ORDINANCE NO. 752

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF GIRARD, ORDINANCE 521 ACCESSORY USES, AS HERETOFORE AMENDED, BY CHANGING THE RESIDENTIAL SWIMMING POOL BARRIER HEIGHT TO 48 INCHES

WHEREAS, the Borough Planning Commission has recommended to the Borough Council that Ordinance 521 known as the Zoning Ordinance, be amended as hereinafter set forth and,

WHEREAS, after due and timely notice by publication, public hearing upon the proposed amendment has been held by Council.

NOW THEREFORE, be it enacted by the Council and Mayor of the Borough of Girard and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same.

Section 1. Ordinance 725 known as an amendment to Zoning Ordinance 521, be and the same is hereby amended as follows:

§ 425-15 B.
Every swimming pool shall be enclosed by a fence or wall not less than four feet high to prevent uncontrolled access by small children. The requirement shall supersede all other fencing requirements of this chapter, providing said fence is offset the minimum distance required for a side yard from the edge of the property. Swimming pools 24 inches and less are exempt.
[Amended 1-21-2013 by Ord. No. 725]

Currently the ordinance mandates a six foot barrier for swimming pools and this is now amended to a four foot barrier for swimming pools which is the same as the current UCC Code.

All Ordinances or part of Ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Enacted and Ordained this 16th day of October 2023.

ATTEST:

Borough Manager

President of Council

Approved this 16th day of October 2023.

Mayor