

ARTICLE 8. SWIMMING POOLS

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND APPROVAL; HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Before work is commenced on the construction of a swimming pool or on any alteration, addition, remodeling or other improvement to a swimming pool, an application for a permit to construct and the plans and specifications and pertinent explanatory data shall be submitted to the health department for its approval, and no part of the work shall be commenced until the health department has granted such approval by a written permit to construct and has further evidenced its approval by a suitable endorsement upon such plans and specifications. No department of the City charged with the duty of issuing permits for building, plumbing or electrical work, for sewer connections or for other work in connection with the construction of a swimming pool shall issue a permit for a swimming pool until the plans and specifications therefor have been thus endorsed by the Health Department. The Health Department shall review such plans and specifications to determine whether they comply with the provisions of this Article and with reasonable standards of swimming pool construction for the protection of the safety and health as prescribed in rules and regulations promulgated by the Health Department pursuant to this Article.

The application to the Health Department for a permit to construct a swimming pool or to construct any alteration, additions, remodeling or other improvement to a swimming pool shall be submitted in such forms and be supported with such information and data, as well as plans, specifications and pertinent explanatory data, as the Health Department may require pursuant to its rules and regulations promulgated hereunder. (Code 1979, 15-201)

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RULES AND REGULATIONS.

The Health Department shall have power to adopt rules and regulations not inconsistent with the terms of this Article for the purpose of carrying out and enforcing the objectives set out in the title hereof. A copy of such rules and regulations shall be approved by the Governing Body and filed and made available for public examination in the office of the City Clerk. Copies of such Article shall also be made available to all applicants under this Article. Failure or refusal to comply with any of the rules and regulations promulgated under this Section shall be deemed a violation of this Article. (Code 1979, 15-202)

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HEALTH DEPARTMENT TO MAKE INSPECTIONS.

The Health Department, through its duly authorized agent, shall be authorized to make inspections of all swimming pools at any and all reasonable times, both during and after construction, and shall notify the owner, operator or person in charge of length of time in which to meet the same. (Code 1979, 15-203)

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PLANS SUBMITTED TO CODES ENFORCEMENT MANAGER.

After approval by the Health Department and their endorsement of the plans and specifications, said plans together with a plot plan showing the exact location of the pool on the lot and a suitable screening or enclosure shall be submitted to the Codes Enforcement Manager for approval prior to the commencement of construction. His approval shall also include the issuance of permits for all plumbing and electrical work as well as the sewer connections for the pool. (Code 1979,15-204)

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REQUIREMENTS.

All swimming pools shall be governed by the requirements of this Article and the rules and regulations promulgated pursuant hereto. (Code 1979, 15-205)

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PENALTY.

Any person violating any of the provisions of this Article or the rules and regulations promulgated hereunder shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor. (Code 1979, 15-206)