

NORWAY ELECTRICAL ORDINANCE 2012

STANDARDS:

1. All wiring installation in any structure regulation by the Ordinance under this ordinance must conform to the provisions of the latest edition of the National Electrical Code published by the National Fire Protection Association. (The adopted State of Maine Standard) shall be the regulation to follow.

Purpose: to follow minimum safety standards

2. All newly constructed and/or created dwelling units must have an exterior main electrical shutoff disconnect located on the exterior of the structure in which the dwelling unit is located in a visible convenient location. All service upgrades will also be required to have an electrical shutoff disconnect located on the exterior of the structure.

Purpose: to enhance safety for first responders in a fire related event

3. Any dwelling that has an alternate power source (i.e. an automatic start generator) that activates once the power supply is interrupted or cut off shall have a warning sticker located on the meter socket disconnect on the exterior of the dwelling. (Warning stickers shall be provided by the Town of Norway).

Purpose: to warn Fire Personnel there is an alternate power source