

CITY OF CLAREMONT - IN THE YEAR TWO THOUSAND AND ELEVEN

ORDINANCE #519

“OUTDOOR WOOD-FIRED HYDRONIC HEATERS”

The City of Claremont Ordains:

Pursuant to RSA Chapter 31, RSA Chapter 47, RSA Chapter 147, RSA Chapter 153, RSA Chapter 155-A, RSA Chapter 674, and RSA Chapter 675, Article IX of Chapter 5, Outdoor Wood Fired Hydronic Heaters, of the Claremont City Code is hereby amended as follows:.

Section 1 Sec. 5-172 Definitions

Sec. 5-172 Definitions shall be amended to add the following new definitions:

Commercial-size outdoor wood-fired hydronic heater means an OWHH with a rated thermal output of greater than 350,000 Btu/hr as rated by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Method 28 OWHH Test Method, as may be amended, revised or re-adopted from time to time.

Residential-size outdoor wood-fired hydronic heater means an OWHH with a rated thermal output of 350,000 Btu/hr or less as rated by the EPA Method 28 OWHH Test Method, as may be amended, revised or re-adopted from time to time.

Section 2 Section 5-175 Permitting and Operation

Sec. 5-175 Permitting and Operation shall be amended to add new subsections (d) and (e):

(d) No residential size OWHH may be operated after May 15 and before September 15 of any year.

(e) All OWHH of whatever age or manufacture, shall be equipped with a properly functioning spark arrestor.

Section 3 Validity

If any article, section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid, such decision shall not affect the remaining portions of this ordinance.

Section 4 Construction

In the event any provision of this ordinance is found to be in conflict with any other provision of the Claremont City Code, the more stringent shall apply.

Section 5 Effective Date

This Ordinance shall take effect and be enforced immediately upon passage.

Introduced and passed on first reading _____, 2011.

Adopted by the Claremont City Council on _____, 2011.

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