

# Fire Extinguisher



Residents should keep "A-B-C" type fire extinguishers close at hand in the house and garage. A fire extinguisher should be checked once a year to make sure it is well-maintained and will work when needed. You can learn how to properly use it by practicing and by watching videos that are available on the internet.

If you experience a fire, **first call 911**. Then, remember the word PASS to guide you in using your fire extinguisher:

**P** – Pull the arming pin

**A** – Aim the nozzle at the base of the fire

**S** – Squeeze the handles together to start the flow

**S** – Sweep the stream side to side until the fire is out

Learn how to be safe. Sign up for one of the City of Malibu's regularly scheduled, *free* Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) training classes or contact Brad Davis, Emergency Services Coordinator, at 310-456-2489, ext. 260 or [bdavis@ci.malibu.ca.us](mailto:bdavis@ci.malibu.ca.us) if you have questions.