

CITY OF MADISON, WISCONSIN

AN ORDINANCE _____

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April 30, 2013
BC, FC, CC and Licensing
Appeals Board

Amending Section 34.308 of the Madison General Ordinances to remove the language charcoal burns and eliminate 34.308(2)(b) exception of LP-gas burners with automatic sprinkler system.

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DRAFTER'S ANALYSIS: This ordinance eliminates the wording "charcoal burners" because it is covered by the definition of open-flame cooking device. This ordinance also eliminates the exception that permits LP-gas burners in buildings and areas that are covered with an automatic sprinkler system.

The Common Council of the City of Madison do hereby ordain as follows:

Section 34.308 entitled "Open Flames" of the Madison General Ordinances is amended to read as follows:

"34.308 OPEN FLAMES.

IFC section 308.1.4 shall be replaced with the following language:

- (1) ~~Charcoal burners and other~~ Open-flame cooking devices, including but not limited to charcoal, gas or pellet grills, shall not be operated on combustible balconies or within ten (10) feet of combustible construction. Exceptions:
 - (a) One- and two-family dwellings.
 - (b) Where buildings, balconies and decks are protected by an automatic sprinkler system.
- (2) LP-gas burners having an LP-gas container with a water capacity greater than two and a half (2½) pounds [nominal 1 pound (0.454 kg) LP-gas capacity] shall not be stored or operated on balconies unless they are served by exterior stairways. Exceptions:
 - (a) One- and two-family dwellings.
 - (b) ~~Where buildings, balconies and decks are protected by an automatic sprinkler system.~~

Approved as to form: