

# RESIDENTIAL SWIMMING POOLS AND HOT TUBS



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## PERMITS

Permits are required for all in ground swimming pools and for all above ground pools that hold over 5,000 gallons and are over 24" deep.

## PLANS

Plans must be submitted with any permit application for a pool. Plans must include a site plan that shows the proposed location of the pool relative to structures, lot lines, easements, and other deed restrictions. Plans must indicate the design of the fence including details on gates.

## PERMANENT FENCES

All regulated pools and hot tubs must have a fence and gates that are:

- Resistant to being climbed on.
- At least five feet in height.
- Constructed of a woven wire mesh corrosion-resistant material, plastic or other durable materials. No openings in fence shall be more than 4 inches.
- Space under the fence shall not be more than 4 inches.
- Gates must be self-closing/self-latching. Latches must be at the top of the gate.
- Dwellings and accessory buildings can be part of the pool enclosure.
- A hot tub with a lockable cover does not need a fence.