

ORDINANCE NO. 380

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF LEESPORT AMENDING THE LEESPORT ZONING ORDINANCE OF 1972, AS AMENDED, BY PROVIDING REGULATIONS FOR PRIVATE NON-COMMERCIAL SWIMMING POOLS.

IT IS HEREBY ENACTED AND ORDAINED by the Council of the Borough of Leesport, Berks County, Pennsylvania, as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 503.1 of the Leesport Borough Zoning Ordinance of 1972, as amended, is amended by the addition of the following:

Section 503.1

d. Permanent swimming pools shall be entirely enclosed with a permanent barrier or fence not less than four feet (4') in height, such fence having no opening with a dimension greater than four inches (4") a side (or in diameter in the case of round openings). Where such pools are of the type having above-ground construction, that portion of the pool wall extending above the ground may be included as part of the barrier or fence. Fences or barriers shall have a gate which shall be securely locked when not in use. Above-ground pools shall have a ladder or stairway which can be removed or rendered unusable and the entrance to the pool shall be capable of being securely closed to a height of four feet (4').

SECTION 2. All existing ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith, are hereby expressly repealed to the extent necessary to give this Ordinance full force and effect.

SECTION 3. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon enactment.

ENACTED AND ORDAINED as an Ordinance by the Borough Council of
the Borough of Leesport, Berks County, Pennsylvania, at a meeting
held on the 19th day of May, 1999.

ATTEST:

BOROUGH COUNCIL,
BOROUGH OF LEESPORT
BERKS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

Janae M. Munn
Secretary

Jim Zajack
VICE President