

City of Amherst, Ohio
Building & Fire Department
480 Park Avenue
Amherst, Ohio 44001
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POLICY

- OUTSIDE ELECTRICAL DISCONNECTS
- INSIDE ELECTRIC PANEL DISCONNECTS
- USE OF COPPER WIRE
- FEEDER CONDUCTORS TO SWITCHBOARDS & PANELBOARDS, OTHER EQUIPMENT

Ord. 1305.43 All Commercial Buildings are required to have a main electrical disconnect with access from the outside.

All electrical services rated at 400amps, 3 phase, and 400 amps, single phase, and lower shall have an outside disconnect. This shall also include residential dwellings used as a commercial business, detached buildings from same, and agricultural buildings.

Every Main Panel and Sub Panel shall have a main breaker installed to disconnect power.

Only copper wire shall be installed from the load side of a meter base to a panel.

Feeder Conductors shall be sized to the Rating Label of the switchboard, panel board, or other equipment connected.

John R. Calvey, Chief Building Official

Ron Konowal, Building Inspector

Dave Busch, Electrical Inspector