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Madison Stove Works (formerly RG Stove Works) *Preserving the values of vintage stoves and WPT*

Rick Gloe, owner of Madison Stove Works, is an artisan, preservationist, and loyal viewer and supporter of WPT. Passion for yesteryear's craftsmanship led Rick to develop a pure love for vintage stoves and their restorations.

Madison Stove Works has restored vintage stoves for museums, historic homes, period kitchens, bed and breakfasts, libraries and individual homes throughout the country. Vintage stoves emphasize elegance and style while providing energy efficiency and a green alternative to gas and fossil fuels.

Madison Stove Works' thorough restoration process gives each stove museum quality, maintains the stove's integrity and ensures its future value appreciation.

To achieve these goals, each stove restoration follows a detailed process:

- The stove is disassembled down to its smallest parts and each piece is sandblasted and cleaned for rust removal.
- Any missing parts are replaced and others are repaired as necessary.
- Nickel, chrome or copper-plated parts are buffed, polished and re-plated if needed.
- After careful assembly and fitting, stove paint is applied followed by polishing.

Gloe would like to thank individuals and businesses that support WPT. "Wisconsin Public Television is my source for diverse viewpoints, real in-depth journalism, inspiring entertainment and an environment that provides pure and safe education for learners of all ages," he said.

Discover more at madisonstoveworks.com or contact Gloe at 608-516-0890.