



RUTHERFORD COUNTY, TENNESSEE

BUILDING CODES DEPARTMENT

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Final Swimming Pool Inspection Checklist

Permit # _____ Address _____

The following items are required by the International Residential Code:

Barrier

- _____ 1. The pool is completely surrounded by a barrier.
- _____ 2. The barrier is at least 48 inches in height.
- _____ 3. The barrier has no footholds or handholds that could be used by a small child to climb.
- _____ 4. The barrier is constructed of chain link or lattice, with a diamond of no more than 2 ¼ inches.
- _____ 5. The barrier is constructed of vertical members with the openings no more than 4 inches.

Gates

- _____ 1. Pedestrian gates are at least 48 inches in height.
- _____ 2. Pedestrian gates are self-closing.
- _____ 3. Pedestrian gates are self-latching.
- _____ 4. The latch operating mechanism is at least 54 inches above the ground.
- _____ 5. All parts within 18 inches of the latch operating mechanism are solid (no holes larger than ½ inch).
- _____ 6. Drive through gates are secured with a padlock.

Doors

- _____ 1. All doors exiting the house that provide direct access to the pool are protected with an alarm.
- _____ 2. The alarm activates upon opening the door and remains active for at least 30 seconds.
- _____ 3. The alarm can be heard throughout the house.
- _____ 4. The alarm control pad is located at least 54" above the floor.

Steps and Ladders

- _____ 1. Steps and/or ladders leading into the pool are secured, locked, or removed when the pool is not in use.

Pool Alarm

- _____ 1. The motion detection alarm, as required by the State of Tennessee, is in place and functioning.

APPROVED: _____
Building Inspector Date