In accordance with Chapter 7.06 of the Municipal Code and Town Council Resolution 2007-18, the Building & Safety Division, as part of their inspection duties for building permits, will inspect homes for non-compliant solid fuel burning devices. Non-compliant solid fuel burning devices are generally woodstoves and fireplace inserts manufactured prior to 1988. As a condition of the building permit issued to you, all non-certified solid fuel burning devices must be removed from your property or made permanently inoperable.

Your building permit is subject to this inspection requirement because:

- The building permit is for an addition or interior remodeling, alterations or mechanical equipment with a project valuation of $5,000 or greater;
- Your home was constructed prior to 1994; and
- A certificate of compliance, verifying that there are no non-compliant devices, has not been issued to your property.

Prior to or at the time of final inspection, the building inspector will inspect your home to verify that all non-compliant solid fuel burning devices have been removed from your property or have been made permanently inoperable. If there is a non-compliant on your property and it has not been made permanently inoperable, the building inspector will not approve your final inspection and your building permit will not be finaled until the device has been removed or made inoperable.

### Appliances that Must Be Removed
- Woodstoves and Fireplace Inserts not certified by Environmental Protection Agency or the Oregon Department of Environmental Quality

### Appliances that Do Not Have to Be Removed
- Woodstoves, EPA Phase I and II Certified
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- Woodstoves, Oregon DEQ Certified
- Fireplace Inserts, Oregon DEQ Certified
- Open Masonry Fireplaces
- Zero-Clearance Fireplaces
- Pellet Fueled Wood Heaters, EPA Phase II Certified

If you are unsure if your solid fuel burning device must be removed, please refer to the attached handout, “Tips on Figuring Out if Your Solid Fuel Burning Device is Compliant.”

If you have any questions regarding solid fuel burning devices or the requirement to remove non-compliant devices, please talk to your building inspector or contact the Planning Division at (530) 582-27820, extension 2.