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12 POINT FIRE EXTINGUISHER CHECK

- LOCATE MOST RECENT TEST/INSPECTION DATE - To determine need for required hydrostatic pressure test or internal inspection
- VISUAL EXTERNAL EXAMINATION – Perform careful inspection for signs of dents, rust, corrosion, pitting or other external shell deterioration
- CHECK PRESSURE GAUGE – To ensure that extinguisher is fully pressurized
- REMOVE DISCHARGE HOSE – To inspect for blockage
- CLEAN EXTINGUISHER – To assure extinguisher is visible and operation/instruction labels are readable
- EXAMINE MOVING MECHANICAL PARTS – To ensure that locking pin can be easily removed, check for smooth discharge lever operation and re-seal locking pin with a unique logo tamper seal
- WEIGH EXTINGUISHER – To ensure correct amount of extinguishing agent and proper volume of expellant gas
- INVERT EXTINGUISHER – To audibly determine the condition fire fighting agent and ensure free flow of agent when extinguisher is discharged
- CHECK HAZARD APPLICATION – To be sure that the fire extinguisher is of the right type and rating for the potential fire hazard it is protecting
- RETURN EXTINGUISHER TO ITS MOUNTED LOCATION
- CHECK MOUNTING – To ensure that extinguisher is securely installed, visible and accessible on the correct mounting hook or bracket
- ATTACH STATE LICENSED CERTIFICATION TAG