



Swimming Pool Fence Permit Application

The Corporation of the City of Woodstock - Building Department

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Application Number	Application Date	Payment
	Year Month Day	

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

PROPERTY INFORMATION

Street Number	Full Street Name	Direction (N, S, E, W)	Unit No.
Construction Value	Pool Size X	Pool Area <input type="checkbox"/> Sq. M <input type="checkbox"/> Sq. Ft	Type of Pool <input type="checkbox"/> In ground / <input type="checkbox"/> On ground / <input type="checkbox"/> Above ground
	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> Ft		Corner Lot? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

OWNER & CONTRACTOR INFORMATION

Main Use of EXISTING Building			
Description of Work			
Owner of Property (Person or Company)		Contractor Name (Person or Company)	
Street Number	Street Name	Unit/Apt.	Street Number
City	City		City
Province	Postal Code	Telephone Number	Province
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CONTACT NAME

Contact Name	Home or Cell Phone Number	Fax Number
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Permit for <input type="checkbox"/> Mail <input type="checkbox"/> Pick Up by: <input type="checkbox"/> Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Contractor <input type="checkbox"/> Tenant		

Do you require access through a park or pathway during construction of your pool? If YES, please contact the Parks Department. 519-5391291 ext. 4101	<input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> YES
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DECLARATION

The undersigned agrees that the proposed work shall be done in accordance with this application and in accordance with plans and specifications on the basis of which the permit is issued and agrees to comply with all applicable provisions of the By-law 8365-07 as amended and the zoning by-law and related agreements with the City and applicable to the subject lands. The undersigned agrees that the permit is issued to the Owner of the property.

I, **(Please print.)** _____, the undersigned, certify that the statements herein contained in the said application are true and made with a full knowledge of the circumstances connected with the same, and acknowledge that I have read the declaration and notice contained above.

Signed in Woodstock, ON _____
Year | Month | Day

Signature of Owner of Property Authorized Agent

Signature of Witness (City of Woodstock, Building Department Employee)



Office of the City Engineer
Building Department
944 James Street
Woodstock, ON
519-539-1291

POOL FENCE ENCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS

Swimming Pool Permits

If you are wishing to install a privately-owned swimming pool on your property a proper fence must be installed that meets the requirements of the City of Woodstock's fence by-law.

You must obtain a swimming pool enclosure permit from The City of Woodstock to ensure that your fence meets the requirements set out in the Fence By-law.

Temporary Fencing

Temporary fencing, such as snow fencing or an approved alternative, is allowed to be used when construction equipment is required to enter the enclosure space, or when a fence is being installed or replaced. Temporary fencing is only allowed for a maximum period of 14 days.

Fence Requirements

The fence cannot facilitate climbing, crawling or any other way that would allow access to your privately owned swimming pool

Chain Link

- If links do not exceed 38mm (1-1/2") it can be used when a fence extends from the ground to a minimum height of 1.5m (5'-0")
- If links do not exceed 50mm (2") it can be used when a fence extends from the ground to a minimum height of 1.8m (6'-0")

Height Requirements

- Pool fence enclosures shall have a minimum height of 5'-0" (1.5m) measured from grade on the outside of the enclosure.
- If the pool fence enclosure is less than 1.8m (6'-0") it shall not be located closer than 1.2m (4'-0") to a climbable object

Pool Fence Enclosure Requirements

Wall – Forming Part of Enclosure

A wall included in part of an enclosure must provide protection for the length that is substituted for fencing.

If a door is located on the wall, within the area that is acting as an enclosure, that door must be equipped with locks, self-closing & latching devices.

Gate Requirements

Gates must be equipped with;

- Self closing devices
- Latch & locking mechanisms

Latch & Locking Mechanisms

- Must independently bring the gate closed to a latched position
- If the latching device is located not less than 1.2m (4'-0") above grade, it can be placed on the outside of the gate.
- The owner & every adult person in care and control of the swimming pool must ensure the gate is kept locked at all times, unless they are present & supervising the swimming pool.

Hydro- Massage Pools

Hydro massage pools can be exempt from the requirements of a fence enclosure provide the massage pool has a rigid cover equipped with a locking device.



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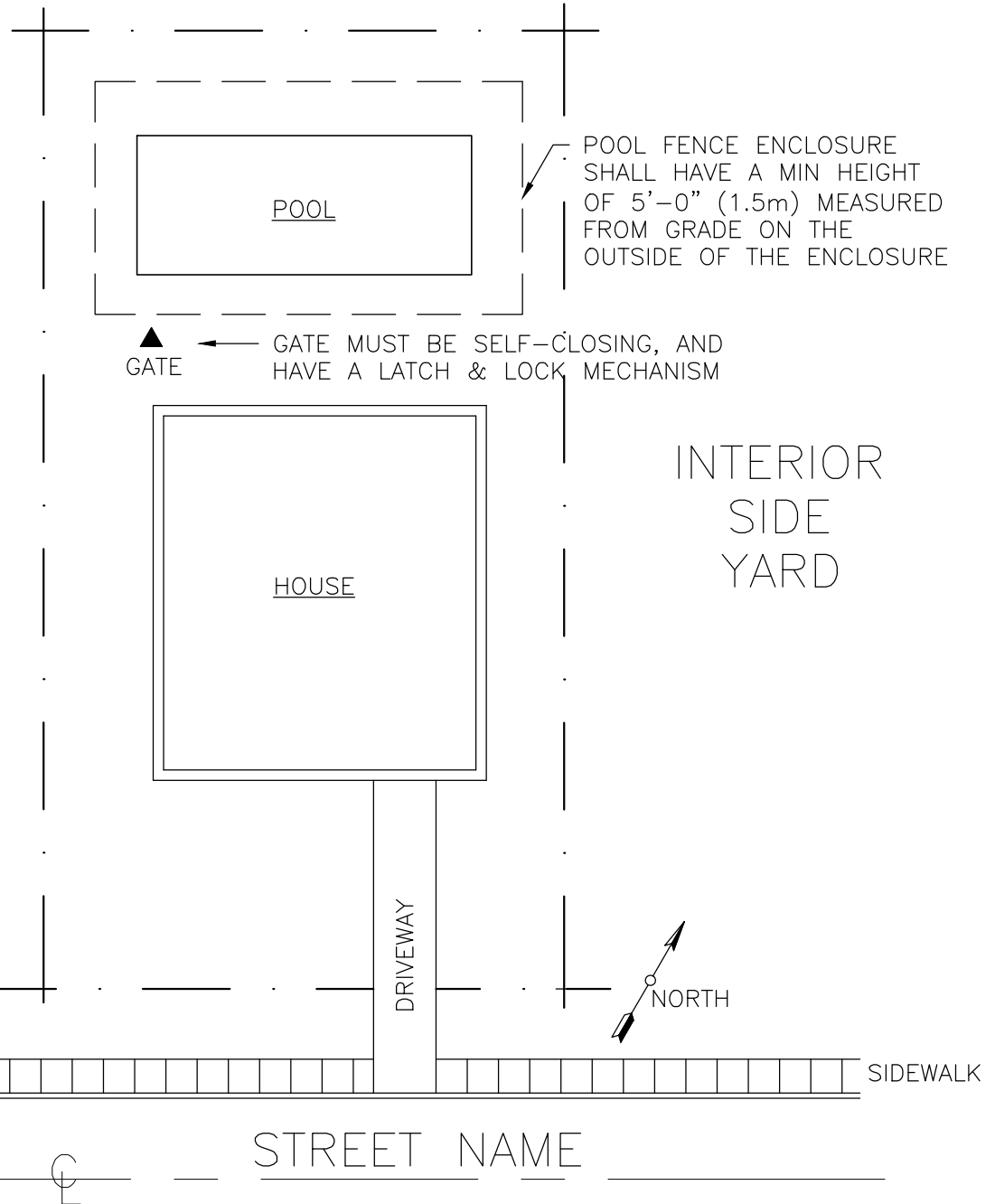
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REAR YARD



GATE MUST BE SELF-CLOSING, AND HAVE A LATCH & LOCK MECHANISM

INTERIOR
SIDE
YARD

INTERIOR
SIDE
YARD

HOUSE

STREET NAME

NOTE:

- IF THE POOL FENCE ENCLOSURE IS LESS THAN 6'-0" (1.8m) IT SHALL NOT BE LOCATED CLOSER THAN 4'-0" (1.2m) TO A CLIMBABLE OBJECT
- SEE DETAIL SHEET FOR CHAIN LINK FENCING REQUIREMENTS

LEGEND:

- — — — — FENCE
- — — — — PROPERTY LINE



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NOTE:

– IF THE FENCE IS CONSTRUCTED TO A HEIGHT LESS THAN 6'-0" (1.8m) IT CANNOT BE LOCATED CLOSER THAN 4'-0" (1.2m) TO A CLIMBABLE OBJECT

– THE LATCH AND LOCK MECHANISM AT THE TOP AND ON THE INSIDE OF THE GATE MUST INDEPENDENTLY BRING THE GATE TO A CLOSED LATCHED POSITION.

– CHAIN LINK FENCING CAN BE USED BUT MUST HAVE THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:

- FOR CHAIN LINKS NOT EXCEEDING 1.5" (38mm) SHALL BE USED WHEN THE FENCE IS NOT LESS THAN 5'-0" (1.5m) FROM GRADE
- FOR CHAIN LINKS NOT EXCEEDING 2" (50mm) SHALL BE USED WHEN THE FENCE IS NOT LESS 6'-0" (1.8m)

GATES ARE INCLUDED IN THE 5'-0" (1.5m) MIN HEIGHT REQUIREMENT

IF 4'-0" (1.2m) ABOVE GRADE THE LATCH MECHANISM CAN BE LOCATED ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE GATE

GATE MUST BE SELF-CLOSING

LATCH MECHANISM

5'-0" MIN

GRADE

IF A BUILDING WALL FORMS PART OF THE POOL ENCLOSURE IT MUST PROVIDE ADEQUATE PROTECTION FOR ITS ENTIRE LENGTH

IF THE DOOR IS LOCATED IN THE WALL ACTING AS PART OF THE ENCLOSURE & IS LOCATED IN A NON-HABITABLE ROOM IT MUST BE EQUIPPED WITH LOCKS, SELF CLOSING DEVICES, AND LATCHING DEVICES

FENCE DOES NOT FACILITATE ACCESS TO BY, CLIMBING OR, CRAWLING ETC.

5'-0" MIN

GRADE

