

**Pool/Spa Safety Barrier Affidavit**

As the owner of the property located at \_\_\_\_\_, in the City of Chesapeake, I shall comply with the requirements for the enclosure of a pool in accordance with the requirements of the most recent edition of the Virginia Uniform Statewide Building Code (VUSBC).

**Existing Fence: Approximate Date Installed - \_\_\_\_\_**

I certify that my property has an existing fence which meets the requirements of the code for a swimming pool/spa enclosure.

**New Fence (separate building permit required):**

I take full responsibility, as the property owner, for ensuring that the building permit for the pool/spa fence enclosure is obtained, and that the pool/spa shall be protected by a properly constructed fence or barrier during and after construction.

**Alternative Protection (separate building permit required):**

I certify the pool is protected with a powered safety cover that complies with the ASTM F-1346 Standard, or is protected by an approved pool barrier fence located immediately adjacent to the pool area.

**Above Ground Pools/Spas/HotTubs Only:**

I certify the pool ladder will be secured and/or locked in place when the pool is not in use.

I certify that the spa/hot tub has a lockable cover that complies with ASTM F 1346.

**PLEASE NOTE, ANY POOL, NEW OR EXISTING, NOT PROPERLY PROTECTED IS SUBJECT TO IMMEDIATE LEGAL ACTION PER SECTION 14-166 OF THE CHESAPEAKE CITY CODE. THE USE OF THE POOL IS PROHIBITED UNTIL THE FINAL INSPECTION APPROVAL HAS BEEN ISSUED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENT AND PERMITS.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Owner's Name (Print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Owner's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Permit # \_\_\_\_\_ Issued by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Commonwealth of Virginia**

County/City \_\_\_\_\_

The foregoing was sworn to and acknowledged before me this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

Notary Public: \_\_\_\_\_ My Commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_