

# HB 4249 (2019) Public Act 30 of 2019

911 Location Information Requirements for MLTS

- The following slides walk you through the 911 requirements for MLTS in the State of Michigan. Click on the appropriate option on each slide to move forward to get to the requirements for the MLTS in question.
  - If the MLTS is for a house of worship, a farm, or a location with a 24-hour alternative method of notification, please select the appropriate option to the right.
- Farm
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Is the total  
workspace  
over 7,000  
square feet?



Yes



No

Is the MLTS for  
a single  
building?



Yes



No

Does it occupy  
a single floor?



Yes



No

Is the building  
less than  
20,000 square  
feet?



Yes



No

Are there less  
than 20  
communications  
devices on the  
MLTS?



Yes



No

Do the buildings  
all have the same  
physical address?



Yes



No

Is the workspace located on a single floor in the separate buildings?



Yes



No

Is the MLTS  
covering more  
than one floor in  
the separate  
buildings with  
separate  
addresses?



Yes



No

The MLTS must identify the specific location of each communications device, including the street address.

When does this need to happen?

The MLTS must deliver the specific location of each communications device, including the street address and building floor, to 911. This must be in effect by December 31, 2020.

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The MLTS must give the specific location of each communications device in each building, in addition to the street address and any unique building identifiers if applicable.

When does this need to happen?

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The MLTS shall identify the specific location of each communications device in each building, including the street address, building floor and any unique building identifier if applicable. This must be in place by Dec 31, 2020.

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The MLTS must deliver the specific location of each communications device in each building, including the street address and any unique building identifiers if applicable to 911. This must be in place by December 31, 2020.

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This must be in effect by  
December 31, 2020.

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This must be in effect with  
the installation of a new  
MLTS after January 1, 2020.

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The MLTS is not required by law to provide specific device location information to 911. The MLTS must provide the building address. It is recommended that if the specific location information configuration is available with the MLTS to implement this feature.

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# Farm Definition

- “Farm” means the land, plants, animals, buildings, structures, including ponds used for agricultural or aquacultural activities, machinery, equipment, and other appurtenances used in the commercial production of farm products.
- A farm does not include a farm producing or selling any product or crop that is unable to be sold in interstate commerce.
- Does the farm for the MLTS in question meet the definition of a farm as provided?



Yes



No

Does the farm have less than twenty communications devices located within one building?



Yes



No

The MLTS operator shall identify the specific location of each communications device, including the street address. The MLTS operator is exempt from providing the specific location of each communications device until the installment of a new MLTS after January 1, 2020.

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Farm  
Exemption

# House of Worship Definition

- Houses of public worship, with the land on which they stand, the furniture therein and all rights in the pews, and any parsonage owned by a religious society of this state and occupied as a parsonage. Houses of public worship includes buildings or other facilities owned by a religious society and used predominantly for religious services or for teaching the religious truths and beliefs of the society.
- The exemption provided under this subsection does not extend to a school controlled by the house of worship at the same address.
- Does the House of Worship meet the definition provided above?



Yes



No

# House of Worship

Is the MLTS for  
a single  
building?



Yes



No

## House of Worship Single Building

Are there less  
than 20  
communications  
devices?



Yes



No

The MLTS operator shall identify, at a minimum, the street address.

An MLTS operator is exempt from providing the specific location of each communications device until the installation of a new MLTS purchased after January 1, 2020.

The exemption provided under this subsection does not extend to a school controlled by the house of worship at the same address.

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Single  
Building  
House of  
Worship

# House of Worship Multiple Buildings

Do the  
buildings have  
the same  
street address?



Yes



No

House of Worship  
Multiple  
Buildings, Same  
Address

Are there less  
than twenty  
communications  
devices?



Yes



No

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House of  
Worship,  
multiple  
buildings, same  
street address,  
less than 20  
communications  
devices.

At a minimum the MLTS operator shall identify the street address and a unique building identifier. A MLTS operator is exempt from providing the specific location of each communications device until the installation of a new MLTS purchased after January 1, 2020. The exemption provided under this subsection does not extend to a school controlled by the house of worship at the same address.

House of  
Worship, Multiple  
Buildings and  
Addresses

Are there less  
than 20  
communications  
devices?



Yes



No

House of Worship, multiple buildings, more than one street address, less than 20 communications devices.

The MLTS operator shall identify, at a minimum, the specific street address of the caller's location and a unique building identifier, if applicable. A MLTS operator is exempt from providing the specific location of each communications device until the installation of a new MLTS purchased after January 1, 2020. The exemption provided under this subsection does not extend to a school controlled by the house of worship at 1 of its addresses.

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# 24-Hour basis alternative notification exemption

- An MLTS operator is exempt from the specific location identification requirements under this section if the building maintains, on a 24-hour basis, an alternative method of notification and adequate means of signaling and responding to emergencies including, but not limited to, a communications system that provides the specific location of 9-1-1 calls from within the building or the building is serviced with its own appropriate medical, fire, and security personnel.
- Alternative methods of notification means that an internal system exists that will locate the communications device used to make a 9-1-1 call and initiate an emergency response.

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# Definitions

- Communications device means a device that is integrated into the design and operation of the multiline telephone system and by using the multiline telephone system is capable of accessing, connecting with, or interfacing with a 9-1-1 system, exclusively through the numerals 9-1-1, by dialing, initializing, or otherwise activating the 9-1-1 system through the numerals 9-1-1 by means of a local telephone, cellular telephone, wireless communications device, interconnected voice over the internet device, or any other means.
- MLTS means a system comprised of common control unit or units, telephone sets with unique telephone numbers, and control hardware and software
- MLTS operator means a service user who owns, leases, or rents from a third party, and operates an MLTS
- Specific Location means a room or unit number, or room name, or equivalent, unique designation of a portion of a structure or building to which a 9-1-1 emergency response team may be dispatched, and the caller quickly located, that is not more than 7,000 square feet.
- Work space means the physical building area where work is normally performed, measured by net square footage, including offices; production, warehouse, and shop floors; storage areas; hallways; conference rooms; break rooms; and other common areas. Work space does not include wall thickness; shafts; heating, ventilating, or air conditioning equipment spaces; mechanical or electrical spaces, or similar areas where employees do not normally have access.

# Further Reading

- The bill itself can be viewed at the following link.
  - <http://legislature.mi.gov/doc.aspx?mcl-484-1413>
- For further information related to 911 in the State of Michigan
  - [www.Michigan.gov/snc](http://www.Michigan.gov/snc)