

**ORDINANCE FOR ADOPTION OF THE  
MODEL CONSERVATION STANDARDS  
EQUIVALENT CODE  
ORDINANCE NO. 141-86**

**Whereas,** it has been determined that failure to adopt an energy code could cause financial hardship on all the residents of Bonneville County and,

**Whereas,** an energy code would benefit future home buyers to have a better and more efficient home and,

**Whereas,** failure to adopt an energy code poses a potential health hazard to individuals living in homes with more air tight construction practices being used.

**Now therefore,** be it ordained by the County Commissioners of Bonneville County as follows:

An ordinance of the County of Bonneville, State of Idaho adopting the July 1986 edition of the Model Conservation Equivalent Code, the Model Conservation Standards Equivalent Code Technical Appendix and Conversion Standards Appendix L without modification, regulating the erection, construction, enlargement, alteration, repair, moving, conversion, occupancy, equipment and maintenance of all buildings or structures in the County of Bonneville providing for the issuance of permits therefore; providing for penalties for the violation thereof.

**Section 1.** That certain documents, three (3) copies of which are on file and are open for inspection of the public in the office of the County Zoning Administrator of the County of Bonneville, being marked and designated as:

- A. Model Conservation Standards Equivalent Code Amendments to the Model Energy Code, July 1986 Edition, published by the Northwest Power Planning Council.
- B. Model Conservation Standards Equivalent Code Technical Appendix.
- C. Conversion Standards Appendix L.

**Section 2. ADMINISTRATION.** The Model Conservation Equivalent Code will be administered in accordance with Chapters 1, 2, and 3 of the current adopted Edition of the Uniform Building Code. It is the intention of the County of Bonneville that the cost of enforcement of the provisions of, and monetary incentives for early adoption of this code, shall be provided by the Bonneville Power Administration. It is acknowledged that these incentives will decrease and eventually be removed. If this occurs, this ordinance will still remain in effect. Enforcement cost from that point on will be born by the County of Bonneville, State of Idaho.

**Section 3.** That if any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance is, for any reason, held to be invalid or unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of the remaining portions of this ordinance. The County of Bonneville hereby declares that it would have passed this ordinance, and each section, subsection, clause or phrase hereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses and phrases be declared unconstitutional.

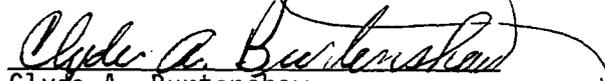
**Section 4. PENALTIES.** Each violation of this ordinance or of any regulation, order or ruling promulgated hereunder shall constitute a misdemeanor and be punished by a fine of not more than \$300.00 or imprisonment for not more than six months in jail or both such fine and imprisonment, for each day a violation continues to exist it shall constitute a separate offense.

**Section 5.** That the County Zoning Administrator is hereby ordered and directed to cause this ordinance to be published.

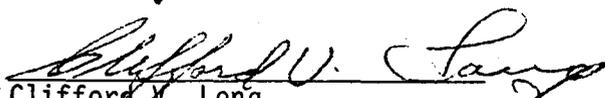
**Section 6.** That this ordinance and the rules, regulations, provisions, requirements, orders, and matter established and adopted hereby shall take effect and be in full force and effect January 1, 1987.

Dated September 29, 1986.

Bonneville County Commissioners

  
Clyde A. Burtenshaw

  
A. Wylie Sparr

  
Clifford X. Long