

ORDINANCE NO. 5242

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE LOCATION OF FUEL-FIRED APPLIANCES BY ADDING SECTION 15.26.255 TO THE RAPID CITY MUNICIPAL CODE.

WHEREAS, the International Mechanical Code regulates the location of fuel-fired appliances; and

WHEREAS, the Rapid City Mechanical Board has recommended changes to the wording of the International Mechanical Code regulating the location of fuel-fired appliances; and

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Rapid City deems it to be in the City's best interests to adopt the recommendation of the City's Mechanical Board.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City of Rapid City that Section 15.26.255 be added to the Rapid City Municipal Code, to read as follows:

15.26.255 IMC Chapter 3, Section 303.3 Prohibited locations - Amended

303.3 Prohibited locations. Fuel-fired appliances shall not be located in, or obtain combustion air from, any of the following rooms or spaces:

1. Sleeping rooms.
2. Bathrooms.
3. Toilet rooms.
4. Storage closets.
5. Surgical rooms.

Exception: This section shall not apply to the following appliances:

1. Direct-vent appliances that obtain all combustion air directly from the outdoors.
2. Solid fuel-fired appliances, provided that the room is not a confined space and the building is not of unusually tight construction.
3. Appliances installed in ~~a dedicated an~~ an enclosure in which all combustion air is taken directly from the outdoors, in accordance with Section 703 from sources other than a bedroom or bathroom. Access to such enclosure shall be through a solid ~~door, weather-stripped in accordance with the exterior door air leakage requirements of the International Energy Conservation Code and~~ door, equipped with an approved self-closing device.

CITY OF RAPID CITY

Mayor

ATTEST:

Finance Officer

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