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Requirements for Installation and Operation of Heating Appliances to include stationary standby generators

(State Fire Code Part Saf-C6011)

<https://www.nh.gov/safety/divisions/firesafety/legal/documents/Saf-C6000FireandLifeSafetyAdoptedRuleAugust252020.pdf>

STATE FIRE CODE: RSA 153:1 VI-a. "New Hampshire fire code" or "state fire code" means the adoption by reference of the Life Safety Code 2018 edition and the Uniform Fire Code NFPA 1, 2018 edition, as published by the National Fire Protection Association and as amended by the state board of fire control and ratified by the general court pursuant to RSA 153:5. The provisions of any other national code, model code, or standard referred to within a code listed in this definition shall be included in the state fire code unless amended in accordance with RSA 153:5.

<http://www.gencourt.state.nh.us/rsa/html/XII/153/153-1.htm>

INSPECTIONS REQUIRED:

- Final equipment operation stage for all mechanical installations
- Inspections are conducted on Wednesdays and Thursdays unless other arrangements have been made prior to installation.
- The installer will be present during the final inspection unless other arrangements have been made.
- If supply lines or tanks are to be buried inspection prior to covering must be conducted.
- Prior to occupancy of a commercial building or residential dwelling an inspection will be conducted, and a Certificate of Occupancy will be issued.

DOCUMENTS REQUIRED:

- Installation manual – provided to owner.
- A service tag will be affixed in the area of the oil burning equipment with the name of the installer, contact information, the date of install and that the equipment meets operation and combustion performance criteria.
- Copy of the "Permit to Install or Operate" shall be conspicuously posted near the appliance and be available at the time of the final inspection.
- For all LP or Natural Gas system installation, a copy of the "Gas Fitters" license is require when applying for the installation permit and a copy of the "Mechanical Business Entity License"

The Sanbornton Fire & Rescue requires permitting and inspections on all the following installations

GOVERNING CODES:

Oil Burning Equipment (including replacement of supply/storage tanks)

- NFPA 31 and referenced codes therein for Oil Burning Equipment (2016 edition)
- State Fire Code Part Saf-C 6012
- NFPA 211 (2016 edition)
- State Fire Code Part Saf-C 6013

LP or Natural Gas equipment or appliances (including replacement of supply/storage tanks)

- NFPA 54 (2018 edition)
- NFPA 58 (2017 edition)
- NFPA 1 (2018 edition)
- NFPA 211 (2016 edition)
- State Fire Code Part Saf-C 6009

Stationary Automatic Generators

- NFPA 37 (2017 edition)
- NFPA 54 (2018 edition)
- NFPA 58 (2017 edition)
- NFPA 70 (2020 edition)

Solid Fuel Burning Appliances (woodstoves, pellet stoves and outside wood furnaces)

- NFPA 211 (2016 edition)

APPLICATION & PERMITS:

- Town of Sanbornton Fire Department's "Permit to Install and Operate Heating Appliances" found at https://www.sanborntonnh.org/sites/g/files/vyhlf3776/f/uploads/heatingappliancepermit2022_0.pdf or at the Central Fire Station at 565 Sanborn Road, Sanbornton NH.

For all questions pertaining to Fire Department permitting, inspections or E911, please contact Chief Paul Dexter at (603) 286-4819 or by email at pdexter@sanborntonfire.com

Yours if public safety,

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