



Safety Glazing

Identification

- Each pane of glazing installed in hazardous locations shall be provided with a manufacturer's mark designating the type of glass and the safety glazing standard with which it complies. The designation shall be acid etched, sandblasted, ceramic-fired, laser etched, embossed, or be of a type which once applied cannot be removed without being destroyed. A *label* shall be permitted in lieu of the manufacturer's designation (R308.1.1).

Where required (hazardous locations)

- Glazing in doors, guardrails, skylights and greenhouses.
- Glazing adjacent to doors within a 24" arc of the door in a closed position where the bottom edge of the glazing is less than 60" above the floor.
Exception: Glazing in walls on the latch side of and perpendicular to the plane of the door.
- Windows with an area of 9 square feet or more, where the bottom of the glazing is less than 18" above the floor, the top is more than 36" above the floor and there is a walking surface within 36".
Exception: Where a horizontal rail installed on the accessible side of the glazing is installed 34" to 36" above the floor.
- Glazing and wet surfaces: Enclosures or fences for hot tubs, spas, whirlpools, saunas, steam rooms, bathtubs, showers, swimming pools where the bottom edge of the glazing is less than 60" above the floor.
Exceptions: Glazing that is more than 60" measured horizontally from the water's edge of a bathtub, spa, whirlpool or swimming pool.
- Glazing adjacent to stairs and ramps where the bottom edge of the glazing is less than 36" above the walking surface.
Exceptions: Where a horizontal rail installed on the accessible side of the glazing is installed 34" to 36" above the walking surface. Where glazing is more than 36" horizontally from the walking surface.
- Glazing adjacent to the bottom stair landing. Where the glazing is less than 36" above the landing and within 60" measured horizontally from the bottom tread.

Call the City of Mendota Heights' Department of Building Safety at 651 452 1850 if you have questions (8:00-4:30 M-F).