



Barbeques

Barbeques are not permitted on balconies

Excerpt from City of Guelph Fire Prevention By Law No.12716 (1988)

Ontario Fire Code - subsection 2.6.3.4. "Open air burning shall not be permitted unless approved, or unless such burning consists of a small confined fire, supervised at all times, and used to cook food on a grill or barbeque."

10. Notwithstanding subsection 2.6.3.4. of the Ontario Fire Code, no person shall light, ignite or start, or permit to be lighted, ignited or started, a fire in a grill or barbeque for the purpose of cooking food on a balcony of any building containing two (2) or more dwelling units. "Barbeque includes any metal frame for cooking over heat or flame, whether such heat or flame is produced by gas, electricity wood or otherwise."

Penalty

13. Every persons who contravenes any provision of this by-law, or fails to comply with any Order issued under this by-law, is guilty of an offence and, on conviction, is liable to a fine of not more than \$2,000.00, exclusive of costs, recoverable under the Provincial Offences Act.

14. The imposition or payment of a fine for failure to comply with an Order does not relieve the person convicted from the continuing obligation of complying with that Order.

Propane Barbeques

"Place your barbeque away from combustible surfaces when it is operating. It should not be close to a wooden fence or beneath a combustible roof, overhang or even a low tree. It is unlawful to operate a barbeque within 10 feet of a combustible wall or a window (open or closed) of a building."

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