



CITY OF NEW SMYRNA BEACH

2650 N DIXIE FREEWAY
NEW SMYRNA BEACH, FL 32168

**RESIDENTIAL SWIMMING POOL SAFETY REQUIREMENTS
SECTION R4502.17.1, 2014 FLORIDA BUILDING CODE 5th EDITION**

I, _____
Owner/Contractor Name

Address of Project _____

Do hereby request a permit to build a swimming pool to be issued to:

Contractor's Name & Company Name (please print)

My contractor has informed me that prior to use of my pool, I will need a safety barrier installed in accordance with the Florida Building Code and that all inspection approvals, including final inspection, will have been obtained. The 2014 Florida Building Code requires pools to be enclosed by a barrier meeting the requirements of Section R R4502.17.1. Residential swimming pools must meet at least one or more of the pool safety barrier requirements (please see options listed below).

INDICATE YOUR METHOD OF COMPLIANCE BY CHECKING THE APPROPRIATE BOX(S):

- The pool must be isolated from access by a pool barrier that meets the requirements of 515.29 F.S.;
- The pool must be equipped with an approved safety pool cover;
- All doors and windows providing direct access from the home to the pool must be equipped with an exit alarm that has a minimum sound pressure rating of 85 dB A at 10 feet; or
- All doors providing direct access from the home to the pool must be equipped with a self-closing, self-latching device with a release mechanism placed no lower than 54 inches above the floor.

According to Section 515.27 F.S., a person who fails to equip a new residential swimming pool with at least one pool safety feature as required above commits a misdemeanor of the second degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082 or s. 775.083.

I also understand that steel and ground and deck inspections are required in addition to the final inspection. Inspection access to the interior of the home is required if alarms on windows and doors or if self-closing/self latching doors are used to meet the above requirements.

Contractor's Signature

Owner's Signature

Notary

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