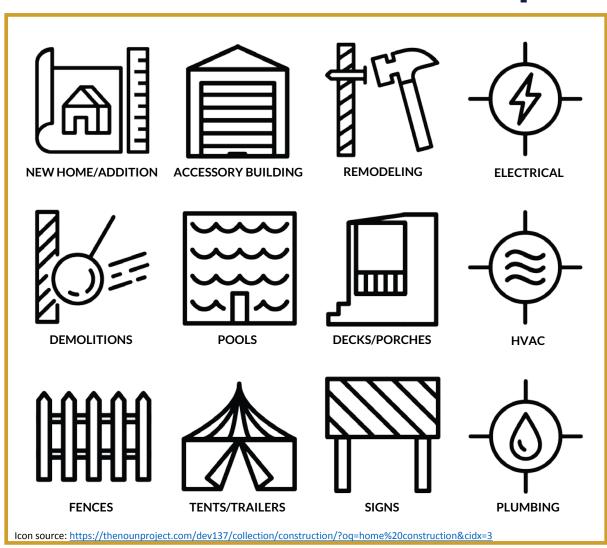
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YES! You need a permit for that.



Permits are required for the following items:

- New home
- Addition
- Accessory building over 120 sq/ft Includes prefab buildings
- Remodeling worth more than \$500 including roofing, siding, windows/doors, and interior remodeling
- Porch/deck with a roof/trellis
- Porch/deck at or over 30" above grade
- Enclosing existing porch/deck
- ✓ Any inground swimming pool and all pools with 42" or more in water depth
- ✓ Fences in the City of South Bend and St. Joseph County, but not within "towns" such as Lakeville, North Liberty, Osceola, and Roseland
- **Demolitions**
- Trailers
- Tents over 120 sq/ft
- Signs, temporary or permanent over 2 sq/ft
- Electrical, HVAC or Plumbing work

Permit applications can be found online https://southbendin.gov/department/building/building-permits/or picked up at our office at the address below.