

**CITY OF PENSACOLA  
SWIMMING POOL SAFETY REQUIREMENTS AFFIDAVIT**

I \_\_\_\_\_, license # \_\_\_\_\_, hereby affirm that one of the following methods will be used for the pool at \_\_\_\_\_, Pensacola, FL, to meet the requirements of the Florida Building Code, Building, Section 454.1 for public pools, and Sections 454.2 and Florida Building Code, Residential, Chapter 45 for private pools. *(Must have onsite at time of inspection along with manufacturer's product compliance information.)*

- ☐ The pool will be equipped with an approved safety pool cover that complies with ASTM F1346-91. Standard Performance Specifications for Safety Covers for Swimming Pools Spas and Hot Tubs.
- ☐ A continuous, one-piece barrier (child fence) meeting the requirements of Florida Building Code and the Florida Building Code Residential will protect the pool perimeter (pool deck). Submitted plans must show the barrier location and method of attachment, including one end that shall not be removable without the use of tools.
- ☐ A combination of non-dwelling wall barriers (Screen Enclosures or minimum 4 foot fences with self- closing, self-latching gates with the latches @ 54" above grade etc.) will protect the pool perimeter. Submit plans specifying the type and location of all non-dwelling wall barriers.
- ☐ A swimming pool alarm that, when placed in a pool, sounds an alarm upon detection of an accidental or unauthorized entrance into the water. Such pool alarm must meet and be independently certified to ASTM Standard F2208, titled "Standard Safety Specification for Residential Pool Alarms," which includes surface motion, pressure, sonar, laser, and infrared alarms.
- ☐ Any combination of protection which incorporates Screen Enclosures or 4 foot fences with self-closing self-latching gates with the latches @ 54" above grade, dwelling walls with doors and/or windows opening directly into the pool perimeter which includes self-closing, self- latching devices and/or exit alarms complying with UL 2017.

**NOTE: Existing fences may or may not meet pool safety barrier requirements. Shadowbox fences or privacy fences with the horizontal members on the exterior of the pool typically do not constitute an approved pool safety barrier.**

I understand that not having one of the above (or an approved alternate) installed will constitute a violation of Chapter 515 F.S. and will be considered as committing a misdemeanor of the second degree, punishable as provided in section 775.082 or section 775.083 F.S.

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