

Enjoy Your Propane Appliances

SAFELY

All Appliances

- *Always follow the manufacturer's installation and operating instructions exactly.*
- *Make sure everyone in your home, including children, is familiar with the safe operation of all propane appliances.*
- *Make sure the burner flame and pilot light on all appliances is blue. A yellow flame indicates a problem with your appliance, and you should immediately contact us to inspect the unit.*
- *Everyone in your home should be familiar with the smell of propane odorant. If you smell gas or suspect a gas leak, get everyone out of the house immediately and call your local fire department from a safe location.*

Water Heater

- *Make sure your water heater has a temperature and pressure relief valve.*
- *Always vent water heaters to the outdoors.*
- *Maintain a setting no more than 120 degrees Fahrenheit.*
- *Keep the area around the water heater clean and well ventilated. So not store paper, clothing or other flammable material near the water heater.*
- *Do not use or store flammable liquids near the water heater. They can ignite from exposure to any open flame such as a water heater pilot light.*
- *When possible, elevate heater 18 inches from the floor.*

- *Drain the water heater tank regularly (until water runs clear) to clear out sediment that has built up at the bottom of the tank.*

Stove Top & Range

- *Never use gas ranges or ovens to heat a room. Extended use can drain oxygen from the air and cause asphyxia or carbon monoxide poisoning.*
- *Turn burners off when not in use.*
- *Do not store flammable items on or near the range.*
- *Do not cover the bottom of the oven with foil because it can restrict heat and air circulation.*
- *Always keep pot handles turned inward.*
- *Make sure children understand never to turn knobs on the front of your range.*
- *In case of a fire, turn off the range or oven. Use a powder fire extinguisher or sprinkle the area with baking soda.*

Clothes Dryer

- *Be sure your dryer's vent is unobstructed.*
- *Clean the lint screen after each use.*
- *Clean the exhaust duct regularly.*
- *Check the outside vent regularly and make sure it opens and closes freely.*
- *Never run your dryer when not at home.*