ORDINANCE # 2021-_____

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING
TITLE 8, ZONING,
CHAPTER 8, HEIGHT AND AREA REGULATIONS AND YARD EXCEPTIONS;
OF THE VILLAGE OF POPLAR GROVE MUNICIPAL CODE

WHEREAS, the Village of Poplar Grove has adopted Title 8 (Zoning Ordinance) of the Poplar Grove Municipal Code pursuant to the Illinois Compiled Statutes to establish and set forth regulations pertaining to the use and development of land, buildings, and structures in the Village; and,

WHEREAS, it is necessary and desirable to periodically amend the Zoning Ordinance in response to changes in technology, business and development practices, and community standards, and to improve administration and enforcement procedures; and,

WHEREAS, after due notice, the Planning and Zoning Commission held a public hearing to consider an amendment to the Zoning Ordinance on June 23, 2021 and has transmitted its recommendation on the matter to the Village Board; and,

WHEREAS, the Village Board has considered the Planning and Zoning Commission's findings of fact and recommendation.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND VILLAGE BOARD OF THE VILLAGE OF POPLAR GROVE, BOONE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. That Table 8-8-4 Permitted Yard Exceptions of the Village of Poplar Grove Zoning Ordinance (Title 8 of the Poplar Grove Municipal Code), adopted March 12, 2012 and as amended from time to time thereafter, be and is hereby amended, to read as follows:

Section 8-8-4: PERMITTED YARD EXCEPTIONS:

The following projections by buildings and structures are permitted to extend into the required setbacks (as defined in Chapter 6). In no instance shall any portion of a structure extend beyond a property line.

Table 8-8-4: Permitted Yard Exceptions:

Structure or Use	Front Yard Setback	Rear Yard Setback	Side Yard Setback
Air conditioner condenser units, extending no more than forty-eight (48) inches into the setback		P	P
Antenna, freestanding, for non-commercial purposes		P	
Athletic Courts (tennis, basketball, etc. Not including a hoop off of a driveway)		P	

Architectural ornamentation, e.g. sills, belt courses, cornices, extending no more than thirty (30) inches into the setback	P	P	P
Awnings and canopies, projecting no more than forty-eight (48) inches from the structure, extending up to a distance that is no less than three (3) feet from the lot line.	P	P	P
Balconies, projecting no more than five (5) feet from the structure	P	P	
Bay windows, having no foundation and projecting no more than thirty (30) inches from the structure	P	P	P
Carports, having a roof but no side walls, must be over a paved surface and three-feet from the side yard property line.			P
Chimneys, having no foundation and projecting no more than thirty (30) inches from the structure	P	P	P
Decks, open to the sky and less than thirty-six (36) inches above the ground, extending up to a distance that is no less than three (3) feet from the lot line (subject to ground coverage ratio defined in Chapter 6)		P	P
Driveways and walkways	P	P	P
Eaves and gutters, projecting no more than thirty (30) inches form the structure	P	P	P
Fences and walls (corner, double frontage and gateway lots may be permitted a fence in the front yard in accordance with Chapter 10)		P	P
Fire escapes, open to the elements and projecting no more than five (5) feet from the structure		P	P
Fuel pumps and associated canopies, in accordance with Chapter 9	P	P	P
Gazebos, cabanas and similar structures		P	
Outdoor storage		P	P
Parking Areas	P	P	P
Patio, open to the sky, extending up to a distance that is no less than three (3) feet from the lot line		P	
Porches projecting no more than either (8) feet from the structure up to a distance no less than three (3) feet from the lot line	P	P	P
Portico chere, projecting no more than fourteen (14) feet from the structure up to a distance no less than three (3) feet from the lot line	P	P	P
Recreational equipment, e.g. children's swing set, lawn games and courts, trampolines and other structures with appropriate fencing or safety netting		P	P
Signs and nameplates in accordance with Chapter 10	P	P	P
Solar energy devices, attached	P	P	P
Solar energy devices, detached		P	
Steps, at or below the first floor level	P	P	P

Storage tanks and storage silos, extending up to a distance that is no less than ten (10) feet from a lot line.		P	P
Storm shelters and similar structures, attached or detached, above or below grade		P	
Trash receptacles and enclosures		P	P
Utility meters, distribution boxes, pedestals and other above ground appurtenances		P	P
Vestibules, enclosed, extending more than four (4) feet into the setback	P	P	P
Wheelchair ramps	P	P	P

** "P" indicates accessory structure or use is permitted in the indicated setback as defined in Chapter 6.*
*** Other similar structures or uses not listed may be classified in similar structure or use categories as determined by the Zoning Administrator and are permitted within the yard(s) identified in such category*
**** If the requirements of this section are in variance with the requirements of any other lawfully adopted rules, regulations, or ordinances, the most restrictive or those imposing the higher standards shall govern*

*****Carports are only permitted in the R-2, R-3 and R-5 Districts. Carports shall not be comprised of a soft material and shall remain rust free.*

Section 2. If any section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, sentence or provision of this Ordinance shall be adjudged by any Court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such judgment shall not affect, impair, invalidate or nullify the remainder thereof, which remainder shall remain and continue in full force and effect.

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage as provided by law and pursuant to the Illinois Compiled Statutes. This written and foregoing Ordinance is published by authority of the corporate authorities of the Village of Poplar Grove in pamphlet form on this date.

PASSED by the Village Board of the Village of Poplar Grove this ____ day of _____, 2021.

APPROVED by the President of the Village of Poplar Grove this ____ day of _____, 2021.

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Donald Sattler, Village President

ATTEST:

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Karri Anderberg, Village Clerk

Ayes:____ Nays: ____ Absent ____

Village Board Members Voting Aye:_____

Village Board Members Voting Nay:_____

Date Published: _____ Sponsor:_____