified fences and barriers shall comply with all of the following requirements:

1. Only listed and labeled electrified fencing materials shall be used.
2. Electrified fences shall be provided with an off/on status indicator.
3. Electrified fences shall be clearly marked with warning signs. Warning signs shall be placed at each entrance to the property on the electrified fence and at a maximum of 30 foot intervals along the entire perimeter of the fence line.
4. Warning signs shall be printed on both sides in both English and Spanish with the following: "WARNING ELECTRIFIED FENCE" and contain the international symbol for electric shock hazard. Warning signs shall be reflective with a minimum 2 inch letter height, minimum stroke of 1/2 inch and with a contrasting background.
5. Electrified fences shall not be energized during normal hours of operation.
6. An approved method to manually deactivate the *power source* to all portions of the electrified fence shall be provided and maintained on the exterior of and separated from it by no less than twelve inches.

316.5.1.2 Electrified Fences and Barriers Installed After September 1, 2019

Electrified fences and barriers installed after September 1, 2019, shall comply with the Texas Local Government Code.