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## BARBEQUE INSPECTION GUIDELINES

### BBQ Island Construction

#### THE GAS SUPPLY LINE SHALL BE:

- ¾ in diameter schedule 40 PVC pipe, rated for natural gas or LPG use.
- Located in a trench with a minimum of 18" of cover, and include a #18 AWG copper tracer wire.
- Equipped with a shut off valve not less than 3'-0" and not more than 6'-0" from the BBQ.
- Connected to the BBQ with a flex line.
- Where the supply line path travels under a structure (Including Patio Covers), the gas line shall be vented ( Please see attached sheet )

#### THE GAS LINE TEST SHALL BE 15 LBS. for 15 MINUTES:

- The electric conduit supply shall be in a trench with a minimum 18" of cover.
- All outlet locations shall be G.F.C.I. protected.
- Where a sink is installed, it shall drain to a 24"x 24" pit filled with ¾ inch rock and 6 inches of cover.
- The maximum height of the BBQ island construction shall not exceed 42" from natural grade or top of slab to counter top height.

This permit type is limited to two field inspections. All applicable utility inspections (Electric, Gas, Water) shall be called in as one inspection. The final inspection requires the completion and installation of all construction and equipment. Additional inspections may require an additional re-inspection fee.

### Portable BBQ Unit Installation

- This installation is for complete pre-constructed BBQ units.
- Gas supply lines are permitted only. All above guidelines apply.
- Should additional utilities be installed, separate building permits are required.

This permit type is limited to two inspections for the gas inspection and the final inspection. The BBQ unit must be in place at the time of final inspection. Additional inspections may require a re-inspection fee.

All construction and installation shall comply with current adopted California Building Codes and Riverside County ordinances.