



# Commercial Swimming Pool Update

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# Agenda

- Main Drain Recall Compliance
- Virginia Graeme Baker Act Compliance
  - “VGB” – New legislation



# CPSC National Recall

- A&A.....
- AquaStar.....
- Color Match.....
- Custom Molded Products...
- Hayward Pool Products.....
- Pentair Water Pool & Spa ...
- Rising Dragon.....
- Waterway.....



## Please note the limited terms of this recall

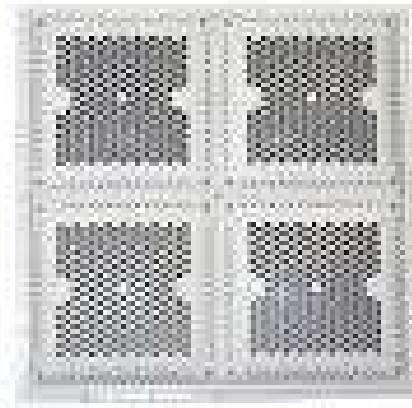
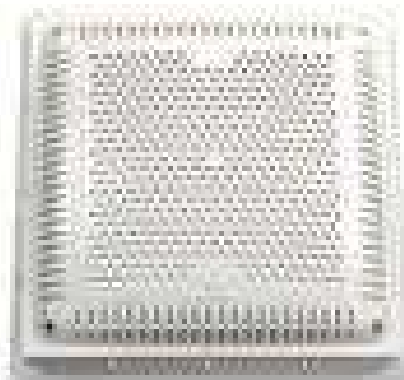
- Except for kiddie/wading pools (typically 18”-24” deep) and
- in-ground spas (not portable spas),
- replacement of installed covers is not required in pools with
  - multiple drain systems or gravity drainage systems, for “unblockable” covers
  - (3”x31”, 24”x24” or 9”x36” or larger) or for covers installed before December 19, 2008.



- Dual drain MAIN pools
- Gravity drain filtration pools
- Channel Drains
- Main Pools with covers larger than 24 x 24
- Hot Tubs (portable spas)



# VGB Drain Grates





- As a part of this recall effort, manufacturers have agreed to provide a free replacement drain cover or retrofit riser ring
- AquaStar / Hayward will also cover the labor charges applicable to the actual replacement/retrofit of an affected cover(s)

# AquaStar Registration Form

Facility Name :

Comments:

Address :

State :

City

Zip : 33487

County : Palm Beach

Affected Model Number : WAV12101

Model Quantity : 2

Pool Quantity : 2

Type of Pool : Single Drain Pool

Other Pool Description :

Consumer or Builder :



# Frequently asked questions

Located on APEI website at [www.americanpool.com](http://www.americanpool.com)

## **FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS FOR CONSUMERS**

### **Recall of Wading Pool and in-Ground Spa Drain Covers**

1. [What is this recall about?](#)
2. [Why is a recall necessary?](#)
3. [How do I know if my pool or inground spa is affected by the recall?](#)
4. [Are there photos of pictures of the types of drains that are affected?](#)
5. [What do I do if I think my pool or in-ground spa may be a part of this recall?](#)
6. [Which manufacturers have drain covers affected by this recall?](#)
7. [Are wading pools or "kiddie pools" affected by this recall? What about hot tubs?](#)
8. [Does this mean my pool is unsafe to use?](#)
9. [Are there any reports of injuries associated with the drain covers affected by the recall?](#)
10. [If the drain covers were installed before December Of 2008, what should I do?](#)
11. [What will this likely cost me, in terms of a replacement or retrofit?](#)
12. [Should I call my pool maintenance company, installer or pool retailers about this?](#)
13. [Are there other steps I can take to make my pool or spa as safe as possible?](#)



## Timeline for modifications

- Immediate
- Product manufacturer delay
- Product distribution delay
- **Approved service providers first in line for product**