

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 9, CHAPTERS 94 AND 97 OF THE LOMBARD VILLAGE CODE IN REGARD TO MAILBOXES IN THE RIGHT-OF-WAY

BE IT ORDAINED by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Lombard, DuPage County, Illinois, as follows:

SECTION 1: That Title 9, Chapter 94, Section 94.05(A), of the Lombard Village Code is amended to read in its entirety as follows:

(A) to place, cause, or permit any tangible item to be placed upon or permitted to remain upon any parkway within the Village, except for the purpose of being picked up by a regularly scheduled scavenger service or as otherwise authorized in §97.005, §97.010, §119.20, §153.233, §153.239, or other provisions of this Code; or to allow or permit the placement of items for pickup by scavenger service upon any parkway sooner than 12 hours before the regularly scheduled day for pickup; or to allow or permit containers or other tangible items to remain upon any parkway beyond 12 hours following the regularly scheduled day for pickup.

SECTION 2: That Title 9, Chapter 97, Section 97.010 of the Lombard Village Code is amended by adding a new subsection (C) thereto which shall read in its entirety as follows:

(C) United States Postal Service approved mailboxes are permitted within the parkway area only under the following conditions:

- (1) The front face of the mailbox, once mounted, shall be six inches (6") to eight inches (8") from the back of the curb, or if no curb is present, from the road pavement, unless otherwise approved by the Postmaster due to road and/or curb conditions.
- (2) The distance from grade to the bottom surface of the mailbox shall be forty-one inches (41") to forty-five inches (45"), unless otherwise approved by the Postmaster due to road and/or curb conditions.
- (3) Mailbox and mailbox mounting structures shall provide a breakaway feature, as recommended by the Federal Highway Administration and the United States Postal Service, as follows:
  - (a) The mailbox shall be mounted on a mounting structure of the following sizes and materials and no others:
    - 1) A wood or plastic post of which the area of an average cross section may not be more than sixteen (16) square inches.
    - 2) A metal post not more than two inches (2") in diameter.
  - (b) Permitted mounting structures shall be affixed as follows:
    - 1) A wood or plastic post shall be embedded in crushed stone in a twelve inch (12") diameter hole to a depth of thirty six inches (36") below grade.

2) A metal post shall be embedded twenty four inches (24") in concrete in a thirty six inch (36") hole of twelve inch (12") diameter.

(c) Mailboxes shall be securely affixed to the required mounting structure.

(4) Residents should take all necessary precautions to prevent damage to any existing utility located in the parkway.

(5) Any nonconforming mailbox or mailbox mounting structure shall be brought into compliance on or before Nov. 15, 2003.

SECTION 3: That the Director of Public Works shall forward a copy of this ordinance to each resident who has a mailbox which is not in compliance with the regulations set forth herein.

SECTION 4: That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its adoption, approval and publication in pamphlet form as provided by law.

Passed on first reading this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2002.

First reading waived by action of the Board of Trustees this 20th day of June, 2002.

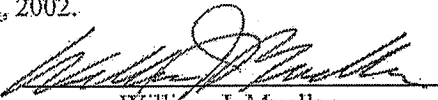
Passed on second reading this 20th day of June, 2002, pursuant to a roll call vote as follows:

AYES: Trustees DeStephano, Tross, Koenig, Sebby, Florey & Soderstrom

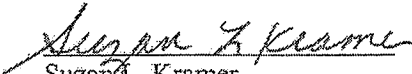
NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

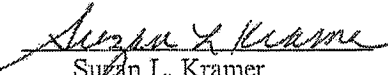
Approved by me this 20th day of June, 2002.

  
William J. Mueller  
Village President

ATTEST:

  
Suzan L. Kramer  
Village Clerk

Published by me in pamphlet form this 24th day of June, 2002.

  
Suzan L. Kramer  
Village Clerk