

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
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COUNTY OF WINNEBAGO)

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION IN PAMPHLET FORM

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that I am the duly qualified and acting Legal Director and ex officio Keeper of the Records and Seal of the City of Rockford, Winnebago and Ogle Counties, Illinois (the "City"), and as such official I am the keeper of the official journal of proceedings, books, records, minutes and files of the City and of the City Council (the "City Council") thereof.

I do further certify that on the 20th day of August 2024 there was published in pamphlet form, by authority of the City Council, a true, correct and complete copy of Ordinance No. **2024-177-O** and said resolution was so published on said date readily available for public inspection and distribution, in sufficient number, at my office as Legal Director and ex officio Keeper of the Records and Seal located in the City.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have affixed hereto my official signature and the seal of the City, this 20th day of August 2024.





LEGAL DIRECTOR AND *EX OFFICIO*
KEEPER OF THE RECORDS AND SEAL

JR:sa

Committee report passed: 8/19/24

ORDINANCE NO. 2024-177-0

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROCKFORD,
ILLINOIS, THAT:

Chapter 105 of the City of Rockford Code of Ordinances, and the 2021 International Swimming Pool Code are hereby amended and modified, repealing and replacing any provision of ordinances, as attached hereto.

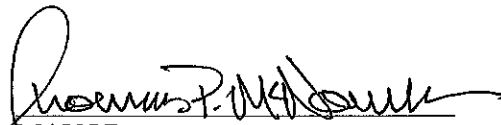
The effective date shall be January 1, 2025 for permits submitted on or after December 31, 2024 with the exception that a new residential, commercial or industrial construction or addition or remodeling projects may submit under the most immediate previously adopted codes (ICC 2015 Code Family) or this code until December 31, 2024. Projects shall be governed by the Code they are submitted, reviewed and permitted under. The effective date of the 2021 IPMC shall be November 1, 2024.

The provisions and sections of this Ordinance shall be deemed severable, and the invalidity of any portion of this Ordinance shall not affect the validity of the remainder.

All orders, resolutions, or ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed insofar as such conflict exists, and this Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage, approval and publication, as required by law.

A full, true and complete copy of this Ordinance shall be published within ten (10) days after passage in pamphlet form by and under authority of the Corporate Authorities.

APPROVED: Aug. 20, 2024.


MAYOR

AYES: TUNEBERG, FROST, TORINA, WILKINS, HOFFMAN, ROSE, BARRIOS,
BAILEY, BONNE

NAYS: _____

ABSENT: LOGEMANN, PRUNTY, BEACH, MEEKS (DURKEE - Away)

ABSTAIN: _____

ATTESTED:

N. O. Meyer
LEGAL DIRECTOR

PASSED: 8/19/24

APPROVED: 8/20/24

PUBLISHED: 8/20/24

FILED in my office this 20th day of August, 2024, and published in pamphlet form this 20th day of August, 2024 by order of the City Council of the City of Rockford, Illinois.

N. O. Meyer
Legal Director and ex officio
Keeper of the Records and Seal

APPROVED BY:

N. O. Meyer
Nicholas O. Meyer, Legal Director



RECOMMENDED BY:

Jacob L. Rubin
Jacob L. Rubin, Assistant City Attorney

International Swimming Pool Code

Chapter 105, of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Rockford, Illinois, is hereby amended as follows:

Section 105-211 is amended as follows:

Section 105-211. Adopted by reference.

The ICC International Swimming Pool Code/2021 is hereby adopted and made a part hereof, as if fully set out in this article, with the additions, insertions, deletions and amendments contained in section 105-212 of this article.

Section 105-212 is amended as follows:

Section 105-212 Amendments, additions and deletions.

Amendments to the ICC International Swimming Pool Code 2021 have not been set out herein, but can be found on file with the appropriate department of the city for review and purchase by the public.

Amendments to the Building Code:

The ICC International Swimming Pool and Spa Code/2021 is amended as follows:

(1) Section 101.1 is amended as follows:

~~**[A] 101.1 Title.** These regulations shall be known as the Swimming Pool and Spa Code of [NAME OF JURISDICTION], hereinafter referred to as "this code."~~

101.1 Title. These regulations shall be known as the Swimming Pool and Spa Code of Rockford, State of Illinois, hereinafter referred to as "this code".

(2) Section 103.4 is added as follows:

103.4 Restriction of employees. An official or employee connected with the enforcement of this code, except whose only connection is that of a member of the board of appeals established under the provisions of section 113 of this code, shall not be engaged in, or directly or indirectly connected with, the furnishing of labor, materials or appliances for the construction, alteration or maintenance of a building, or the preparation of construction documents thereof, unless that person is the owner of the building; nor shall such officer or employee engage in any work that conflicts with official duties or with the interests of the department.

(3) Section 104.1.1 is added as follows:

104.1.1 Fire Official approval. The Fire Official for the City of Rockford shall have the authority to issue orders based on requirements of this code for matters pertaining to design, materials or equipment when related to fire protection or life safety.

(4) Section 108.4 is deleted and replaced as follows:

~~[A] 108.4 Work commencing before permit issuance.~~ Any person who commences any work on a mechanical system before obtaining the necessary permits shall be subject to a fee as established by the code official that shall be in addition to the required permit fees.

108.4 Work commencing before permit issuance. When a permit is required by this code, and work is started or proceeded fees shall be in accordance with the Fee Schedule of the City of Rockford Code of Ordinances. No permit can be issued for any person, company or contractor until any outstanding permit fines/fees have been paid in full.

(5) Section 108.6 is deleted and replaced as follows.

~~[A] 108.6 Refunds~~ The code official is authorized to establish a refund policy.

108.6 Refunds. No permit fees shall be refunded.

(6) Section 110.16 is deleted and replaced as follows:

~~[A] 110.16 Reinspection and testing.~~ Where any work or installation does not pass any initial test or inspection, the necessary corrections shall be made to comply with this code. The work or installation shall then be resubmitted to the code official for inspection and testing.

110.16 Re-inspection and Testing. Any item of inspection that fails to meet code requirements on the initial or first re-inspection shall be subject to re-inspection fee as determined accordance with the Fee Schedule of the City of Rockford Code of Ordinances, and charged to the permit holder for each additional re-inspection performed.

(7) Section 111.1 is deleted and replaced as follows:

~~[A] 111.1 General.~~ In order to hear and decide appeals of orders, decisions or determinations made by the code official relative to the application and interpretation of this code, there shall be and is hereby created a board of appeals. The board of appeals shall be appointed by the applicable governing authority and shall hold office at its pleasure. The board shall adopt rules of procedure for conducting its business and shall render all decisions and findings in writing to the appellant with a duplicate copy to the code official.

111.1.1 Automatic appeals. In any case where orders or approvals by the *code official* and Director of the Fire Prevention Bureau are not in full agreement, the matter shall be resolved in the following manner: The case shall be reviewed by the Community Development Director and the Fire Chief. If agreement cannot be reached, the matter shall be referred to the City Administrator for review and decision. The

decision of the City Administrator may then be appealed to the Building Board of Appeals pursuant to Section 113.1.

(8) Sections 111.2 – 111.4 are deleted.

(9) Section 112 is deleted.

(10) Section 113.4 is amended as follows:

~~[A] 113.4 Violation penalties. Any person who shall violate a provision of this code or shall fail to comply with any of the requirements thereof or who shall erect, install, alter or repair a pool or spa in violation of the approved construction documents or directive of the code official, or of a permit or certificate issued under the provisions of this code, shall be guilty of a [SPECIFY OFFENSE], punishable by a fine of not more than [AMOUNT] dollars or by imprisonment not exceeding [NUMBER OF DAYS], or both such fine and imprisonment. Each day that a violation continues after due notice has been served shall be deemed a separate offense.~~

113.4 Violation penalties. Any person who violates a provision of this code or fails to comply with any of the requirements thereof or who erects, constructs, alters or repairs a building or structure in violation of the approved construction documents or directive of the building official, or of a permit or certificate issued under the provisions of this code, shall be subject to as penalties prescribed by law and punishable by a fine of not less than \$50.00 and not more than \$750.00 dollars.