

ORDINANCE NO. 2012-01

ORDINANCE PROHIBITING OUTSIDE WOOD BURNING STOVES

WHEREAS, the City of Clarks Grove already has ordinances regulating nuisance matters and open burning matters; and

WHEREAS, the City of Clarks Grove deems said existing ordinances inadequate to deal with outside wood burning stoves; and

WHEREAS, the City of Clarks Grove deems the said outside wood burning stoves to constitute not only a nuisance and detrimental to the health and welfare of its residents as well as increased danger of fire hazzards;

NOW THEREFORE, it is hereby ordained by the Council of the City of Clarks Grove as follows:

(A) No outside wood stoves shall be allowed in the city.

(B) Outside wood stoves shall be defined as a free standing outside devise designed to burn wood, wood pellets, or other combustible material.

(C) No person shall operate any outside wood stove after the publication of the ordinance on which this section is based.

(D) Failure to comply with the provisions of this section shall subject the violator to a misdemeanor charge.

(E) It shall be a separate violation for each day that the violation continues.

SEVERABILITY CLAUSE. If any section, part of provision of this Ordinance is declared unconstitutional or invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, then it is expressly provided and it is the intention of the City Council in passing this Ordinance that


its parts shall be severable and all other parts of this Ordinance shall not be affected thereby and they shall remain in full force and effect.

PUBLICATION AND EFFECTIVE DATE. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and publication according to law.

READ, CONSIDERED, PASSED AND APPROVED at a regular meeting of the City Council of Clarks Grove, Minnesota, which a quorum was present and which was held on the 13 day of August, 2012.


CITY OF CLARKS GROVE
By: Bruce Hanson, Mayor

ATTEST:

BY: 
City Clerk