REPORT TO Village Board



ITEM NAME:	Chickens	
MEETING DATE:	July 7, 2025	
PRESENTING COMMITTEE:	CLIPP	
COMMITTEE CONTACT:	Ken Charneski	
STAFF CONTACT:	Pete Wegner	
PREPARED BY:	Peter Wegner	

ISSUE: A request to discuss permitting chickens on smaller lots was made at the May 12, 2025 Village Board Meeting under the items for future agendas. This item was discussed during the March 3, 2025 Community Life, Infrastructure and Public Property Meeting. During that meeting, a motion was made to take no action to allow chickens in single family residential zoning districts. The motion was carried by a 4:0 vote. On May 29, 2025, the Village Board discussed whether the concept of permitting chickens in residential zoned areas should be forwarded to CLIPP for review. On June 2, 2025, the CLIPP Committee discussed allowing Chickens on smaller lots. Action was delayed. Will be discussed further at the July 7, 2025 CLIPP meeting.

OBJECTIVES: To review and discuss allowing chickens in Residential Zoning Districts.

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Review materials provided by staff. Direct staff how to proceed.

ATTACHMENTS (describe briefly): Chicken History, 2021 survey results, Current Ordinance Language and example Ordinances.