



CHECKLIST: TESTING YOUR BOILER THERMOSTAT

- TURN THE THERMOSTAT “OFF” AND WAIT FOR 15 MINUTES.

- MAKE SURE ALL SWITCHES AND CIRCUIT BREAKERS ARE IN THE “ON” POSITION.

- CHECK AND SEE WHAT TEMPERATURE THE THERMOSTAT IS DISPLAYING. TAKE NOTE OF THE TEMPERATURE HERE: _____

- SWITCH THE SYSTEM TO “HEAT.”

- NOW ADJUST THE TEMPERATURE TO 10 DEGREES HIGHER THAN THE TEMPERATURE YOU PREVIOUSLY NOTED. FOR INSTANCE, IF THE TEMPERATURE WAS 70 DEGREES YOU WILL WANT TO SET THE THERMOSTAT TO 80 DEGREES.

- OBSERVE THE SYSTEM FOR 10 MINUTES. HEAD OVER TO YOUR BOILER. YOU SHOULD NOTICE SOME ACTION OCCURRING. YOU SHOULD HEAR THE BURNERS FIRING, A PUMP RUNNING, OR STEAM GENERATING, OR YOU MIGHT SEE PRESSURE ON A GAUGE START TO BUILD UP.

- ASSUMING THAT YOU SEE OR HEAR SOME ACTION AT THE BOILER, FEEL THE PIPES THAT ARE COMING OUT OF THE BOILER. THEY SHOULD START TO FEEL WARM OR EVEN HOT. BE CAREFUL BECAUSE THEY MAY HEAT UP QUICKLY AND COULD BE HOT ENOUGH TO BURN YOUR HANDS.

- WALK THROUGH THE HOME AND FEEL THE RADIATORS OR HEAT VENTS TO SEE IF THEY ARE GETTING WARM.

- WRITE DOWN ANY AREAS WHERE THE RADIATORS OR HEAT VENTS ARE NOT GETTING WARM.

- CONTACT FREDERICK AIR AT 301-663-0300 TO SCHEDULE A DIAGNOSTIC.
