

Sanborn Fire Insurance Maps

Locating Sanborn Maps

NEW!!: the [Digital Sanborn Maps](#) (1867-1970) are now available online.

Check the list below for the areas covered and format information.

Check the following book in the map area:

Fire Insurance Maps in the Library of Congress. (Z6026.17 U45 1981)

This book is divided into sections alphabetically by state. Some territories and Mexico are covered in the back. Find the appropriate section and city.

From the table listed there, find the city number, the dates covered, and the number of sheets (frames) for each year.

Using the city number and name, locate the correct reels (or sheets).

Coverage

1908	Mankato	Map Sheets	G4144.M2G475 1908.53
1947-1969	Minnesota	Grey Box Microfilm	G4141.G475 1950.F4 1993
Before 1952	IA, MN, ND,SD, WI	White Box Microfilm	G4121.G475 1983.S26 to G4181.G475 1983.S26
Before 1952	Minnesota	Computer File	Reference - CD - Rom G4141.G475 2000 S26

Other Information

The legend for the Sanborn Maps is located on top of the microfilm reels

The reel numbers for the grey box microfilms are next to the legend

Microfilm readers are available on the first floor of the library & in Maps

Microfilm readers are also available for check-out in the ERC downstairs

Microfilm prints can be made in the copy shop