Bucket City Deck Contractors Expands Pool Deck Services

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Bucket City Deck Contractors has expanded its pool deck services to cover a wider range of installation, resurfacing and maintenance work for residential properties across Middle Tennessee, with the broader scope in effect now and scheduling open for spring 2027 projects. The expansion adds above-ground pool decking, in-ground perimeter surfaces and slip-resistant coating application to work the Murfreesboro-based contractor previously handled on a case-by-case basis.

Under the expanded scope, pool decks are built in concrete, pavers, natural stone and composite decking, with the material selected according to drainage requirements, maintenance expectations and site conditions. Concrete allows custom shapes and poured-in-place finishes, pavers let water pass between joints, and composite boards are manufactured with slip resistance and limited upkeep in mind. Natural stone is used where a masonry finish is needed to match existing hardscaping.

The added capacity follows steady demand for repair and replacement work on surrounds rather than on pools themselves. "Homeowners are calling about decking that has outlasted the pool it surrounds, and the expanded scope allows the crew to address the surface, the drainage and the safety coating in one project

rather than three separate ones," said Dave Harris, owner of Bucket City Deck Contractors.

The expansion arrives as pool owners in the region face decisions about surrounds built in the 1990s and 2000s, many of which were poured as plain slabs without drainage slope or separate expansion joints. Surfaces of that kind tend to crack along the pool edge as the ground moves, and repairs become more involved once water reaches the base layer.

The expanded service also covers resurfacing over existing slabs, an option available when the underlying surface remains stable and free of significant cracking or settlement. Crews evaluate the existing deck before resurfacing and complete structural repairs first where a slab has shifted. Cleaning, sealing and coating work is also performed on decks the company did not originally build.

A typical pool deck installation runs one to two weeks from site preparation to completion, though concrete requires additional curing time and paver work can move faster. Weather is the primary variable in Middle Tennessee, where summer heat and heavy rainfall both interfere with curing and with compaction of paver bases. Spring and early summer generally provide steadier conditions, which is why scheduling for the 2027 season opened this fall.

Slip resistance accounts for much of the added work. Pool surrounds carry barefoot traffic over surfaces that stay wet through the swimming season, and untreated concrete loses traction as it weathers and as algae establishes in shaded sections. Protective coats applied to the finished surface address traction while sealing the material against moisture penetration, and coating can be applied to existing decks as a separate service.

Maintenance intervals vary by material. Concrete decks are generally sealed every few years, paver installations need periodic re-sanding and sealing of joints, and composite surfaces require routine cleaning to prevent buildup. Harris said recurring maintenance was folded into the expanded service because deterioration usually begins at joints and edges, where water collects and freeze-thaw cycles act on the material.

Work is carried out from the company's Murfreesboro base and extends across Middle Tennessee, including Nashville, Franklin, Brentwood, Smyrna, La Vergne, Mt. Juliet, Spring Hill and Shelbyville. Above-ground installations, which add framed access and railing around a freestanding pool wall, are handled under the same expanded scope as in-ground perimeter decking.

Estimates are prepared on site, with measurements, drainage patterns and the condition of any existing surface recorded before a material recommendation is made. Projects that involve resurfacing rather than new construction generally require a shorter timeline, though the assessment step remains the same.

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