



VILLAGE ACTION REPORT

PROJECT: Proposed Ordinance 05-2021

APPLICANT: n/a

PROJECT LOCATION: n/a

REPORT DATE: MAY 13, 2021

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: In response to a resident request the Village Board informally discussed changing pool safety measures required by the Village to include automated pool covers. This technology was not in use at the time the zoning ordinance was originally drafted. The Ordinance Review Committee researched the issue and drafted the language in the proposed Ordinance 05-2021.

PLAN COMMISSION MEETING: MAY 12, 2021

STAFF REPORT PROVIDED BY: X Planner, Engineer, Public Works

MOTION: by Jushchyshyn (1st), Ratcliff (2nd)

The motion to deny the ordinance was **APPROVED**.

VOTE: 5 Aye, 0 Nay, 1 Abstain

PUBLIC HEARING COMMENTS:

- None.

PLAN COMMISSION COMMENTS:

- (Jushchyshyn) – provided background since he is also a member of the Ordinance Committee.
- (Williams) – Village Board was interested in giving pool owners a choice.
- (Ratcliff) – has concerns about using only a cover. Gives no protection if not used.
- (Brinkmeier) – agrees with Ratcliff.
- (Schulze) – asked if fences are required to have self-closing latches. Jushchyshyn replied they are.
- (Broom) – asked if there was data available providing a comparison of the relative safety levels between fences and covers. Jushchyshyn replied the Ordinance Committee did a lot of research but did not have definitive data on the relative safety.

STAFF COMMENTS:

- (Manthe) – confirmed the proposed ordinance would still go before the Village Board with a negative recommendation.