



SITE BUILT FIREPLACES

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WOOD BURNING SITE BUILT FIREPLACES

1. Shall have a flue damper per IRC R1001.7.1.
2. Shall have a min. 6 sq. in. outside source of combustion air per R1006.4.
3. Shall have tight fitting glass or metal doors OR a U.L. listed flue induction fan per R1001.7.1 and R1006.2.

GAS LOG SETS IN SITE BUILT FIREPLACES

1. Shall have a U.L. listed or approved automatic flue damper with controls operated by the gas log set. A manual damper will not be allowed per IFGC 503.13.
2. Shall have a min. 3 sq. in. outside source of combustion air per IFGC 304.6.
3. Doors are not required.

DECORATIVE SHROUDS

1. Decorative shrouds on factory built chimneys for either gas appliances or wood burning appliances shall be U.L. listed and labeled for the specific application installed on a factory built appliance or chimney per IRC R1005.2 and G2427.5.3; NFPA 54 12.7.2; IMC 805.6; IFGC 503.6.4.1. (exemption: the Building Official may approve shroud installations on a case-by-case basis if wet stamped mechanical engineered plans are submitted for the application installed).
2. Open top shrouds are not allowed above 70 Pg ground snowload because snow can be trapped inside of the shroud and plug the chimney.

FACTORY BUILT FIREPLACES AND CHIMNEYS

1. Factory built fireplaces and chimneys shall adhere to manufacture's specifications and applicable codes.

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BUILDING OFFICIAL: MELORP