

ORDINANCE NUMBER _____

PASSED _____

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 1024 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE VILLAGE OF POLAND, OHIO, TO ENACT SECTION 1024.16 CONSISTING OF A ~~RECOMMENDED~~ LIST OF THE SPECIES OF TREES FOR NEW PLANTINGS OR REPLACEMENT TREES.

WHEREAS, the Village of Poland, Ohio, has a specific recognized interest in maintaining the appearance of lands within the Village while balancing the need to protect infrastructure; and,

WHEREAS, the issue was properly referred to the Legislation Committee who sought input and assistance from the Poland Village Planning Commission to review, compile, and recommend to the Council of the Village of Poland a list of tree species that would satisfy the Village’s interest and strike the necessary balance; and,

WHEREAS, the Council does see the benefits of adopting these provisions and believes that the following changes promote the beauty of the Village of Poland, Ohio, while also protecting infrastructure:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Village of Poland, County of Mahoning, State of Ohio:

SECTION I Ordinance 1024.16 shall be enacted and codified as follows:

1024.16 Recommended Tree Species for New Plantings or Replacement Trees

(a) SMALL STREET TREES: MATURE HEIGHT LESS THAN 25 FEET

No trees other than those species listed as below as Small Street Trees in this Section shall be planted or replanted under or within ten (10) lateral feet of any overhead utility wire, or over or within five (5) lateral feet of any underground water line, sewer line, transmission line or other utility as planted according to ordinance 1024.10, unless granted specific written permission by the Village Tree Commissioner.

<u>Common Name</u>	<u>Species Name</u>
Serviceberry/ Rounded	<i>Amelanchier</i>
Eastern Redbud	<i>Cercis Canadensis</i>
Rounded American Hornbeam	<i>Carpinus Caroliniana</i>
Rounded Crabapple	<i>Malus</i>
Rounded Hawthorne	<i>Crataegus</i>
Rounded Purpleleaf Plum	<i>Prunus Cerasifera</i>
Rounded American Linden	<i>Tilia Americana</i>

(b) LARGE TREES; MATURE STREET TREE HEIGHT OVER 50 FEET

No tree other than those listed below as Large Trees in this Section shall be planted or replanted under or within ten (10) twenty (20) lateral feet of any overhead utility wire, or over or within five (5) ten (10) lateral feet of any underground water line, sewer line, transmission line or other utility as planted according to ordinance 1024.10, unless granted specific written permission of the Village Tree Commissioner.

<u>Common Name</u>	<u>Species Name</u>
Ginkgo	<i>Ginkgo Biloba</i>
Littleleaf Linden	<i>Tilia Cordata</i>
American Sweetgum	<i>Liquidambar Styraciflua</i>
Pyramidal Coffee Tree	<i>Gymnocladus Dioicus</i>
Rounded Honey Locust	<i>Gleditsia Triacanthos Var Inemis</i>
Rounded Northern Red Oak	<i>Quercus Rubra</i>
Rounded Swamp White Oak	<i>Quercus Bicolor</i>
Rounded Shingle Oak	<i>Quercus Imbricaria</i>
Rounded Red Maple	<i>Acer Rubrum</i>

SECTION II That this Ordinance and all deliberations relating to the passage of this Ordinance were held in open meetings of the Council of the Village of Poland, Ohio.

SECTION III That a copy of this ordinance be entered into the official records of the Village of Poland upon passing its third reading.

PASSED this _____ day of _____ 2018.

Timothy D. Sicafuse, Mayor

Attest:

Nicholas Srnec, Fiscal Officer

Approved as to form:

Jay Macejko, Solicitor

I, Mark Mrofchak, as Deputy Clerk of the Village of Poland, Ohio, do hereby certify that the above ordinance was published in the Vindicator, an English newspaper of general circulation on the following dates: _____ and _____.

Mark Mrofchak