



ENDWELL FIRE DEPARTMENT

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RESIDENTS URGED TO CHECK THEIR DEHUMIDIFIERS FOR RECALL

Over the past few years our fire department has seen several fires started by dehumidifiers.

If you have a dehumidifier in your home we encourage you to check for recalls. Several models have been recalled due to the possibility of overheating and causing fires.

Below are links to some of the recalled models. There may be others recalls other than these listed below. We suggest that you check the internet for the specific make or model that you have or contact the manufacturer of your dehumidifier to see if there has been a recall of the model that you own.

[Goldstar, General Electric, Sears Kenmore Humidifiers Recalled](#)

“These dehumidifiers have an internal electrical connection that can overheat, presenting a potential fire hazard to consumers.”

[Whirlpool announces recall of Dehumidifiers](#)

“The dehumidifiers can overheat, posing a fire hazard.”

[W. C. Wood recalls Edison dehumidifiers](#)

“Internal wiring can abrade on metal parts presenting a risk of electric shock to consumers if the insulation wears through.

[Danby Products recalls Dehumidifiers](#)

“The internal wiring can short-circuit and ignite, posing a fire hazard since the plastic enclosure may not meet the flame test requirements of the... safety standard.”