



**Hennepin County Sheriff's Office  
Enforcement Services Division – Water Patrol Unit**

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**TEMPORARY STRUCTURE PERMIT REGULATIONS  
for  
SWIM RAFT APPLICANTS**

Once you receive your swim raft permit, it will be in effect for **three** years. During that three-year period, you need to renew your permit if one or more of the following occurs:

- A. when your address or the location of the swim raft changes;  
or
- B. when your permission from the landowner is revoked.

**Please make sure that the following conditions are met:**

- A. The permit number is displayed in 2" numerals on one side of the raft.
- B. The raft must have enough reflectorized material so as to indicate its size from all angles.
- C. The raft must be within 100' from shore.
- D. The raft cannot be a navigational hazard.
- E. The raft must be removed each year by the 15th of December so as not to create a hazard for winter recreation.