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October 31, 1990

Ruby Lindsay, Administrator  
Town of Naicam  
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NAICAM, Sask.  
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Dear Ruby:

Re: Bylaw #11-90 Town of Naicam

The above bylaw has been approved on behalf of the  
Minister of Health. Please find enclosed a copy for  
your file.

Thank You.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Douglas Terry".

Douglas Terry,  
Senior Public Health Inspector

DT:dk

cc: Melfort PHI

TOWN OF NAICAM

BYLAW # 11-90

A BYLAW TO REGULATE AND ENSURE THE SAFE OPERATION OF  
PRIVATE SWIMMING POOLS.

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The Council of the Town of Naicam, in the Province of Saskatchewan,  
enacts as follows:

1. That the following definitions shall apply in the interpretation and enforcement of this bylaw.
  - (a) Swimming Pool: Any structure, basin, chamber, or tank containing an artificial body of water for swimming, diving, or recreational bathing and having a depth of two feet or more at any point, and with a surface area exceeding 250 square feet.
  - (b) Private Swimming Pool: shall mean and include a Swimming Pool that;
    - 1.) is not defined as a Public Swimming Pool or Paddling Pool in the Swimming Pool Regulations, Order in Council 645/81 under the Public Health Act; and
    - 2.) is located on land that is occupied solely by a building consisting of not more than two dwelling units, during any period that the pool is used only by the owner or occupant of the dwelling units, the members of their family or their guests for their pleasure.
2. That Section 68 of Part 1 of the Canadian Electrical Code (Sixteenth Edition) shall apply to and be in full force in respect of all private swimming pools in operation in the Town of Naicam.
3.
  - (a) That prior to construction, detailed plans indicating size, lot location and any other pertinent details as may be required shall be submitted to the Building Inspector for approval and permit issuance.
  - (b) That all swimming pools in the Town of Naicam shall be designed to meet the minimum structural requirements of the Building Bylaw of the Town of Naicam.
  - (c) That all swimming pools within the Town shall be enclosed with a suitable fence a minimum of six (6) feet in height; said fence shall present an exterior surface such as to make it non-climbable, and all doors, and/or gates to give access to the pool shall be locked at all times when the pool is not in use or under the supervision of a responsible person over the age of sixteen years.
  - (d) That all pools shall be equipped with water filters, pumping equipment or purification systems as may be required by the Medical Health Officer of the Department of Health.
  - (e) That the drainage of all water from any swimming pool shall be dumped out at a controlled rate into a storm sewer, where same is available; or into a domestic sewer system where the storm sewer is not available.
  - (f) That under no circumstances shall water be drained or discharged from a swimming pool onto or across private or public property unless within a system of pipes.
  - (g) That all swimming pool connections, to the plumbing system within the dwelling, shall be subject to the inspection and approval of the Plumbing Inspector of the Town of Naicam.

4. (a) That steps or ladders shall be provided at the shallow end of the pool if the vertical distance from the bottom of the pool to the deck or walk is over two feet. Steps leading to the pool shall be of non-slip design. There shall be no abrupt drop-off or submerged projections into the pool, unless guarded by handrails.
- (b) That sufficient artificial lighting be provided to permit safe swimming and rescue during periods of darkness.
- (c) That suitable Life Saving Equipment shall be provided and made available during the use of the private swimming pool.
5. Any person found guilty of an infraction of any of the provisions of this bylaw shall be liable to the penalties provided in the general penalty bylaw of the Town of Naicam.

Robert J. Davis  
MAYOR

Luby J. Lindsay  
TOWN ADMINISTRATOR

Certified A True Copy of Bylaw No. 11 - 90 passed by the Council of the Town of Naicam on October 9, 1990.

Luby J. Lindsay  
ADMINISTRATOR

<p>SASKATCHEWAN HEALTH APPROVED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 83 OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH ACT.</p> <p><u>[Signature]</u> EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, COMMUNITY SERVICES</p> <p>Date <u>90. 10. 26</u></p>
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