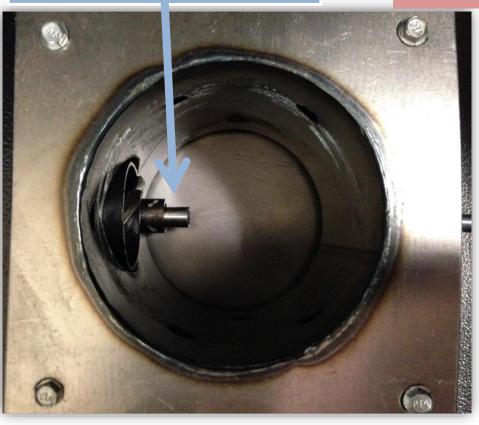
## How to replace the Pellet Grill Hot Rod



**Warning:** Before you begin make sure the item is unplugged from the power source.

This is the hot rod inside of the pellet smoker.

Before beginning make sure the Pellet grill is not plugged into a power source. The hopper needs to be empty of pellets.



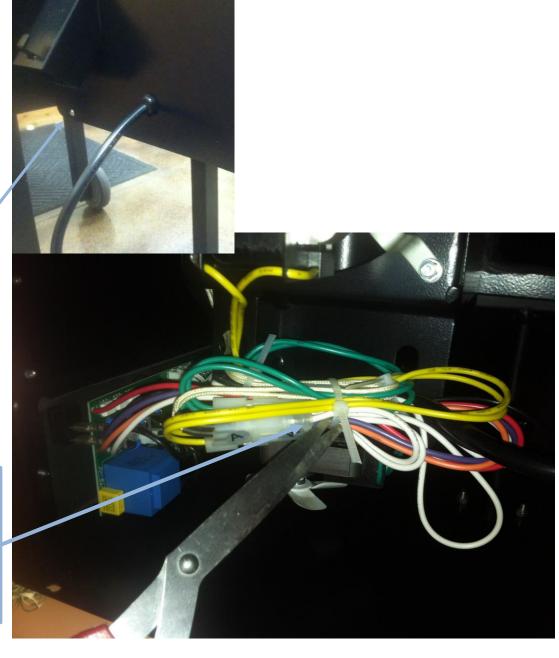
You will need to remove The hopper in order to replace the hot rod and get to the auger.





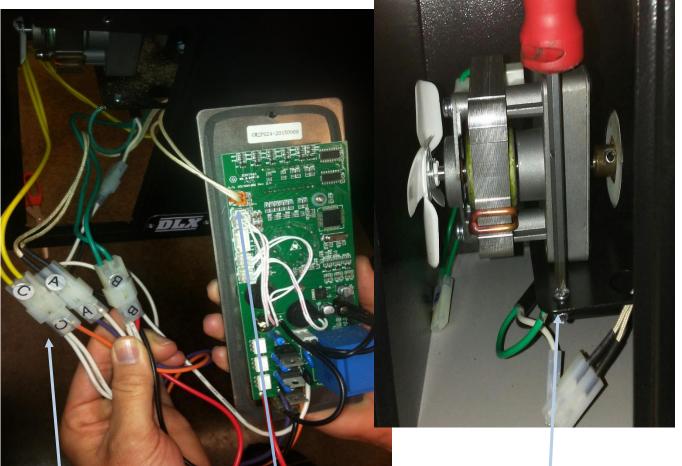
You will need to take the bottom panel off the hopper. Unscrew the 4 screws on the bottom panel 1 on the front, 2 on the side and 1 on the back.

Drop the bottom panel, then you will need to cut the zip ties off the wires.





Take the control panel off by unscrewing these 2 screws.



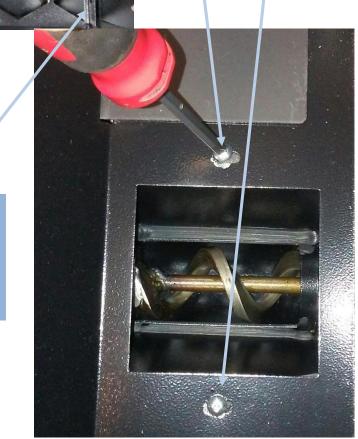
Unplug the internal temp
(thermocouple)
Unfasten the four clear clips
that attach the control
panel to the pellet grill and
set the controller aside

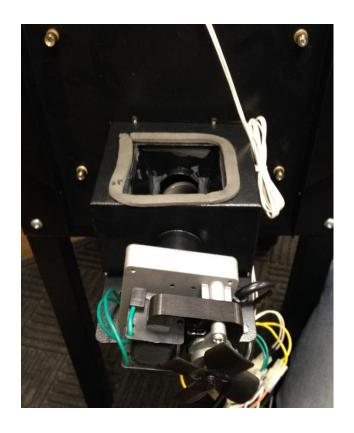
Remove the ground screw from the hopper. (this should be holding down a green wire.)

Next you will need to remove
the hopper cover. Remove
the two screws on the front
of the hopper cover as well as
the two screws on the back of
the hopper cover.

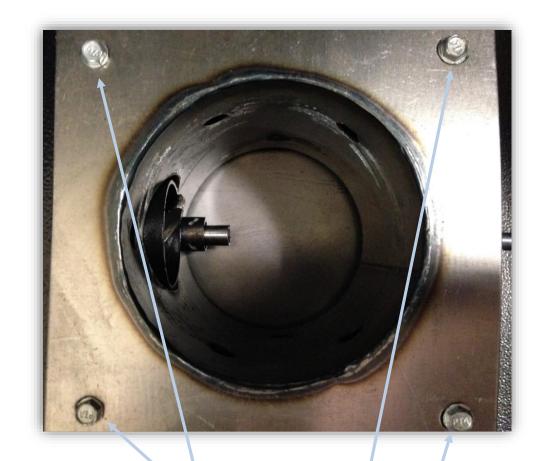
You will need to remove the honeycomb safety grate.

Remove the two screws in the bottom of the hopper

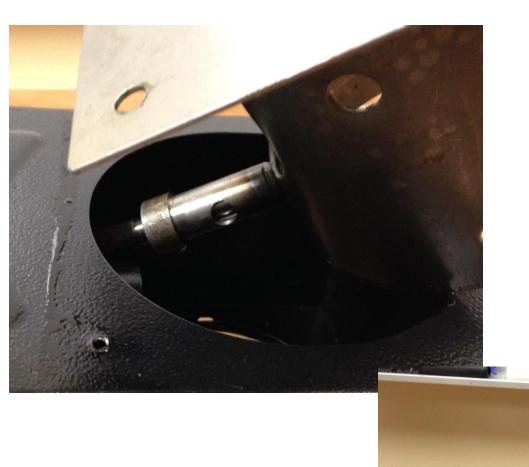




This is what the auger assembly. Looks like with out the hopper cover on it.



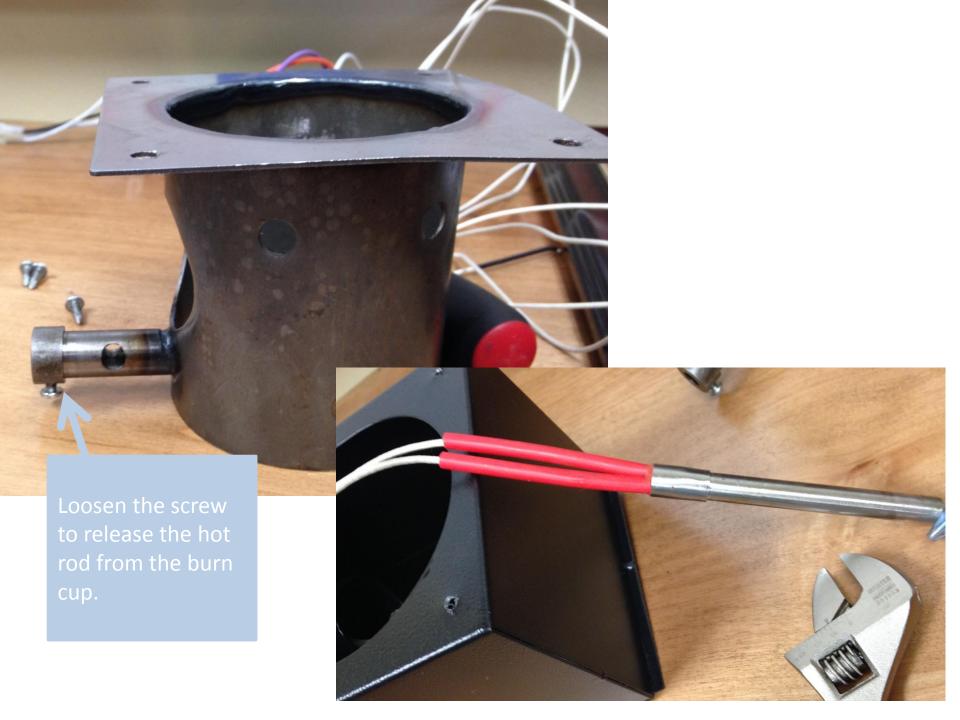
Go to the belly of the grill, you will need to take the burn cup out by unscrewing these 4 screws.



Take the burn cup out of the auger assembly. You will need to tilt and rotate it to get it out.

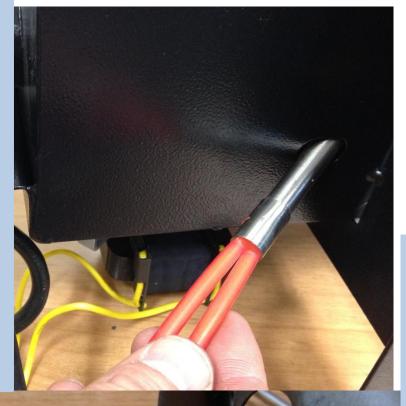
The hot rod should pull out with the burn cup







nsert the hot rod back into the burn cup, put the tip of the hot rod about .25" into the burn cup.



Screw the hot rod into the burn cup. Reinsert burn cup and put pellet grill back together. Make sure you bundle the wires together with something to avoid them getting caught in the fan.

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