



# Township of Edwardsburgh/ Cardinal

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## SWIMMING POOL PERMIT APPLICATION

In Ground
  Above Ground
  Enclosed

Owner Name:	Phone:
Address:	
Postal Code:	
Location (if different from above):	
Estimated Cost:	
Contractor:	Phone
Address:	
Size/Diameter of Pool:	
Setbacks – Rear yard:	Side Yard: Septic Tank (if applicable):
<b>Swimming Pool Permit Fee - \$60.00</b>	

### Declaration:

I am the owner/authorized agent named in the above application and I certify the truth of all statements or representations contained herein. I understand that the issuance of a permit shall not be deemed a waiver of any of the provisions of By-law 2003-54 or any other applicable laws or regulations, not withstanding anything included in or omitted from the plans or material filed in support of or in connection with the above application. I acknowledge that in the event a permit is issued, any departure from the plans, specifications or pool and fence locations proposed in the above application is prohibited and such could result in the permit being revoked. I further acknowledge that in the event that a permit is revoked for any cause or irregularity or non-conformity with By-laws or regulations, there shall be no right of claim whatsoever against the municipality or any official thereof and any such claim is hereby expressly waived.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

*Office use only*

### Certificate of Approval

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Jason Vezina  
Chief Building Official

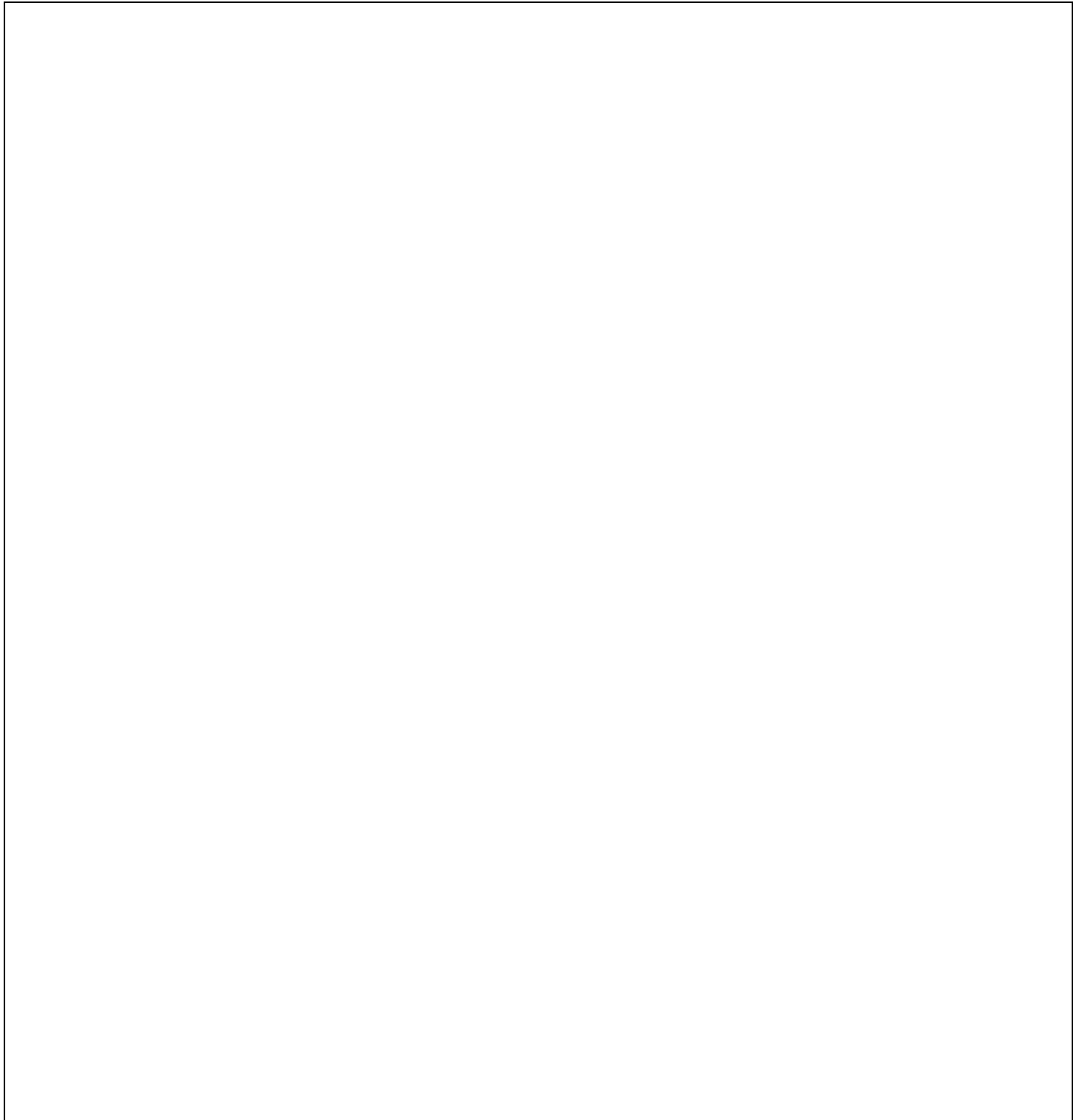
<b>Zone:</b>
<b>Legal Description:</b>
<b>Roll #:</b>

**SWIMMING POOL PERMIT SITE PLAN**

Show the following information on the drawing:

- House location
- Accessory building location
- Proposed pool location
- Property lines

*Assume North is top of diagram.*



By-law 2003-54

5. Fences - Private Outdoor Swimming Pools

- a) Every swimming pool shall be totally enclosed by a fence not less than 1.22 meters (4 feet) high, and shall have a gate equipped with a self closing and latching device.
- b) Any above ground pool that exceeds 1.22 meters (4 feet) of clear height around the pool is exempt of the requirement to be totally enclosed by a fence, except for the area where the ladder or other means of access for the pool are normally located. Such area shall be enclosed with a fence not less than 1.22 meters (4 feet) high with a gate equipped with a self-closing and latching device.
  - i) All entrances to the swimming pool area which form part of the enclosure, including windows, doors and gates, shall be kept latched at all times except when a responsible person is supervising the pool area.
  - ii) No part of the enclosure or entrances to any buildings shall be located closer than 1.22 meters (4 feet) to the pool.
  - iii) All gates leading into the pool area shall be kept locked at all times when not in use.
- c) No swimming pool or fence shall be constructed or erected until such time as a permit has been issued.
- d) Drawings indicating the location and design of any proposed private outdoor swimming pool shall be submitted for approval prior to the issuing of a permit.
- e) All fences required by this section of the bylaw shall be constructed and maintained as per Schedule " A attached to this bylaw.
- f) A certificate of approval must be obtained from the Chief Building Official before any outdoor private swimming pool can be filled with water.

SCHEDULE "A  
TO  
BY-LAW 2003-54

SPECIFICATION OF FENCES

A fence required by Section 4 of this bylaw shall be constructed and maintained as follows:

- a) If of Chain Link Construction
  - i) be of not greater than 3.81 cm (1 -1 12 inch) mesh;
  - ii) be constructed of galvanized wire not less than No. 12 gauge diameter, or of minimum No. 14 gauge steel wire covered with vinyl or other approved coating forrr-inga total thickness equivalent to No. 12 gauge galvanized wire;
  - iii) be supported by a rigid metal bar at the top and a stiffener for the bottom of the fencing; and
  - iv) be supported on substantial steel posts not more than 3.05 meters (10 feet) apart.
- b) If of Vertical Board or Metal Picket Construction
  - i) be of not less than 2.54 x 7.62 cm (1 inch x 3 inch) (nominal) vertical wooden boards or metal pickets, spaced not more than 3.81 cm (1-112 inch) apart, when such boards or pickets are placed on the same side of the fence;
  - ii) be of not less than 2.54 x 7.62 cm (1 inch x 3 inch) (nominal) vertical boards or metal pickets placed alternately on either side of the fence spaced not more than the width of such vertical boards apart and attached to horizontal supports spaced vertically at a distance of not more than 106.68 cm (42 inches) on center;
  - iii) be supported on substantial posts placed not more than 2.44 meters (8 feet) apart and installed in accordance with good construction practice.
- c) If of Chain Link Construction with Wooden Framework
  - i) be of not greater than 3.81 cm (1-112 inch) mesh;
  - ii) be constructed of galvanized wire not less than No. 12 gauge diameter, or of minimum No. 14 gauge steel wire covered with vinyl or other approved coating forming a total thickness equivalent to No. 12 gauge galvanized wire;
  - iii) be supported on substantial wood posts not less than 10.16 cm (4 inches) square or 12.70 cm (5 inches) in diameter placed not more than 2.44 meters (8 feet) apart; and
  - iv) be supported by a horizontal stringer at the top and at the bottom, each being not less than 5.08 x 10.16 cm (2 inch x 4 inch) (nominal) lumber.
- d) Hedges Adjacent to Pool Fences
  - i) Notwithstanding the requirements for fences around outdoor private swimming pools, a hedge is permitted adjacent to a required fence; and must be maintained at no higher than 1.83 meters (6 feet).