Code Information About Grills on Porch

308.1.4 Open-flame cooking devices.

Charcoal burners and other open-flame cooking devices shall not be operated on combustible balconies or within 10 feet (3048 mm) of combustible construction.

Exceptions:

1. One- and two-family dwellings.

2. Where buildings, balconies and decks are protected by an automatic sprinkler system.

3. LP-gas cooking devices having LP-gas container with a water capacity not greater than 2 ½ pounds [nominal 1-pound (0.454 kg) LP-gas capacity].

For more information, contact the Fire Prevention Bureau at 864.467.4450.