

Requirements of permit for Storable Pool –

1. Maximum water depth – 42”
2. Wall height without a fence – 48” (4 Foot)
3. Only proper safety ladder to enter/exit pool allowed.
4. Flexible cords must be no smaller than 12AWG with ground.
5. No electric receptacles within 6 feet of the pool. Measured from inside wall of pool.
6. Electric receptacles to be GFCI.
7. Do not place pool under any existing overhead wires, or within 10ft. of wires
8. Installation must meet all the requirements of the International Swimming Pool & Spa Code. (See wiring requirements below)

Requirements of permit for Above Ground Swimming Pool –

1. Approved fence and gate required if pool walls are less than 48” (4 foot) high from surrounding grade.
2. Only proper safety ladder to enter/exit pool allowed.
3. Attached decks must meet all the required pool barrier protection.
4. Do not place the pool under any existing overhead wires, or within 10ft. of wires
5. Pool pumps, filters, etc. must be a minimum of 3 feet away from pool walls.
6. All metal parts must be bonded per the code requirements: **1. #8 solid copper wire around entire pool and attached to metal pool shell at (4) locations 2. Pool water bonded by use of metal pipe and clamp at pump discharge or other approved means.**
7. Electrical receptacles for pool motors must be located not less than 6 feet from the inside wall of the pool measured perpendicular to the pool wall.
8. Electrical receptacles for pool motors must be on a single receptacle or hardwired with a switch and on a GFCI circuit. (See wiring requirements below)
9. An additional GFCI receptacle must be located not less than 6 feet and not more than 20 feet from the inside wall of the pool measured perpendicular to the pool wall. IT IS HIGHLY RECOMMENDED THAT THIS RECEPTACLE BE A MINIMUM OF 10 FOOT AWAY
10. Installation must meet the requirements of the International Swimming Pool & Spa Code and the International Residential Code.

Requirements of permit for In Ground Swimming Pool –

1. All pool barriers must meet the exact code requirements of the International Swimming Pool & Spa Code.
2. If the house or other structure is used as part of the barrier protection, door & window alarms may be required.
3. All metal parts must be bonded per the code requirements.

4. Do not place pool under any existing overhead wires, or within 10ft. of wires
5. All electric to meet International Residential Code

All Pools – Wiring Requirements – (This list is not all inclusive)

1. All electric used in pool installations must be in conduit/raceways and buried with the appropriate amount of fill.
2. Rigid Metal & Intermediate Metal conduit minimum burial depth is 6”.
3. Nonmetallic raceways listed for direct burial - minimum burial depth is 18”.
4. Wiring in conduit/raceways must be a minimum of 12 AWG and have a separate insulated grounding conductor of a minimum of 12 AWG.
5. All bonding must be completed to code & manufactures installations instructions.
6. **DO NOT USE “UF” WIRING TO SUPPLY POOL EQUIPMENT**

Any questions about pool requirements, call the township code office prior to installation

THE MOST CURRENT EDITION OF THE CODES SHALL BE USED AS ADOPTED BY THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE LEGISLATURE