

efficient for the climate, we wanted enough storage that we could keep recreational gear here, and while we didn't want to replicate our west side home, we knew certain things that we loved, like cork floors."

Several iterations of the design were required to reach mutual agreement, Massey said, but ultimately the couple is thrilled that they prioritized the features they knew they wanted to retain, and that they kept open minds about others.


For example, Massey said, "We didn't agree on the woodstove. Bryon liked the smell of a woodstove, but I wanted to keep it simple with propane. We ultimately did a ductless system, and put in a highly efficient Canadian Pacific Energy stove with a blackened steel hearth. It really adds to the Scandinavian-cozy feel, and we're able to burn wood from trees trimmed from the lot."

"I like splitting wood when I'm here," added Byron, who created a firewood management location to the side of a small freestanding gear storage building. "We thought



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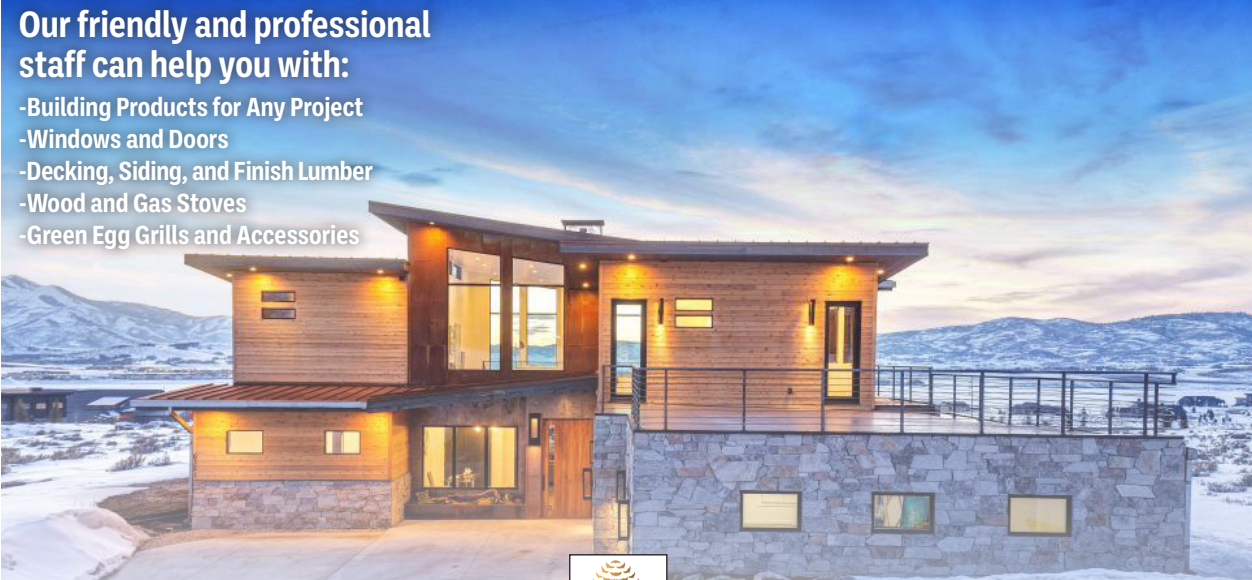



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