

INTERNATIONAL FIRE CODE – 2015

SECTION 308: OPEN FLAME COOKING DEVICES

308.1.4 Open-flame cooking devices. Charcoal burners and other open-flame cooking devices shall not be operated on combustible balconies or within 10 feet (3048 mm) of combustible construction.

Exceptions:

1. One- and two-family *dwellings*.
2. Where buildings, balconies and decks are protected by an *automatic sprinkler system*.
3. LP-gas cooking devices having LP-gas container with a water capacity not greater than 2-½ pounds [nominal 1 pound (0.454 kg) LP-gas capacity].

As with any open flame device, we ask our residents to exercise caution and good judgement when using this type of device:

1. Do not leave device unattended
2. Use a properly fitting lid
3. Have a fire extinguisher handy for the type of fuel you will be using
4. Turn fuel supply off when leaving the device
5. Do not move the device inside until cool

ATTACHED TO THIS DOCUMENT ARE SAMPLES OF OPEN FLAME COOKING DEVICES, ALLOWED BY CODE, AT APARTMENT BUILDINGS IN TROY.

Examples of an Approved Table Top Model LPG Grill



Example of an approved Stand-Up Model LPG Grill



Examples of an Un-Approved LPG Grill



If your LPG grill uses a fuel cell **LARGER** than the standard 1-lb cylinder, ***it is not approved*** for use within 10 feet of combustible construction, or, on balconies