

MEETING LOG

PRODUCT: Trampoline Courts

SUBJECT: ASTM F24.61 Trampoline Courts Task Group Meeting

LOCATION: Teleconference

DATE: January 20, 2022

ENTRY DATE: January 21, 2022

LOG ENTRY SOURCE: Daniel Taxier (ESMC)

COMMISSION ATTENDEES: Daniel Taxier (ESMC), Joe Williams (CEL)

NON-COMMISSION ATTENDEES: Contact ASTM for a list of all attendees

MEETING SUMMARY:

This task group actively updates the voluntary standard for trampoline courts, ASTM F2970 – 20 *Standard Practice for Design, Manufacture, Installation, Operation, Maintenance, Inspection and Major Modification of Trampoline Courts*.

The task group chair began the meeting by clarifying that a trampoline court is a type of attraction or device, whereas a trampoline park is a venue for multiple attractions including a trampoline court; and that F2970 is a standard practice for trampoline courts.

The task group discussed negatives on ballot F24 (21-04) item 17. This ballot item would have added into the “Significance and Use” section that the practice does not apply to performance trampolines or competition trampolines. (Performance trampolines are often found adjacent to or nearby trampoline courts within trampoline parks.) Many negative voters believe this change does not adequately remove performance trampolines from trampoline courts, and that it increases the risk of performance trampolines being added to trampoline courts in the future. One task group member proposed specifying that performance trampolines be excluded from the scope of the standard. Others pointed out that section 7.10.2 and other areas of the standard already prohibit certain performance trampolines from being included within a trampoline court. Some negative voters believe this standard or another standard should address the safety of performance trampolines. An F24.61 task group is currently developing a standard which would address performance trampoline safety. These negatives

will be discussed further at the next meeting, along with negatives on other items on the F24 (21-04) ballot.

The next Trampoline Courts task group meeting is expected to take place during the F24 Committee Meeting in Atlanta Georgia, February 2 – 5, 2022 at the Hilton Atlanta.