



# RUTHERFORD COUNTY, TENNESSEE

## BUILDING CODES DEPARTMENT

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BUILDING PERMIT # \_\_\_\_\_

### SWIMMING POOL BARRIER AND ALARM AGREEMENT

I, \_\_\_\_\_, understand that any structure intended for swimming or recreational bathing that contains water over 24 inches deep requires a fence, wall, building wall or combination thereof which completely surrounds the swimming pool and obstructs access to the swimming pool. An above ground pool exterior wall may act as the barrier if the wall is 4-feet from the ground all the way around the pool. A 4-foot high orange temporary fence may be used during construction for a period of no more than sixty (60) days.

- I agree that the barrier shall be installed prior to placing over 24 inches of water in the structure and prior to any use or final inspection.
- NOTE: The Code prohibits the use the pool until the 4-foot barrier is in place. I understand that I do NOT have 6 months to install or complete the barrier.
- If the house is a part of the barrier, I understand an alarm must be installed on all doors directly accessing the pool and must be heard by the inspector. (See attached barrier requirements.)
- State law requires a pool alarm on all residential swimming pools containing 36 inches or more of water.

Failure to have the barrier installed is in violation of the Rutherford County Zoning Resolution and is a misdemeanor. If you fail to comply, you may be cited to General Sessions Court for violating these provisions of the County Zoning Resolution and be required to pay a fine.

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PROPERTY OWNER

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Date

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NOTARY PUBLIC

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Commission Expires