Knox -Box Information for Commercial Properties that are required to install a KNOX-BOX key box for Fire Dept. access into a commercial building with a sprinkler system, alarm system or both installed.

Beginning January 1, 2014, Knox-Box Company is modifying their product offering to also include a tamper switch as standard in all of their commercial KNOX-BOX and KNOX-VAULT key box products:

- 3200 Series KNOX-BOX
- 4100 Series KNOX-VAULT
- 4400 Series KNOX-VAULT

Given current market trends toward heightened security they have consolidated their product offering while making the tamper switch available as standard.

A KNOX-BOX key box with a tamper switch installed and connected alerts the business owner if the box has been opened or attacked. Also, it will be easier for a department to challenge false claims of compromise if an alarm hasn’t been tripped.

Knox is making this positive change in our product offering to underscore the fact that security is more than just an option, but also a manufacturer recommended best practice in maintenance of a secure and reliable Rapid Entry System.

As a reminder, there are two BEST PRACTICES to ensure the integrity of a KNOX-BOX key box. While the unit itself has the highest attack-resistant rating available (UL 1037), Knox recommends the following to ensure the highest level of protection and reliability of its products:

- ALWAYS mount the KNOX-BOX key box per the instructions using Grade 5 or 8 fasteners.
- ALWAYS connect the internal tamper switch to the building’s alarm system.

There will be new 2014 Authorization Order Forms starting Jan 1, 2014. Everyone that is required to purchase a KNOX-BOX key box will need to call (801) 852-6307 or (801) 852-6344 to get an order form. We can also e-mail or fax them. You will also be able to get one if you ask the Fire Inspector for one while he is at your site or business. You will then need to send the form to KNOX-BOX COMPANY to receive your key box.