

Building Codes Advisory Commission Work Plan 2026
Village Board Goals: Supports Sustainability

2026 Initiatives

ENABLING LANGUAGE	PROJECT	OUTCOMES	TIMEFRAME	COST (if any)
Provide code interpretations for Development Services Department	Serve as Board of Appeals for building code-related matters.	Ensure proper interpretation and application of the building codes.	Ongoing	
Receive, review, and address Building Code issues raised by residents, contractors, and Village staff.	Serve as consultant for Development Services.	Recommend amendments as appropriate to maintain clarity, safety, and fairness.	Ongoing	
Review permit process to streamline/simplify small project permitting to make more attractive to Village Residents (Excluding software changes)	Review permit submittal Process and field inspection processes	Streamline the process, so more people will apply for permits and review inspection process	Ongoing	
Review each new addition of the model codes and recommend local amendments	Provide public educational sessions.		Ongoing	\$2,000.00 for public training
Review building codes to support VOP's CROP emission reduction goals	Review 2025 permits issued (type, description)	Identify common projects which can most effectively advance emission reduction goals	On Going	
Review building codes to support VOP's CROP emission reduction goals	Look at other Energy Stretch codes and how we could apply to the Village		On Going	

TOTAL BUDGET REQUEST FOR 2026: \$2,000.00

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2025 Completed Initiatives

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Adopt the 2024 International Codes and reduce Village amendments.	Review the 2024 editions of the International; Building, Residential, Mechanical, Existing Building, Fuel Gas, and Fire Codes.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Removed most unnecessary amendments, while adopting the 2024 editions of the; International Building, Residential, Mechanical, Existing Building, Fuel Gas and Fire Codes. 	Occurred throughout the entire year.	
Review all energy codes & International Codes and reduce Village amendments.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review the opportunities to increase the green initiative into the building codes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Created a new electrification code and streamline code amendments 	Occurred throughout the entire year.	