

As recommended by the Planning Commission

**BLENDON TOWNSHIP**  
**OTTAWA COUNTY, MICHIGAN**

ORDINANCE NO. Z2018 – 05.2

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE BLENDON TOWNSHIP ZONING ORDINANCE;  
TO AMEND SECTION 15.03.03(e) PERTAINING TO SWIMMING POOLS

BLENDON TOWNSHIP, OTTAWA COUNTY, MICHIGAN, ORDAINS:

**Section 1. Amendment of Section 15.03.03(e).** Section 15.03.03(e) of the Blendon Township Zoning Ordinance is amended to read as follows:

- (e) Each pool shall be enclosed by a fence or wall with a height of at least four (4) feet, sufficient to make the body of water inaccessible to small children. The enclosure, including gates therein, must be not less than four (4) feet above the underlying ground; all gates must be self-latching with latches placed four (4) feet above the underlying ground or otherwise made inaccessible from the outside to small children.

A fence or wall is not required for swimming pools with a powered safety cover installed in accordance with the 2015 Michigan Residential Code or subsequent applicable code.

**Section 2. Severability and Captions.** This Ordinance and the various parts, sections, subsections, sentences, phrases and clauses thereof are hereby declared severable. If any part, section, subsection, sentence, phrase, or clause is adjudged unconstitutional or invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remainder of this Ordinance shall not be affected thereby. The captions included at the beginning of each Section are for convenience only and shall not be considered a part of this Ordinance.

**Section 3. Repeal.** Any existing ordinance or resolution that is inconsistent or conflicts with this Ordinance is hereby repealed to the extent of any such conflict or inconsistency.

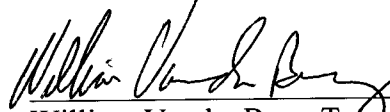
**Section 4. Effective Date.** This Ordinance is ordered to take effect upon the expiration of seven (7) days following publication of adoption in the Grand Valley Advance, a newspaper having general circulation in the Township, under the provisions of 2006 Public Act 110, except as may be extended under the provisions of such Act.

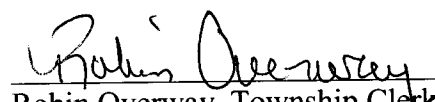
ROLL CALL VOTE:

YES: Robin Overway, Bill Vanden Berg, Jim Vander Veen, Phil DeLange

NO: Don Vander Kuyl

Declared adopted on: May 17, 2018.

  
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William VandenBerg, Township Supervisor

  
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Robin Overway, Township Clerk