

From Container to Oasis: Transforming a Shipping Container into a Stunning Swimming Pool

SAINT MARYS, OH, UNITED STATES, May 25, 2023 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Innovative and eco-friendly design solutions have gained tremendous popularity in recent years, with creative individuals and businesses exploring unique ways to repurpose existing structures. One fascinating transformation gaining attention is the conversion of shipping containers into functional and visually striking swimming pools. This innovative approach combines sustainability, affordability, and flexibility, turning an industrial object into a refreshing backyard oasis.

It is highly recommended to first get some [expert advice](#) in order to make sure there is a good plan of what materials will be required and the best method and location for a proper installation. It is also a good idea to locate and read some online [blogs](#) and social media posts from others who have shared success stories and photos of installing their own shipping container swimming pool.

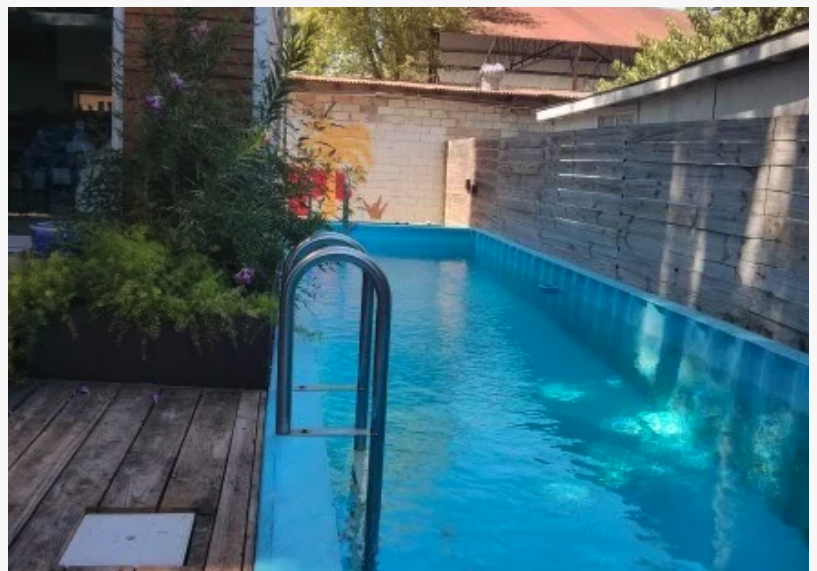
The first step in this transformative process involves selecting a suitable shipping container. These containers, typically made of durable steel, are designed to withstand harsh conditions during transportation. Choose a container that meets your desired dimensions, preferably a 20-foot or 40-foot container, which are the most common sizes. Consider factors such as the available space in your backyard and the intended use of the swimming pool.

Once you have your shipping container, the next step is to prepare it for its new purpose as a swimming pool. Thorough cleaning and removal of any surface rust or coatings are essential. This step ensures a smooth and safe interior surface for the pool. Additionally, you may need to



reinforce the container's structure and add appropriate insulation to regulate the water temperature.

To transform the container into a swimming pool, certain modifications need to be made. The most significant alteration involves cutting an opening for the pool entrance. Professional assistance is highly recommended at this stage to ensure precise measurements and proper structural support. The container's end wall or side can be removed, creating an inviting entry point to the pool.



Shipping container transformed into a residential swimming pool

To prevent any water leakage and ensure durability, applying a high-quality waterproofing material, such as [SANI-TRED®](#) products, to the container's interior is crucial. This step creates a watertight seal, keeping the pool secure and preventing any damage to the container's structure. Additionally, plumbing connections need to be installed for water supply, filtration, and drainage. Collaborating with a professional plumber is recommended to ensure proper installation.

Once the structural modifications and plumbing are complete, it's time for the installation of the pool equipment and finishing touches. This includes adding a filtration system, water pump, and any additional features you desire, such as lighting or a heating system. Consider incorporating deck areas or seating options to enhance the pool's functionality and aesthetic appeal.

Advantages of a Shipping Container Pool:

a) **Cost-Effective:** Compared to traditional in-ground pools, shipping container pools offer a more affordable alternative. The container itself serves as the structural foundation, eliminating the need for costly excavation and construction work.

b) **Portability and Flexibility:** Container pools are portable, allowing you to relocate them if needed. They offer flexibility in terms of size, design, and customization options, making them suitable for various spaces and preferences.

c) **Sustainability:** Repurposing shipping containers as swimming pools contributes to sustainable living. By reusing these structures, you are reducing waste and giving new life to materials that would otherwise be discarded.

d) **Easy Maintenance:** Container pools are relatively easy to maintain due to their compact size.

The reduced water volume requires fewer chemicals and less energy for filtration and heating, resulting in lower maintenance costs.

Transforming a shipping container into a stunning swimming pool offers a unique and eco-friendly approach to backyard design. By repurposing these sturdy structures, you can create a visually striking oasis while enjoying the advantages of cost-effectiveness, portability, and sustainability. Whether you have limited space, a tight budget, or a desire for a creative outdoor space, a container pool is an excellent choice that combines functionality and style.

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