POOL SAFETY CHECKLIST

BARRIERS & ALARMS CHECK

- [ ] Is there a 4-sided pool fence that is in good working order?
- [ ] Is there a pool/spa safety cover (netting or mesh doesn't apply)?
- [ ] Are there audible alarms present?
- [ ] Does the pool fence have a self-closing, self-latching and lockable gate that opens outward?
- [ ] Is the pool/spa safety cover functioning and in good condition?
- [ ] Do the alarms function properly?

SAFETY EQUIPMENT CHECK

- [ ] First Aid Kit
- [ ] AED
- [ ] Sign posted with emergency phone numbers and address listed
- [ ] CPR Mask
- [ ] Does the pool have at least one piece of easily accessible safety equipment such as a shepherds crook, ring buoy, reaching pole, or another throwable device?

POOL MAINTENANCE CHECK

- [ ] Is the pool water clear?
- [ ] Does the pool appear to be regularly maintained?
- [ ] Can the bottom of the pool be easily seen?
- [ ] Is there a VGB Compliant drain cover in the pool?

Notes/Recommendations:

For more information about how to make your backyard safer visit:
npda.org/layers

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