

Request for pool or spa safety barrier inspection

Property address

Street number and street name:

Suburb:

Postcode:

Applicant details

Name:

Address:

Phone:

Mobile:

Email:

Request details

Is the pool or spa registered with Council?

Yes

No

Would you like to request an inspection to confirm whether the existing pool or spa barrier complies with the applicable barrier standard?

Yes

Inspection fee

\$380 (incl. GST)

Fee excludes the issuing of *Certificate of Pool and Spa Barrier Compliance (Form 23)* for compliant barriers.

Payment

An invoice will be emailed after the application has been lodged. Once payment is received you will be contacted by an officer to arrange a suitable inspection time.

Signature of applicant:

Date:

Details to note

This inspection service is for the engagement of Council to assess the existing pool or spa barrier for compliance with the applicable barrier standard. Where non-compliances are identified, enforcement action under the Building Act 1993 will be taken requiring rectification works be carried out to the barrier within a specified timeframe.

Once the barrier is brought to compliance and any notices and/or orders have been cancelled, the owner may request a certificate of barrier compliance (Form 23) be issued for a further fee of \$253 which can then be lodged with Council by the due date on the website.

If safety barrier upgrades are required on site and are extensive in nature, then a Building Permit may be required prior to installing the barriers.

Failure to comply with Building Orders issued by Council may lead to prosecution where they are not complied within the specified timeframe, which can carry substantial penalties. Alterations and/or new barriers for a swimming pool require a Building Permit. Pool barriers are required for all pools capable of containing more than 300mm of water, whether they are permanent or temporary.

For more information regarding pool and spa safety barriers please visit the [City of Boroondara website](#), or the [Victorian Building Authority website](#). You can also call our Building Services Department on [\(03\) 9278 4999](tel:0392784999).

Privacy statement

The personal information will be used solely by Council for that primary purpose or directly related purposes. If the information is not collected, Council may not be able to provide the information requested. The applicant understands that the personal information provided is for the purpose of accessing information held by Council and that he or she may apply to Council for access to and/or amendment of the information.

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