



MEMORANDUM

TO: Scott R. Niehaus, Village Manager

FROM: Anna Papke, AICP, Planning and Zoning Manager *AP*

MEETING DATE: April 3, 2025

SUBJECT: Yorktown Temporary Event - Funbox

Funbox is seeking a Temporary Special Event permit for an inflatable bounce park in the parking lot of Yorktown Center.

BACKGROUND

Yorktown Center staff has entered into an agreement to allow Funbox bounce park to operate in the parking lot east of the main entrance to the mall. Funbox will be on site at Yorktown for a two-month period between May and July 2025. The bounce park operated at Yorktown for several months in the summer of 2024. The 2025 event will be similar in scope to the 2024 event.

OPERATIONS

The bounce park consists of a 25,000 square-foot park with inflatable obstacle course, toddler bounce house, and concession areas. Portable restrooms and handwash stations will be available to patrons. A site layout plan is attached. The area will be secured with a 6-foot-tall perimeter fence and tickets are required for entry. Following conversations with the Lombard Police Department in 2024, the event holder will rent a mobile security tower and will have motion-activated cameras to monitor the park during the hours it is closed. The park will remain deflated during non-operating hours.

The attraction will operate on site from 5/16/2025 to 7/20/2025, with several additional days on either end for setup and teardown. The attraction will be open from 10:00 a.m. through 8:00 p.m. on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays. The attraction will also be open on Memorial Day. Dates of operation are as follows:

Friday 5/16/2025, Saturday 5/17/2025, Sunday, 5/18/2025,
Friday 5/23/2025, Saturday 5/24/2025, Sunday 5/25/2025, Monday 5/26/2025,
Friday 5/30/2025, Saturday 5/31/2025, Sunday 6/1/2025,
Friday 6/6/2025, Saturday 6/7/2025, Sunday 6/8/2025,
Friday 6/13/2025, Saturday 6/14/2025, Sunday 6/15/2025,

LEGEND

- TURF / GUEST AREA
- GENERATOR
- RESTROOMS
- TICKET BOOTH
- TODDLER PARK
- PERIMETER FENCE-6'
- CIRCULATION
- SHADE CANOPIES
- SHOE TENT
- CONCESSIONS
- BARRICADE LINES
- LIGHT POST

