

# Pool Ordinance Checklist

Use this form to inspect your backyard swimming pool, to ensure it meets Mecklenburg Residential Ordinance.

	Yes	No
Do you have a body of water that is used for recreation that is designed to be fitted with a water filter for clarifying but cannot be removed seasonally? If yes, continue below if no, proceed to the pool safety checklist.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Is there a protective fence or barrier around the entire pool that is at least 44 inches high?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Are vertical bars no more than 4" apart?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Does the fence have a self-closing, self-latching gate?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Does the bottom of the fence have an opening not exceeding four inches?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If there are openings in the fence are they sized so that a 4 inch sphere cannot pass through the opening.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Are all gates leading to the pool area capable of being locked?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If the pool is at least 44 inches above ground, and has no fence, are the steps leading up to the pool removable so that there is no access to the pool during unsupervised times?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If you have a spa, is it included in the enclosure, or does it have a locking cover when it is not used.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Can wastewater be discharged into a sanitary sewer without a direct connection?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Is the pool 50 feet from the owners private water supply and 100 feet from others private water supply?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Is the pool 15 feet from any septic tank?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Has the pool been approved by the health dept environmental services division?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

If you would like an inspector to come out and assist with inspection of the pool area, please call . (704)- 336-5100.