

PLANNING COMMISSION AND CITY COUNCIL JOINT WORK SESSION

448 E. 1st Street, Room 190 Salida, Colorado 81201 February 28, 2023 - 5:00 PM

AGENDA

Please register for the Planning Commission and City Council Joint Work Session meeting: https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/2264104861873917709

CALL TO ORDER BY CHAIRMAN - 5:00 PM

DISCUSSION ITEMS

1. Future Land Use Map (FLUM) and Land Use Code Draft Installment #2 - Summary of the December survey results for the FLUM and review of proposed Land Use Code zone districts and dimensional standards.

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SALIDA FUTURE LAND USE MAP (FLUM) COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT SUMMARY: ROUND 1

Introduction

The City of Salida is developing a Future Land Use Map (FLUM) – a tool to guide the type, intensity, and location of future development in Salida. It is intended to work in tandem with the principles and policies of the Salida Comprehensive Plan.

The City is developing a FLUM to:

- Establish a policy foundation for new zoning tools that are currently being considered as part of the ongoing Land Use Code update
- Address emerging thinking and community priorities:
 - Opportunities to support diverse housing options
 - Expansion of mixed-use development in targeted locations
 - More efficient use of existing land and available/planned infrastructure
 - Incremental growth in specific areas of the city
- Engage the community in an important discussion about where and how Salida could and should change in the future

The FLUM is supported by land use categories that describe the overall intent for each area and help "connect the dots" between Comprehensive Plan policies and the FLUM with regard to desired density, mix of uses/housing types, and distinguishing characteristics by area.

Land use categories fall into three groups:

- Neighborhoods
- Mixed-Use Commercial and Employment Centers
- Other

The draft FLUM reflects reasonable assumptions about future land use in City limits and municipal services area (MSA) based on current plans and commitments. Based on community input received, the draft FLUM will be refined and brought forward for further consideration as part of the Comprehensive Land Use Code Rewrite Process, which will be one of the primary mechanisms the City will use to implement community priorities embodied in the FLUM.

Who we Heard From

At least 75 Salida residents were engaged during the first round of outreach on the FLUM—75 attendees at the in-person Mappy Hour event on Wednesday, November 9th and another 20 online survey respondents. Participants at the Mappy Hour event were provided survey forms with the same questions (along with maps) and invited to provide feedback in-person. Approximately 25 of the the Mappy Hour event attendees provided written feedback.

Next Steps

Input received will be used to guide potential updates to Salida FLUM. Another round of community engagement will be held as part of the Land Use Code (LUC) rewrite process to allow community members the opportunity to review changes and provide additional feedback.

Comments from Mappy Hour Event

Wednesday, November 9th, 2022

LOW-INTENSITY RESIDENTIAL NEIGHBORHOODS

Existing lot sizes in these neighborhoods generally range from about 7,500 SF to 20,000 SF. Do you think slightly smaller lot sizes, slightly greater density, and attached single-family homes and duplexes (max 2 units) should be allowed in existing Low-Intensity Residential Neighborhoods to help expand housing options and sources of rental income for existing and future landowners?

- Yes, I think in some area we could have no limit.
- Full approval, low-intensity residential can be desirable, but the benefits of an increase in density are too great to ignore.
- I support higher density. We should be able to build ADU's and 35 ft and have a higher square foot of living space.
- Yes, although, I'd like to see the new houses not dwarf the originals.
- No
- Yes. Infrastructure is already present, and it is close to the Downtown Mixed-Use Area. Traffic calming should be used as needed.
- Any new construction should be higher density if possible. This makes sense.
- Yes, 100%.
- Yes, definitely
- Yes, smaller lot sizes should be encouraged or codified and incentivized with higher density to encourage.
- Please don't cram more into this small higher-end area. Sticking a 2 story ADU in a backyard impacts existing neighbors view and privacy, will affect their property value/surely the whole city does not have to be as dense as variable.
- Yes, more housing as close to downtown as possible. I think this would also allow land owners to subdivide and build additional units on existing land.
- Yes, but only if the rentals are focused on long term rentals. They should work to keep some of the charm but expand housing options
- Yes
- Yes, but more guidelines for new housing that requires a fit with current neighborhoods.
- Area of stability with slow changes
- There should be no single family (one building)
- Yes
- Yes
- Yes

- Yes, should be 2+adu
- Yes
- Yes if the expanded housing options include more affordable options for all.
- What is slightly greater density? Too much density will feel like front range or summit county.
 Duplex or triplex should be okay people move here to get out of density or cities. If Salida gets too dense they will go to large country lots. No 2 units on a lot. Don't make Salida front range dense.

VARIABLE RESIDENTIAL NEIGHBORHOODS

The Variable Residential Neighborhood designation supports an integrated mix of housing options in established areas, as well as in new neighborhoods. Do you think the expansion of this pattern makes sense in existing areas as infill and redevelopment occurs? What about for new neighborhoods on the fringe of town?

- Yes
- Mixed-use should be incorporated as often as possible, so at the very least one of these are available and close to regular residential areas, variable and integrated mix of housing gives character and flexibility. Great!
- Variable makes sense, infill. Parking constraints should be re-visited. I would support elimination of the # required parking areas. We need new neighborhoods at the fringe of town.
- It makes sense as long as the new forms match the existing forms. Building heights should be limited when views of iconic land forms would be affected. Each new neighborhood should be evaluated on its own. Traffic calming should be used as necessary. Floodplains should not be developed.
- I think that expansion of the pattern makes senses, however, the size of houses and the construction should be considered in light of the existing neighborhood. It is disheartening to have a beautiful home replaced by architectural nightmares.
- Yes
- Yes, regarding new neighborhoods on the outskirts. I prefer no minimum lot or house sizes (i.e. high density). And any mandatory open space should be at the outer edges.
- Variable residential neighborhoods should be expanded throughout Salida.
- Yes the integrated mix is nice but there should be more parks!! Developers should incorporate more green and public spaces.
- I am in favor of this plan and higher-efficiency residential of fill-in and on the fringe. Lets get the most density as close to downtown as possible.
- Yes, although I think many of those could be upgraded to higher efficiency residential.
- VRN expansion makes sense as long as it allows density comparable as current R3. VRN or HTRN at fringes, hard to answer w/o specific examples or numbers. Add HERN from downtown to 7th and Spur?
- I think walkable neighborhoods with some basic shopping should accompany such neighborhoods.
- Sure
- These areas should be as close as possible to the center of city as possible.
- Yes

- Yes
- Yes to both
- Overall I think this is setup well. One main concern is that there are not very good massing standards. Currently you can build a 35' house next to a small house that ends up shading out and overwhelming the neighborhood character. I also ends up shading out and overwhelming the neighborhood character. I also think as more tall, newer buildings, are built, there may be community pushback against a very real need for increased density.
- City needs to think about having architectural standards (like Breckenridge has no boxes) to
 mix in with current neighborhoods. Infill developments should compliment and fit in w current
 neighborhood. Again too much will not maintain "small town character". You cant allow and
 remain a small town.

HIGHER-EFFICIENCY RESIDENTIAL NEIGHBORHOODS

Should opportunities for Higher Efficiency Residential Neighborhoods be encouraged where infill and redevelopment opportunities and infrastructure capacity are available? Given the high cost and low availability of land and housing, should new low-efficiency/low-density development be permitted in areas designated for higher-efficiency/higher-density development?

- Yes
- No. I would like to see an analysis of existing water and sewer infrastructure to confirm higher efficiency development would not challenge existing water and sewer capacity.
- Yes
- Yes, they should be encouraged where available. Unless higher density would be allowed outside the municipal boundary. Low density should not be permitted in theses areas, we need more density close to town.
- No, we are pushing people out of their homes to replace them with large vacant vacation houses. Why would we contemplate this?
- Yes Part 1. No Part 2.
- Yes -1, No − 2
- Yes!! It should be encouraged, but low-efficiency should not be permitted in higher efficiency areas.
- High-efficiency is laudable and a worthy plan, but do all these new developments (as near Trailwinds in Poncha Springs and along CR 140) have to look like boxes jammed in?? Ugly, no green around them. Too much concrete.
- No lets keep the density downtown, lets not sprawl! I currently live at F and 11th and my neighbors on both sides are second home owners and their homes sit empty 90% of the time.
 We do not want a vacant community, keep it dense!
- Yes, 100%! This should be a major focus and we should take care in expanding all these areas as much as we can. No to the second questions, that was misleading.
- 1 Yes. 2 The market will take care of this, don't worry about it. Standards for max lot size and min density are ok, but should still allow for variety.
- If this would increase affordable housing, yes.
- Yes
- These should be as close to the center of city as possible

- Yes it should all stay mixed like it is now. Naturally evolving as needed, don't cordon off the poor folk.
- No, high density is crucial, low efficiency should only be tolerated if it helps bring costs down.
- Opportunities for high efficiency new neighborhoods should be allowed. New low efficiency/low
 density should only be allowed where individual lot owners can individually intensify by right –
 meaning things like HOA covenants shouldn't block intensification to subvert zoning.
- No not really
- No!
- Low availability of land = only so many seats in the theater. Just creating density is not what Salida is abut. The developments by golf course are attractive the ones on CR 160 are not (=density for density's sake = boxes)

MOBILE & MANUFACTURED HOME PARKS/NEIGHBORHOODS

Mobile & Manufactured Home Parks/Neighborhoods include the City's existing mobile home parks and other pockets of established affordable and workforce housing. Should steps be taken to ensure that existing affordable and workforce housing is retained or replaced with similar types of development (smaller, attached manufactured homes) as part of any future infill or redevelopment?

- Yes, although we do currently have mobile home parks on the river. That property is the most expensive and desirable in Salida. I don't know that it makes sense to retain manufactured home parks on expensive land.
- Let the market place determine the outcome.
- Yes
- Yes, but smaller stick-built should be allowed in addition to mobile homes. Lower min sq footage requirement in these areas. 600 sq ft?
- No
- Yes, it should be retained. Higher density modes should be encouraged wherever possible.
- Yes
- Absolutely
- Yes please retain existing manufactured housing at least or be allowed to replace with similar density and uses
- Yes maintain mobile/ mfg home parks, but work to improve their appearance to better blend with variable res and adjacent housing. Encourage off street parking and guidelines/restrictions on number of vehicles per unit, reduce parking of recreational vehicles, rafts, boats, etc.
- Yes, this is key housing to the underrepresented senior community and labor force.
- Yes. We should work to keep these areas affordable.
- Yes I would like to see more neighborhoods with restrictions on height and ADUs to preserve the small town feel of Salida.
- Yes
- Yes
- Yes agree 100% but where would this expansion be?
- Absolutely
- It can be, but shouldn't stop new housing from being built.

- Concern I have about limiting other uses is that owners of these properties may not be able to benefit from rising values if the only thing you can have is a manufactured home. Maybe allow SFR but not high density multifamily.
- Yes absolutely.
- This is a good way for true affordable housing (ownership/rental). Retain what we have because where else will those current occupants go? Protection.

NEIGHBORHOOD MIXED-USE

Should the existing mix of commercial and residential development along 1st Street and Oak Street be expanded through future infill and adaptive reuse? Are there other areas of Salida that could benefit from proximity to small, neighborhood-scale retail and office development? Do you see a measurable difference between future uses along Highway 50 and the future uses along Highway 291/1st Street/Oak Street?

- Yes
- Some limited expansion makes sense. Additional neighborhood and rental along route 50. Yes keep 29/oak st the way it is.
- Hwy 50 could have higher buildings and more auto oriented. 1st st should stay pedestrian and bike friendly.
- Hwy 50 and hwy 291 are different and should stay that way
- Yes, infill and adaptive reuse should be expanded. Other areas that could benefit would be the residential areas, areas that could benefit would be the residential areas near 50. I don't see a difference between the corridors, except for traffic speeds and safety, near Crest Academy.
- There is a big difference between 50 and 291/oak already. There is a school (crest academy) on 291 which should be considered for safety concerns. There should be a safe corridor both from Crest to town and between oak and the schools.
- Yes
- Yes hwy 50 should be more commercial/industrial but also needs to be accessible to walkers and rollers (wheelchairs, bikes, stollers, etc)
- Yes
- 1st and Oak expand through infill yes. US 50 either truly tame 50 or don't intensify building
 more auto centered uses will make traffic worse, but more development along 1st and Oak will
 allow much more of those now trips to be peds and bikes
- Yes expand mixed use and increase density
- Yes with the inclusion public preschools and children based services, continue to provide childcare support via business opportunities to support current and future growth, esp families and anticipated population growth of young people w/ families.
- Yes, 1st and Oak infill is a good idea and should be continued. Development like South Main in BV should be encouraged (mixed use). Yes, I see a difference between HWY 50 and 291/st st. HWY 50 should have more fast food/restaurants/bars/hotels/etc. 291/1st should not have these.
- Yes I like infill, adaptive reuse, and mixed-use. Difference with HWY 50 is its bigger and faster. 291/Oak should stay like it is slow. Both need excellent provision for walking-both sides. Deemphasize cars and need for cars, make it safe and attractive.
- Yes I agree with these statements

- In the section that is 1st street north of the city there should be a mixed use and commercial development
- 1st and I are as abrupt transition from Gas Station and auto shop to residential. If the proposed softens that for the residents, then yes. 1st is the corridor but 2nd is often used, causing both to be super busy.
- Maybe I would need to learn more with regards to how more infill, etc, would impact the area.
 For example, water rights and enough electricity infrastructure is there or could be easily added and upgraded. Most in support of more infill but want to be sure to understand true costs and longterm impacts.
- Yes
- 1) Yes 2) Yes allow in VRN and HERN and let it happen naturally. 3) Absolutely HWY 50 is auto oriented while 291 has an opportunity to be mixed and ped friendly.
- Yes the areas along highway 50 and 1st make sense to have mixed use. Aother location could be HWY 50, they are already using some of the space as that.
- Yes more commercial and residential development on 1 and Oak.
- Could use cleaners, restaurants, coffee shops, more groceries near west side and north on 291 beyond hospital.
- Yes, 1st/Oak street should be neighborhood commercial and highway 50 should be geared to auto oriented development.
- 1) Yes

COMMUNITY AND REGIONAL MIXED-USE

The Future 50 Corridor Plan envisions that portions of the Highway 50 (Rainbow Boulevard) corridor will redevelop into walkable areas over time. Do you support the concept of transforming auto-oriented uses at key nodes along the corridor to higher density mixed-use centers?

- It may work in small pockets, but the scale of in the 50 corridor will not be conducive to a walkable space
- Yes, I would support a variety of options in the 50 corridor.
- Yes but not clear on what that vision is. Please give more examples.
- Too wide of an area on SE side of town (Big O Tire), that should be neighborhood mixed use or Downtown Mixed Use to support development of Vandaveer
- I do support the concept. There are already bike lanes and sidewalks, and great views. Traffic calming and safety should be considered.
- Absolutely, we live in the area close to 50 and would love to see a focus on providing some better pedestrian access to a mixed-use area. It feels very industrial in the 3 blocks off 50, a higher density/mixed use area would be lovely.
- Yes
- Yes as long as the goal is increased walkability. More people have to walk, its not a choice.
- It wont be meaningful unless its at a scale that turns 50 to two lanes and "chicken" lane. Unless youll go the whole way, don't divert the attention from 1st and oak.
- Yes high density pedestrian centers
- Only if walking/multi use options continue to be provided. Continue to develop access points for non-vehicle travel, especially for kids!

- Yes HWY 50 more walkable and bicycle friendly. This would have to be dense w/ tracks and open space/parks to keep the area livable. HWY 50 needs to remain 2 lanes each direction, but speed limits should be reduced.
- Yes we must support and encourage. Multi modes of transportation. We must expand our trails
 and make our connections. HWY 50 can be a highway, but it can also be more walker/biker
 friendly and more attractive visually.
- Yes... but... I support entire corridor from Walmart to 291 have a safe walking corridor.
- Yes
- Yes slow traffic as much as legally possible to make 50 walkable/bikeable
- Yes as long as HWY Feds are to play nicely. Have we thought about all the CDOT implications tied to this development related access, snow removal, etc. Im very supportive but want to make sure we've thought everything through.
- Yes
- Yes, but the highway must be tamed before we can reasonably expect higher quality mixed use
 development. The other side of this problem is that, currently, too much land is signed
 commercial. Low-value commercial land creates low quality development, e.g. conex storage
 and gravel lot next to Ace
- Yes it feels very industrial today and could benefit from more mixed-use areas.
- Yes walking and bike lanes would be great on protected 50. Yes for people with disabilities.
- Yes I like the idea of mixed-use nodes. Spread out some retail, relieve parking crunch downtown.
- Yes
- Yes

DOWNTOWN MIXED-USE

Do you support the intensification of the "edges" of downtown to accommodate more efficient housing? Would you support incentivizing more residential opportunities (e.g. increased density/up to 4 stories) within the downtown core, esp. if it included a greater percentage of deed-restricted affordable units?

- No fee for ADUs
- Yes
- Minimum unit size should be smaller
- Yes, or 5 stories. But, if you look at the surf hotel in BV, it works because of its beautiful design. I do not think the community would be happy with modern 5 story condos similar to Denver.
- Yes. I don't support greater height. I don't support additional deed-restricted units. I would like to see alternatives to the inclusionary housing questions, including city leasing land
- 3 stories max in downtown core
- Yes
- Yes, although a high percentage should be affordable. We don't need more high priced housing near the majority of services jobs.
- No, although historically there have been 4 story buildings there is currently a problem of
 residents losing their views of the mountains. I have had many conversations about the loss of
 views due to large buildings being put up adjacent to houses are historical.

- Yes! Density is important to keep costs of building down and to make services located closer to housing
- Yes for sure
- Yes, deed restrictions not necessary
- Yes
- What about parking for this development? How will this affect traffic, tourists, and city flow?
- No, multi story should only remain in the core of downtown or in/along hwy 50/hwy 291.
 Neighborhoods and homes should not have to worry about a 4 story building going in next to them.
- Yes
- Only if more than 50% is "affordable" meaning a single parent in the service industry could reasonably afford.
- Yes intensity should be centered near downtown
- Yes increase height and density
- Yes happy to support more infill so long as we've talked through infrastructure.
- 4 stories could compromise neighborhoods views o mountains and the same time I could support some limited increased density
- Yes
- Yes 100% this is the main reason I came today!
- Yes the key is deed-restricted/rent control
- Where will there be parking for the higher-density residential areas? Don't go very high, the charm of Salida is views of mountains in every direction
- Yes!
- Yes

INDUSTRIAL

Does Salida need additional space for industrial businesses (e.g., business or industrial parks) outside of the existing city limits and within the Municipal Services Area (MSA) or even the Municipal Planning Area (MPA)? Do you agree with the potential opportunities for future industrial activities shown on the FLUM?

- Small, quirky, weird (more affordable)
- Outside the FLUM. Not on the monarch spur trail.
- Need to look at this more closely to provide proper feedback. Set-a-sides for industrial areas
 makes sense for longterm sustainability. I do want to protect agricultural uses for longterm
 sustainability.
- Are there requests for industrial permits? It would be good to balance (a little) the tourism economy.
- Yes
- Industrial uses which do not pollute the air or create excessive noise should not be encouraged near residential areas.
- I cant answer this

- Yes
- I agree to the idea of future industrial/commercial projects outside city limits.
- There should be somewhere industry can go by right
- No
- Depends on what is being proposed and what is anticipated, this sounds like another topic. What is permitted and what industrial business will be permitted.
- No
- I don't know if it needs additional space for industrial uses, but if so those neighborhood should also be multi-modal and be as attractive as possible, with green space. Transportation friendly.
- Yes, so long as air/light pollution is considered and restricted
- Light industry, live/work, creative spaces
- Yes I believe we want to continue to grow and attract light industrial businesses and services.
 Not sure
- Yes, if traffic issues addressed with limited impact on neighborhoods.
- Allow light industrial everywhere ("maker". Other than that, it can go to unincorporated areas
- I don't think within city limits, there seems to be a lot of open space in county to develop more
- How about industrial by the airport and that road. No industrial along the bike path. The chemicals from the cabinet shop are already a bad match to children riding bikes.
- Yes
- Yes, industrial land should be set aside.
- It seems like industrial should be on HWY 50 or smeltertown

GENERAL

Do you agree with the general direction proposed for the FLUM? Do you have other comments?

- More modern is okay, don't want it to be too "precious"
- Break up massing (but need to be careful)
- Parks need to be in higher density areas
- Possibly take away the maximum # of units on a lot. I believe micro units could help address the affordable housing issues
- Also, letting full-time residents short-term rent their primary residence. That could have the effect of diluting the current AirBnB pool.
- Consider industrial set aside for solar, wind, and small modular reactors.
- Yes, I like treating 50+29 differently. Keep 291 walkable.
- Agricultural lands or prime growing spaces should be treated as such and not considered placeholders for development. Where will our food come from?
- It does look like a common-sense approach given the increase in population. Floodplains and viewsheds need to be preserved and considered when changing land uses. Thank you for a well-preserved opportunity to gather input.
- I do agree for the most part. I am most concerned about the safety of Oak St. Anything we can do to make it more pedestrian friendly and to calm traffic would be appreciated.

- Thank you for your thoughtful proposal.
- One more comment: please teach developers and new home builders not to scrape the very valuable, naturally-adapted, highly functioning natural ground cover. So inefficient to scrape.
- Please limit STRs I know you passed now must be chaffee county owners. Can you limit the number of years each STR can have their license? STR are a huge problem.
- Please try to keep heavy industrial trucks off of Oak st. Remember the high percentage of older adults who reside in Salida, many of whom no longer drive. Consider future transportation needs
- Yes, overall really good direction. I see a lot of "strong town" concepts. I think biggest hurdle is going to be education the community and helping us see the benefits of high density.
- Should have ring "high efficiency" residential neighborhoods for 1 or 2 block ring around the neighborhood mixed-use ring around downtown.
- Yes
- Continue to include opportunity to add to growth into the equation
- Yes I generally agree. There does need to be more pocket park area identified. More trail corridors/walk/bike needs to be identified.
- Yes but the agricultural, undeveloped reserve, is an absolute treasure! To have this beauty, peace, space, and habitat for birds, etc right in town is a treasure and very few towns are so lucky to have this. This land should remain as it is. Its got the trail through it already its very important. Don't ever develop it, please please please.
- The riverfront ecology and public access along the entirety of the riverbanks must be protected.
- I have not heard anything about preserving the character of Salida's older downtown neighborhoods. A good example is the "Sackett's Overlay" along east second and third streets. We have seen a number of "accessory dwellings" introduced on these beautiful historic neighborhoods.
- Proactively identify large needs like downtown hotel, higher ed campus, innovation zone, senior living, etc and identify future locations now before it is completely impossible.
- Yes I would like to see the downtown further protected as a true economic driver. Some housing, hotels, B&Bs, but a good use of small business, eateries, coffee shops, etc. Is there room for light downtown camping or glamping.
- Yes though my knowledge is limited. What about transportation? Fewer cars better, how would this be accommodated.
- Eliminate commercial zoning wherever commercial use is not consistently established, to create higher value for higher quality development. Anxious to see #s.
- Yes, generally, I feel there should be an even greater push for high efficiency housing in areas down HWY 50 by CR 105 by the river
- Please consider the underrepresented community members that can not be here tonight the elderly, the working class, the disabled. In salida the voices of developers and real estate agents are often louder than people struggling to live.
- Walkable downtown is great, but salida has visitors and shoppers from a wide geographic area.
 We need parking spaces and not all parallel parking please! Glad to walk in town, but I need to drive to get there first. So do our tourists.
- Yes, have you considered a form based code?
- Keep open spaces open.

Online Survey Results

Online survey open from November 18 to December 19, 2022.

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- Yes, absolutely.
- As the historic mesa neighborhood is largely reflective of the rest of Salida's older neighborhoods, it makes sense to allow slightly increased density and subdividing of existing lots there to allow for expanded housing options.
- Yes. The land around the open area of the golf course, and the two small parks, make this low
 density area ideal for creating more higher density housing. The "character" of a neighborhood
 can be maintained by not permitting multi storied high density housing/duplexes.
- Yes
- Yes, we also need to develop County Road 140 with a shoulder and sidewalk for the heavy traffic use.
- Yes
- Yes
- no
- No. I think we should keep some of the lager lot qualities and reassess in 10 years. Architure and demand might be very different.
- No
- No
- Yes
- I do not think so. I think these should remain low density and not promote rentals. They serve a different purpose: long-term ownership and stability for the city. There are sufficient other areas for more rentals and duplexes.
- Yes. I also think the golf course should be turned into residential. It is foolish to have that much space, used by so few, so close to down town
- Yes. I'm all for higher density in town to avoid sprawl
- Seems the kind of thing we would want to happen faster rather than slower. this is where the space is. "Gradual" is how we got the mess we are in.
- yes
- Yes. I am coming around to the reality that this has to be part of the solution. I appreciated the lengthy article in the MountainMail last week.
- Yes but I do not think we should continue to expand out and new low-intensity neighborhoods. Let the existing ones become denser and don't add any more outside the city.
- No
- Yes

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- Yes. I do think it should be curtailed a bit in more-sensitive areas (Hollywood, Methodist Mountain), but permitted/encouraged almost everywhere else.
- The character of Salida's historic residential neighborhoods is part of it's charm. Blending housing types and therefore neighborhood median incomes is proven to increase stability and foster a greater sense of community. Expanding and protecting this pattern should be a priority.
- of problems arise when trying to support higher density housing as infill and redevelopment in established aka ""older"" areas: 1. parking will be an issue in the older neighborhoods. On street parking is already congesting roadways. 2. The existing water and sewage systems cannot support the additional demands of higher density housing. 3. The character and livability of older neighborhoods will be lost when multi story high density housing is built obscuring views, adding more noise pollution, more light pollution, and bringing in more vehicles -making it less safe for our kids to walk/bike to school. Adding higher density housing in the new neighborhoods, on the fringe of town, makes more sense. When new neighborhoods are built, planning can include adequate parking, and improved sewage, and water facilities to handle the higher density use. In new build areas, codes could support dark skies compliant lighting, adequate green spaces such as new public parks, and limits on the allowed number of stories per.
- Yes to both
- Yes, we also need to develop County Road 140 with a shoulder and sidewalk for the heavy traffic use.
- Both are good ideas and individual lot plans will still be reviewed by Planning commission and up for approval by city council.
- Yes
- no
- Yes, however we need more parks. I live in Two Rivers and they are increasing density without increasing parks and open space.
- Existing- no, New- yes
- Not in existing areas. Potentially on the Fringe.
- Yes
- Yes this is a good goal. But allow some fringe areas to have large lots too—that is part of the
 character of rural life. You want to be sure to attract those who CAN afford more space—to
 have a strong mix of income levels. Higher income buyers provide significant community
 support and investment.
- Yes. I think it is critical that the new neighborhoods contain neighborhood business to allow people to shop without getting in their cars
- Yes. We need lots of types of housing for the residence of Salida

- There really isn't much space in the core area. I actually think that the new neighborhoods should have far more flexibility to experiment that the core. Should be two different zones. Redevelopment/Infill is different animal than hew developments.
- ves to both
- I agree it makes sense. I would like to see housing that fits with the town's character but doubt that will happen. New neighborhoods on the fringe of town sound good especially if bike and walking paths are provided.
- Yes, I think having mixed housing options makes sense.
- Yes as infill if it fits with the existing neighborhood.
- As long as the existing overlays in existing residential neighborhoods are protected. New neighborhoods, on the fringe, might allow for greater density.

HIGHER-EFFICIENCY RESIDENTIAL NEIGHBORHOODS

Should opportunities for Higher Efficiency Residential Neighborhoods be encouraged where infill and redevelopment opportunities and infrastructure capacity are available? Given the high cost and low availability of land and housing, should new low-efficiency/low-density development be permitted in areas designated for higher-efficiency/higher-density development?

- Allowing low-density development in the very limited areas in which high-density is suitable/doable is catering to exactly one type of [extremely wealthy] person and ignoring the needs, desires, and direction of the community.
- With appropriate guidance in the updated Land Use / Development Code to dictate building types and character, pedestrian facing buildings in this category should certainly be encouraged.
- Encouraging high density housing for Infill and redevelopment in older neighborhoods creates many problems that will be expensive to solve: 1. Safety for kids to walk, bike to school impacted by more vehicles, 2. inadequate parking leading to on street congestion, creating poor visibility and greater chance of vehicle pedestrian accidents, 3. light pollution, 4. noise pollution, 5. strain on old outdated sewer system. Low density development as an in kind replacement/improvement/rebuild of an older home should be permitted. It would be a mistake to have all of old Salida houses be replaced by duplexes or condos, or even completely crowded by such structures. It seems preferable to allow the building of single family homes in town than have low density sprawl overtaking the entire valley and up the hillsides.
- Yes to both
- No
- No
- No
- yes
- Yes.
- Yes
- Yes No
- Yes. More land could be designated Higher-Efficiency to account for some of that land not being used with high density. For example, if you are allowed to build three units on a lot, I do not think you should be required to build three units. It should be maximum density, not max and min density.

- Perhaps in some areas. But high density is a priority.
- Yes
- Yes. I am in favor of incentives for affordable housing options
- I don't know what "higher efficiency development" is? Is that the same as High density? This is a very confusing zone and there is no identified location? What is the point of this?
- yes to the first, no to the second
- I think it's time to focus on higher-efficiency and restrict lower-efficiency when possible.
- Yes, these opportunities should be encouraged. The infrastructure is there, and we don't need to spread out and add new infrastructure when we have good infrastructure already. Save the open country, keep it open. Besides, when you build out roads into the county, eventually people living on them want them to be paved and complain about maintenance.
- Yes along highways such as US 50, HWY 291 and other densely populated areas and/or areas with business locations.
- Care must be given to not 'over develop' density in existing neighborhoods. Where there is vacant available land, near infrastructure, higher density should be considered.

MOBILE & MANUFACTURED HOME PARKS/NEIGHBORHOODS

Mobile & Manufactured Home Parks/Neighborhoods include the City's existing mobile home parks and other pockets of established affordable and workforce housing. Should steps be taken to ensure that existing affordable and workforce housing is retained or replaced with similar types of development (smaller, attached manufactured homes) as part of any future infill or redevelopment?

- I don't think it necessarily needs to be the exact same type of housing, but it should still be affordable or attainable via some combination of methods, including smaller units (e.g. condos, apartments), manufactured homes (e.g. Fading West/The Farm), even tiny homes. I think replacing effective "trailer parks" with the same thing doesn't serve the community in the long run, as the lifespan on that type of unit is significantly shorter than other forms of housing such that we'll be having this same discussion 20 years from now.
- These neighborhood are vital to retain some semblance of affordable housing.
- Yes. Existing affordable, or higher density housing should be retained, or rebuilt in kind.
- Yes
- Yes, we also need to develop County Road 140 with a shoulder and sidewalk for the heavy traffic
 use.
- Keep affordable and livable. Mixed use
- Yes
- yes
- Yes. 100%
- Yes
- Yes
- I don't think so. If I owned a mobile home park on the river, I do not think I should be forced to keep that extremely valuable property a mobile home park. Historically, the least valuable property would be used as manufactured home parks. Much of that land has changed value.
- Yes. But design these areas to fit in. Not be the helter skelter eyesores we have in so many areas—like on HWY 50 in Poncha Springs, or on the SE section of Salida.

- Yes. However, we need to make sure that dwellings are properly maintained
- Yes. I work with many people who live in these neighborhoods and they would be forced out of Salida if they were not protected. Many of these families grew up in Salida.
- The horse has left the barn.
- Affordability through small size and HUD buildings should be allowed everywhere, not confined to a certain district.
- Yes
- Absolutely and let's add more cute and quiet mobile home neighborhoods.
- Yes
- There is a big difference between mobile and manufactured. I would like to see consideration for tiny homes in this zone. Not a fan of mobiles but replacing them with smaller manufactured or tiny homes might be useful to protect workforce availability, particularly if they are permanently deed restricted and rentals (as opposed to owned).

NEIGHBORHOOD MIXED-USE

Should the existing mix of commercial and residential development along 1st Street and Oak Street be expanded through future infill and adaptive reuse? Are there other areas of Salida that could benefit from proximity to small, neighborhood-scale retail and office development? Do you see a measurable difference between future uses along Highway 50 and the future uses along Highway 291/1st Street/Oak Street?

- Highway 50 is, reasonably so, the industrial-commercial corridor. That's where our Applebee's
 will go. The 291/1st/Oak corridor should be a mix of commercial/residential that begets the feel
 of downtown Salida rather that the feel of Powers Boulevard in Colorado Springs.
- Highway 50 lends itself more toward auto-oriented commercial development, while 291 / 1st St.
 / Oak Street should retain a pedestrian focused character. Mixed use development in both
 areas is key, but as 291 runs through the heart of Downtown retaining the walkability and
 pedestrian focus of the neighborhood is vital.
- "- The mix of commercial and residential development along 1st and Oak seems an appropriate
 area for infill realizing that the 1st street area will present infrastructure challenges, not
 presented by infill on Oak closer to hwy 50.
- Most all of Salida already has proximity to small, neighborhood scale retail, and office areas.
- Yes, there is a measurable difference between future uses along Hwy 50, vs 291/1st/Oak. Hwy 50 has a speed limit of 45 mph and is a the major artery carrying vehicle traffic past/through Salida. Oak/1st/291 serves a greater number of pedestrians and bike users, has a lower speed limit, and should not be an artery for through trucks and other pass through traffic. Traveling on G, or on the Monarch spur by foot or bike and crossing 1st is already exciting enough! Less vehicle traffic, not more, would be preferable for downtown."
- Yes to the first. Unsure on next 2
- Yes, we also need to develop County Road 140 with a shoulder and sidewalk for the heavy traffic
- Mixed use creates and sustains neighborhoods. Certainly 1st/Oak Street has more neighborhood feeling than mainly commercial Hwy 50. Both can exist.
- Yes. Small retail mixed use would improve areas along 50,oak and first

- no
- We need better hike paths and a better buffer between sidewalks and traffic.
- Yes to first question Not sure on other areas. No difference between 50/Oak
- YES Don't know Yes
- Yes to expansion, infill and adaptive reuse.
- Hwy 50 needs beautification!!! Not a pleasant front door for Salida. Ponch Springs needs to fix
 up their stretch too. We need more businesses spreading out the retail options. And need more
 parking in downtown. I hate parallel parking. Also need more traffic lights on 50— very hard to
 pull out, especially to turn left. Need more 4-way stops—very hard to see around parked trucks
 everywhere.
- I don't think there should be additional businesses only 291 between I and M streets
- Yes...291 and Hwy 50 have very different feels and the zoning should reflect that I am in agreement for the mixed use neighborhoods on 291
- Retail is dead. Look downtown. Why try to force people to build it? Focus on residential.
- 1. yes. 2. yes, allow these things in HRN/VRN and see where they occur. Won't happen until
 relatively high density gets built out to support it. 3. Absolutely different. Hwy 50 is autooriented until major highway redesign occurs. 291 has a chance to develop in a ped-friendly
 manner if highway redesign is done properly with on-street parking, wide sidewalks, street
 trees, alley access, parking lots behind buildings, etc.
- Highway 291/1st Street/Oak Street has a lower speed limit which is more conducive to focusing
 on permanent or semi-permanent resident needs where the Highway is a higher speed limit and
 could focus on locals and people travelling.
- Yes, neighborhood mixed-use is nice. It enables people to gather and socialize and get stuff
 done without having to drive too far. Add in some green spaces and natural scenic beauty and
 it's a win-win.
- Yes along 1st Street if it fits with existing neighborhoods. Yes along HWY 50 with high density and mixed with commercial.
- Highway 50 is very different than 291/Oak. Would like to see Oak continue to support a mix of residential and light commercial. It is close enough to the town center to negate neighborhood retail. That mix would better serve the community off of highway 50.

COMMUNITY AND REGIONAL MIXED-USE

The Future 50 Corridor Plan envisions that portions of the Highway 50 (Rainbow Boulevard) corridor will redevelop into walkable areas over time. Do you support the concept of transforming auto-oriented uses at key nodes along the corridor to higher density mixed-use centers?

- Please, for the love of John Wesley Powell, get this town out of the 20th century and get rid of auto-centric development.
- Certainly.
- Walkable areas are always preferable to vehicle centered areas. But, is it realistic to plan for hwy
 50, the main thoroughfare past/through Salida, to become walkable? That would be an amazing
 accomplishment. Measures would need to be taken to discourage the diversion of through
 traffic from 50 to the Oak/1st/291 corridor. Unfortunately that unwanted diversion of vehicle
 traffic is a real concern, because as a first step, the speed limit on 50 wold have to be lowered. I

do support transforming key nodes along hwy 50 to higher density mixed used centers. Traffic slowing, and calming occurs naturally when buildings are brought closer to the sidewalk edges.

- Yes
- Yes, we also need to develop County Road 140 with a shoulder and sidewalk for the heavy traffic
- That would be interesting to see and I support the effort.I would support
- Yes. 50 is currently unsafe to bike or cross. Much more can be done to improve pedestrian access, slow traffic and encourage businesses development
- no
- Yes 100%
- 100 percent yes!
- Yes
- I do not see HWY50 ever becoming a walkable area. Strip malls and heavy traffic on a wide road are not conducive to walking areas. 1st/Oak is completely different from HWY50.
- I filled out much of this at the community meeting. This survey is awfully long. Yes
- Yes. There needs to be better pedestrian access to the far side of 50. There need to be improvements to the intersections between 50 and the "letter" streets
- Yes. Please help with HWY 50!
- Seems like this is the area to let people go higher than 35 feet, and the only good spot for it.
- Yes, but the highway needs to be redesigned first in order to attract walkable redevelopment.
- I support higher density.
- Absolutely. Encourage non-motorized movement, make it possible, make it easier, make it safer, and CONNECT these trails. Don't favor automobiles. They're loud, dangerous, and stinky. They're great, but they have their place. Let's not fall into the same trap every other discovered mountain town does--gets ruined by car traffic, cars dominate, everyone adapts I guess but the sweet little guiet mountain town is no more.
- Yes, but it is also important to keep 2 lanes of traffic in each direction (4 lanes total).
- Yes

DOWNTOWN MIXED-USE

Do you support the intensification of the "edges" of downtown to accommodate more efficient housing? Would you support incentivizing more residential opportunities (e.g. increased density/up to 4 stories) within the downtown core, esp. if it included a greater percentage of deed-restricted affordable units?

- Yes. Highest density should be downtown, including a bit of height increase from the 2-stories we have. But the edges of downtown could go from 1 to 2, or 2 to 3 in some places easily.
- Yes.
- No. Building 4 story, high density housing on the edges of downtown creates more problems
 than it solves. Where will all these new downtown residents park their cars? When will the
 water and sewage systems be upgraded to handle this extra demand? How will 4 stories of
 residents feel about downtown music, events, parades? Downtown would be better served by
 expanding walkable areas, investing in public transportation (to alleviate downtown car
 congestion and parking issues). There is precedent for creating walking sidewalks, and biking

sidewalks (e.g. Copenhagen) as a means of keeping both pedestrians and bikers safe. We have an opportunity to expand on a safe, walkable downtown area. Let us not create an overcrowded residential area demanding more parking, sewage and other infrastructure when our businesses need that support.

- Yes
- Yes, we also need to develop County Road 140 with a shoulder and sidewalk for the heavy traffic
- I would support such development as I prefer density over sprawl.
- Yes
- NO
- No, we should not have 4 story buildings, this changes the quality of our town.
- Yes
- NO NO
- Yes, but not through deed restriction. I feel that deed restriction is not good for those in need. It takes away the one wealth building avenue for those who need it most.
- Prefer to keep at 3 stories. Not 4
- Yes
- Yes
- People hate living downtown. There is no parking. It is loud. You need to do a lot for downtown before people will want to spend what it takes to build there.
- yes and yes
- Yes.
- Sure! I'd love to live downtown or on the edge of downtown if I could.
- No
- Yes, on intensification on the 'edges' but no on the 4 stories unless it is within the boundaries of the historic downtown area and matches the look and feel.

INDUSTRIAL

Does Salida need additional space for industrial businesses (e.g., business or industrial parks) outside of the existing city limits and within the Municipal Services Area (MSA) or even the Municipal Planning Area (MPA)? Do you agree with the potential opportunities for future industrial activities shown on the FLUM?

- Absolutely not. Poncha, BV, and the County are willingly accepting industrial operations that can
 provide the necessary industrial needs for this area without using valuable land for oftenextractive purposes.
- What about potential redevelopment of the CalCo plant as a business / light industrial building?
- Industrial parks can easily become an eye sore, space that encourages homeless encampment, and an area that requires increased policing. Is it possible for Salida to funnel any such future needs into the Smeltertown area that is already industrial? It seems counterintuitive to commit waterfront property (an ideal location for high density, mixed use development) to industrial uses.
- No

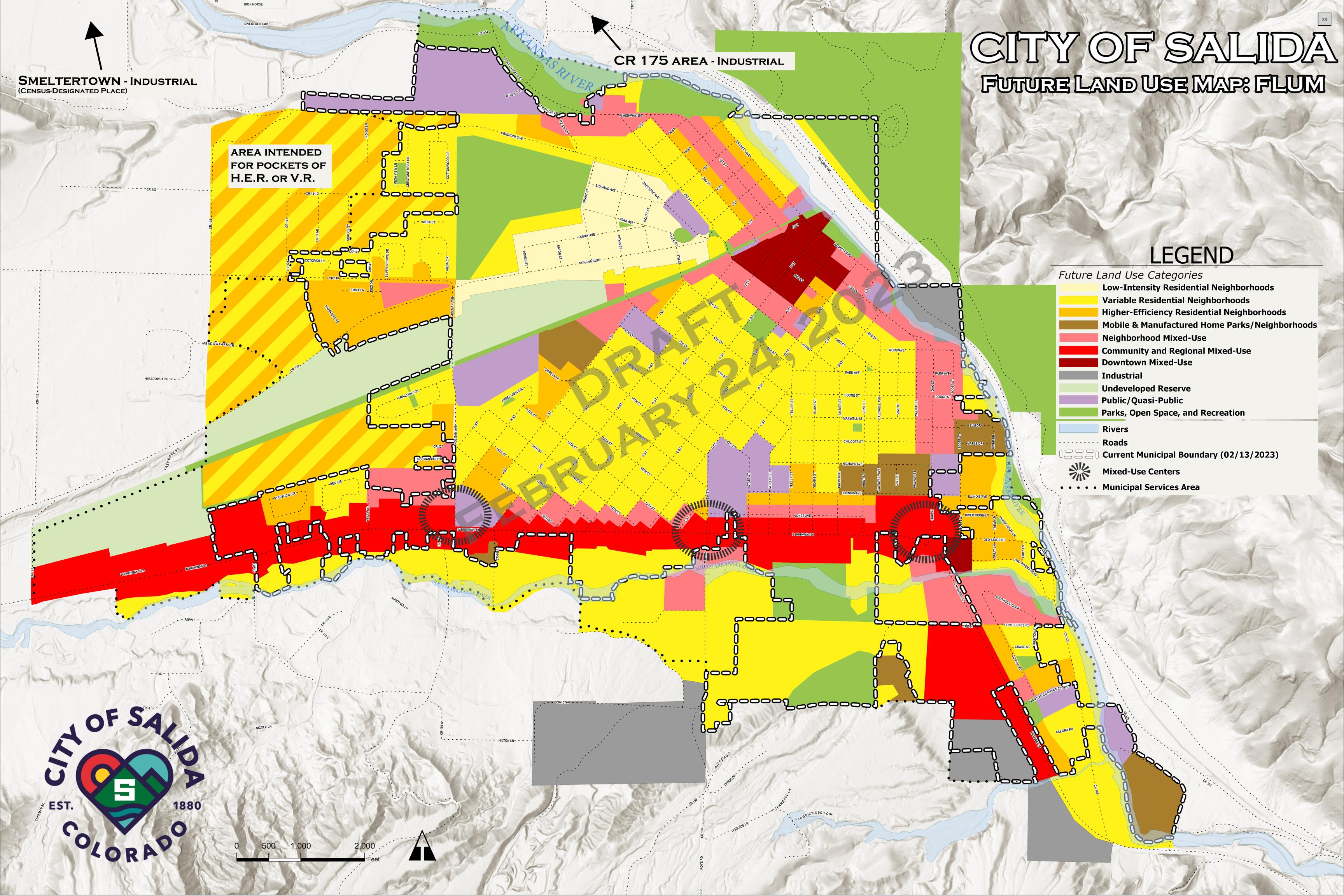
- Yes, we also need to develop County Road 140 with a shoulder and sidewalk for the heavy traffic
 use.
- With outcome being jobs and services I support the industrial parks concept. Require walking paths and people friendly inclusions.
- Sure
- no
- I am not sure.
- Yes. They will bring or provide jobs
- YES YES
- I have not researched this enough to answer thoughtfully.
- Yes
- I don't think industrial use area should be expanded
- MOre residential, less industrial in town. Look to Smeltertown.
- Smeltertown and CR175 are fine places for industrial.
- Don't know enough to answer.
- I do not know about this, but it sure would be great if the development didn't ruin the
 landscape--there should be built-up berms and tree-plantings and other landscaping to keep our
 industrial areas from looking awful.
- I think too much industrial is noted in the south/central portion of the below noted map. Make it smaller.
- Keep industrial outside the city limits or on the highway 50 zone. Heavy industrial does not seem practical in our small rural community.

GENERAL

Do you agree with the general direction proposed for the FLUM? Do you have other comments?

- Make the F Street closure permanent for fuck's sake.
- As the rail right of way north of the river is already heavily impacted by historic industry, it seems logical to consider that area as mixed use / light industrial. Certainly limits should be consider as it's adjacent to the bulk of access to open space and trails, but the elimination of the rail line seems doubtful so zoning for potential future rail use seems useful.
- The proposals that are of concern: 1. Maintaining or expanding industrial use on waterfront areas does not seem like wise use of land, or good stewardship of water resources. Keeping industrial areas in Smeltertown makes the most sense for land use 2. Keeping the land around the golf course designated as low density seems wasteful when there is so much open green space, making higher density more appealing. A variable density designation of that area makes more sense with all the new build already in the area, and existing space for more new build with supporting infrastructure. 3. ""Old Salida"", roughly from C to I and 4th toward 13th, has lovely, historic homes worthy of some preservation. Re-developing and infilling this area creates more problems than it solves. The infrastructure (parking, water, waste lines) just aren't up to supporting much higher density than is already supported. Higher density housing should be prioritized to new build areas where the infrastructure can support the higher demand. Increasing density of housing in new build areas makes the most sense.
- Maybe

- Yes, we also need to develop County Road 140 with a shoulder and sidewalk for the heavy traffic use.
- Yes
- Generally yes
- No. I don't agree w/the direction of Salida AT ALL
- We need more pocket parks and open spaces within high density neighborhoods.
- Unsure
- PROBABLY NO
- I appreciate our planners working so hard to find solutions for our future.
- See #5 above please!!!
- Yes. I would limit the commercial, aka mixed use along highway 50 south of oak street
- Yes
- Seems like we are spending a lot of time, money and effort to end up with slight variations on what we already have.
- yes
- I would like to see an emphasis on universal designed housing whenever possible.
- Yes, I agree with the general direction. Also, Salida is already pretty walkable--let's KEEP this great asset with a good variety of trails all over within the city limit and with excellent connectivity. ANYTHING we have already that is already an asset, please let's try to KEEP and not lose. Some of our assets are: trails, open spaces within the city, scenic views, quiet, walkable neighborhoods, convenient shopping, the river.... I've seen communities that have lost some of their best assets FOREVER and it is SAD. Thank you!
- I would need to have more meeting time to review maps with questions to staff to comment.
- Yes, as long as the residential overlays (voted on by the people) are protected: i.e.: Sackett Neighborhood. Would like to see that kind of overlay applied to other residential areas in the town center, to protect and preserve the character of the areas and the older more historic buildings. Not all historic buildings are located within the downtown historic area.





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Article 16-1 General Provisions

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Article 16-2 Zoning Districts

COMMENTARY

This article consolidates the zoning district standards from the existing Article IV and includes a new lineup of zoning districts as well as the standards for those districts. It is intended to be reviewed with Article 16-3 (Use Regulations), and with the relevant definitions in Article 16-10 (Rules of Construction and Definitions). It begins with new general provisions for zoning districts that lists all the zoning districts, discusses the role of the zoning map, and the organization of this article.

New Lineup of Zoning Districts. We heard from City staff and stakeholders that the current lineup of zoning districts is not fully responsive to the vision or needs of the community. In addition, Salida's eclectic mix of housing types and densities that make the community unique would not be possible to recreate under the existing Code.

Based on our analysis and stakeholder feedback, we propose several changes to the current lineup of zoning districts to help ensure that future development continues to reflect Salida's tradition of diverse, mixed-use neighborhoods.

- The Mixed-Use Neighborhood (MN) district replaces the underutilized RMU district and is proposed to be changed to support the character and growth of the Highway 291 corridor and accommodate neighborhood-compatible

- mixed-use at designated nodes.
 A new Mixed-Use Highway Center (MC) District is proposed to allow for mixed-use nodes along the Highway 50 corridor to support the guidance of the Future 50 Plan.
- Finally, new districts are proposed for Agriculture (AG), Parks and Open Space (OS), and Community Facilities (CF) to ease the implementation of the Code, protect open space, and reflect the unique nature of public facilities.
- Simplification of overlay districts is also proposed with the expansion of the base zoning districts, but no substantive changes are proposed for the Salida Downtown Historic District (SDHD), Local Historic Landmark Overlay (LHLO), or Sackett's Addition Overlay (SA).

Lot and Building Standards. For each district, a new purpose statement is followed by a table of applicable lot and building standards. These tables provide the most common applicable standards for development in that district such as lot size, setbacks, and height requirements. Where additional standards are included, those standards will be carried forward or modified in the Development and Design Standards (Article 16-4). Similarly, the unique standards applicable to inclusionary housing developments will be consolidated in Article 16-9 (Inclusionary Housing), but a reference is included to that section in the district-specific table where applicable.

Illustrations. We have included a graphic to accompany each base zoning district to depict the basic lot and building standards and demonstrate the typical character of that particular district. Additionally, a graphic is provided in the general zoning district standards to explain the purpose and use of the illustrations.

Formatting. A cross-reference highlighted in green or yellow indicates that the reference is to a portion of this Code that is not included in this phase of the draft and will need to be linked in the consolidated draft of the Code.

16-2-10 General

(a) Zoning Districts Established¹

Table 2-A, Zoning Districts Established, lists the zoning districts established by the City. Zoning districts are established by the City's adoption of the Official Zoning Map pursuant to Section 16-2-10(b).

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¹ Updated from list to table. Introduction text updated and reference to map added. The commentary and current district columns are just to help explain this draft and would be removed in the final adopted new code.

Table 2-A: Zoning Districts Establis Current District	Proposed District	Commentary
Residential Districts		
R-1 Single-Family Residential	R1 Low-Density Residential	Carry forward. This district should be applied to areas limited to lower-density single-family development. The current R-1 district could accommodate additional dwelling units based on the minimum lot size (currently 7,500 square feet).
R-2 Medium-Density Residential	R2 Medium-Density Residential	Carry forward. This district should be modified to allow a greater variety of medium-density housing types (e.g., triand quad-plex).
R-3 High-Density Residential	R3 High-Density Residential	Carry forward. This district should ensure standards and permissions allow a variety of housing types with emphasis on more affordable forms.
R-4 Manufactured Housing Residential	R4 Manufactured Housing Residential	Carry forward. Additional standards and limitation are proposed to enhance protections for naturally occurring affordable homes (including manufactured homes).
Mixed-Use Districts		
RMU Residential Mixed-Use	MN Mixed-Use Neighborhood	Refine. This district has not been widely used and should be considered for application to targeted areas and along Highway 291 to create more walkable neighborhoods with an emphasis on mixing residential uses and supporting nonresidential activity.
	MC Mixed-Use Highway Center	New. This new district could be applied to identified key nodes within Salida, especially along Highway 50, with an emphasis on commercial uses with a supporting mix of residential use types.
C-1 Commercial	MH Mixed-Use Highway	Carry forward. This district applies to areas along Highway 50 (and not Highway 291) and accommodate a mix of more auto-oriented commercial and light industrial activity. This district will encourage more horizontal and walkability.
C-2 Central Business	MD Mixed-Use Downtown	Carry forward. This district should be updated to permit appropriate mixeduse development and should be limited to the current downtown area. Mixeduse areas outside the downtown could be accommodated by the MN or MC districts depending on the type of project.
Other Districts		
l Industrial	IN Industrial	Carry forward. This district should generally be carried forward intact. Highly limited residential uses may be allowed within the industrial district, but the intention is to reserve for

Table 2-A: Zoning Districts Established						
Current District	Proposed District	Commentary				
		nonresidential uses. Consider whether some parts of the IN zone close to downtown should be rezoned to another district.				
	AG Agriculture	New. This new district provides an interim solution that allows properties without a development plan or proposal for a specific zoning district to be annexed into Salida prior to establishing detailed development plans.				
	OS Parks and Open Space	New. This new district should be applied to dedicated open spaces in future rezonings to protect open space from being developed with other uses allowed in current base zoning districts.				
	CF Community Facilities	New. This new district could be applied to existing and proposed community facilities in future rezonings to reflect the unique sites and uses typical of cityowned and other public facilities.				

(b) Official Zoning Map

(1) Incorporation

a. The location and boundaries of the zoning districts established by this Code are shown on the "City of Salida Official Zoning Map" ("Official Zoning Map"), which is incorporated into this Code.

(2) Zoning District Boundaries³

- **a.** Except where otherwise indicated, zoning district boundaries shall follow the City's corporate limits, section lines, ¼ section lines, ½ section lines, center lines of major rivers or tributaries, lot lines, center lines of City or County roads or highways, or right-of-way lines extensions of such lines.
- **b.** Where a zoning district boundary divides a lot or parcel, the location of such boundary, unless indicated by dimension, shall be determined by the scale of the Official Zoning Map by the Director.
- **c.** Where a zoning district boundary coincides with a right-of-way line and that right-of-way is abandoned, the zone district boundary shall then follow the centerline of the former right-of-way.
- **d.** Land that is not part of a public railroad or utility right-of-way and that is not indicated as being in any zoning district shall be considered to be included in the most restrictive adjacent zoning district even when such zoning district is separated from the land in question by a public railroad or utility right-ofway.

(3) Boundary Clarification⁴

- **a.** If a zoning district boundary is unclear or disputed, the Director shall determine the location of the zoning district boundary.
- **b.** Any appeal of the Director's determination of the zoning district boundary shall be heard by the Planning Commission per Section 16.08.040(d).

³ Formerly Sec. 16-4-40.

⁴ New. This is included to explain the clarification process and reference the appeals process.

(4) Amendment

Changes to the boundary of any zoning district requires an amendment to the Official Zoning Map per Section 16.08.040(a).

(5) Annexation⁵

All territory annexed to the City shall be zoned within 90 days as determined by the City Council, upon recommendation of the Planning Commission. The proposed zoning shall be established in accordance with applicable state statute.

(c) Organization of this Article⁶

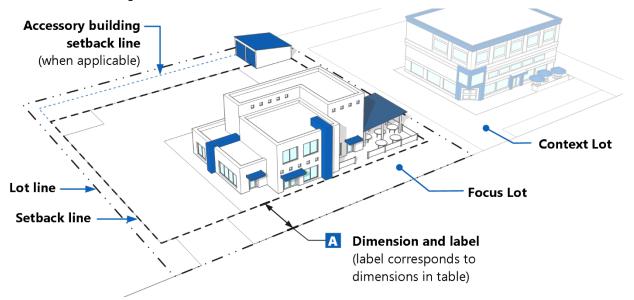
(1) Base Zoning Districts

a. Content

Sections 16-2-40 through 16-2-60 of this article follow a common structure and describe the purpose and intended character of the established zoning districts, the lot and building standards applying to development in the districts, and any district-specific development standards. The summary of key lot and building standards are illustrative and do not include the full range of requirements of this Code that may apply to a particular project. The entirety of this Code applies.

b. Graphics

For each base zoning district, this article includes an illustration depicting how the district's lot and building standards apply to lots and typical building forms. Illustrations are intended to exemplify the general character of the district and do not show specific locations or buildings. Illustrations do not necessarily reflect all the standards that may apply to a particular development. If a standard shown in an illustration is inconsistent with the respective table of lot and building standards, the standards in the table shall govern.



(2) Overlay Districts

a. Overlay zoning districts are superimposed over one or more underlying base zoning districts. If the standards for an overlay district expressly conflict with those for an underlying base zoning district or another applicable overlay district, the more restrictive standards shall apply.

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⁵ Sec. 14-4-50.

⁶ New. This section is commonly added to introduce the structure of the article and the purpose and intention of the illustrations.

- **b.** Overlay zoning districts may also be superimposed over one or more planned development (PD) districts. The applicability of the overlay shall be established by the planned development agreement.⁷
- **c.** Section 16-2-70 identifies the overlay zoning districts and sets forth the purpose and the standards of that district that modify those of underlying zoning districts.

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⁷ New. Included to address questions about how overlay districts and PDs typically interface. While PDs often establish the standards that apply to a site, they may still be subject to, or reference, other overlay district standards. This will often depend on the final PD agreement.



16-2-20 Summary of Dimensional Standards⁹

Table 2-b. 3		Dimensional S										
	R1	R2	R3	R4	MN	MC	МН	MD	IN	AG	os	CF
Lots												
Lot size, detached (min.)	7,500 sf	5,625 sf 5,000 sf [1]	3,000 sf 2,500 sf [1]	3,000 sf	5,625 sf 5,000 sf [1]	0 sf	5,625 sf 5,000 sf [1]	0 sf	5,625 sf	5 acres	0 sf	0 sf
Lot size, attached (min.)	5,625 sf	3,000 sf 2,500 sf [1]	2,000 sf 1,500 sf [1]	2,000 sf	2,800 sf 2,450 sf [1]	0 sf	NA	0 ft	NA	NA	NA	NA
Lot frontage, detached (min.)	50 ft	37.5 ft 33 ft [1]	25 ft	25 ft	37.5 ft 33 ft [1]		37.5 ft	0 ft	37.5 ft	0 ft	NA	NA
Lot frontage, attached (min.)	37.5 ft	20 ft	15 ft	15 ft	20 ft	0 ft	NA	0 ft	NA	NA	NA	NA
Residential Density (max.)	5,625 sf/unit	3,000 sf/unit 2,500 sf/unit [1]	2,000 sf/unit 1,500 sf/unit [1]	2,000 sf/unit	2,800 sf/unit 2,450 sf/unit [1]	0 sf/unit	2,800 sf/unit 2,450 sf/unit [1]	0 sf/unit	2,800 sf/unit	5 acre/unit	NA	NA
Residential Density (min.)	22,500 sf/unit	11,250 sf/unit	7,500 sf/unit	5,000 sf/unit	11,250 sf/unit	3,000 sf/unit	11,250 sf/unit	3,000 sf/unit	NA	NA	NA	NA
Structure coverage (max.) ¹⁰	40%	45%	50%	50%	70% [2]	80% [2]	60% [2]	100%	60% [2]	15%	NA	60%
Uncovered parking coverage (max.)	10%	20%	40%	30%	30% [2]	40% [2]	60% [2]	90%	40% [2]	10%	NA	90%
Landscape area (min.)	50%	35%	25%	20%	20%	0% [3]	10%	0% [3]	10%	NA	NA	10%

⁹ Explanation of any changes are provided in District-specific standards. References to residential adjacency standards are proposed to mitigate impacts of higher impact uses and taller structures from residential development.

¹⁰ Lot coverage and landscaping standards could be relocated to the development standards to make this table and following sections simpler.

Table 2-B: S	Table 2-B: Summary of Dimensional Standards											
	R1	R2	R3	R4	MN	MC	МН	MD	IN	AG	os	CF
Setbacks (min.)												
Front	25 ft	20 ft	15 ft	15 ft	10 ft	10 ft	10 ft	0 ft	10 ft	25 ft	NA	15 ft
Side	8 ft	5 ft	5 ft	5 ft	5 ft [4]	5 ft [4]	5 ft [4]	0 ft	5 ft [4]	5 ft	NA	5 ft
Rear	25 ft	20 ft	15 ft	10 ft	5 ft [4]	5 ft [4]	5 ft [4]	0 ft	5 ft [4]	25 ft	NA	5 ft
Side (Accessory)	3 ft	3 ft	3 ft	3 ft	3 ft	5 ft	5 ft	0 ft	5 ft	5 ft	NA	5 ft
Rear (Accessory)	5 ft	5 ft	5 ft	5 ft	5 ft	5 ft	5 ft	0 ft	5 ft	5 ft	NA	5 ft
Height (max.)												
Building height [5]	28/35 ft	28/35 ft	28/35 ft	28/35 ft	28/35 ft	35 ft 45 ft [1] [4]	28/35 ft [4]	35/38 ft 45 ft [1] [4]	45 ft [4]	35 ft	45 ft	54 ft
Building height (accessory)	12/25 ft [5]	12/25 ft [5]	12/25 ft [5]	12/25 ft [5]	12/25 ft [5]	25 ft	25 ft	25 ft	45 ft [4]	35 ft	45 ft	54 ft

Notes¹¹

- [1] See Article 16-9, Inclusionary Housing, for modified dimensional standards for inclusionary housing developments.
- [2] The maximum combined coverage from structures and uncovered parking shall not exceed 80% in the MN district and 90% in MC, MN, and IN districts. 12
- [3] A minimum of 10 percent landscape area is required if lot used solely for parking or primary structure is set back more than 0 feet from front or side setback.¹³
- [4] See Section XX, Residential Adjacency. 14
- [5] See Section 16-2-30(d), Height, for rules of measurement.

¹¹ These notes are addressed within each zoning district and may be removed from this summary table in future drafts.

¹² Updated to include MN and IN districts.

¹³ New.

¹⁴ Residential adjacency standards (establishing standards for development near residential neighborhoods) will be proposed in Article 16-4 in Installment 3.



16-2-30 Measurements and Exceptions

COMMENTARY

This is a new section with many new standards proposed to supplement the few existing standards from Sec. 16-4-200 of the existing Code. In addition to clearly outlining the methods for measuring key standards, this section provides exceptions to those standards that provide flexibility to applicants and ensure that the Code does not discourage development types and architectural features that the City would like to see. There are many exceptions proposed based on Clarion's work with other communities, but we recommend taking special care to review these standards to ensure they are right for Salida.

(a) Purpose¹⁵

This section is intended to provide uniform measures for interpretation and enforcement of dimensional standards, and to list any exceptions to the dimensional standards in this Code.

(b) Lots¹⁶

(1) Lot Size

- a. Every building or structure shall be located and maintained on a lot as defined in this Code.
- **b.** No lot shall be created, developed, used, or occupied that has less than the minimum lot area or frontage as required by the zoning district in which it is located.
- **c.** An existing legal lot that is unencumbered and nonconforming by virtue of the minimum lot area or frontage of the zoning district in which it is located, may be developed with a primary structure and customary accessory buildings and structures, provided that any structures meet all other standards of this Chapter, including dimensional standards. A variance or minor modification from those standards may be obtained pursuant to Section 16-8-70(a) and Section 16-8-70(b).

(2) Buildings on Multiple Lots

Where one structure occupies two or more lots:

- **a.** The lot coverage, minimum lot size, lot frontage, and setback standards shall be determined as though the development is occupying one consolidated lot, and
- **b.** The Director shall determine the front, side, and rear lot lines for the purpose of measuring setbacks.

(3) Lot Coverage

a. Measurement

- 1. Lot coverage for structures is the maximum horizontal area within the outer perimeter of all structures, measured to the outside edge of walls, dividers, or columns at or above ground level, whichever is the greater area. Exterior stairways, balconies, and raised decks greater than 30 inches above natural grade shall also be considered as part of lot coverage.¹⁷
- 2. Lot coverage for uncovered parking is the maximum horizontal area of uncovered parking areas, vehicle loading and unloading, driveways, vehicle circulation, or other similar areas covered with materials impervious to water.
- **3.** The combined lot coverage of structures and uncovered parking shall not exceed 90 percent of any lot unless otherwise excepted by this Code.

¹⁵ New. Added purpose statement to define the objective of this section.

¹⁶ Lot standards are based on Sec. 16-4-200, but have been updated with clarifying language that Clarion commonly uses. Standards for multiple primary residential structures have been added.

¹⁷ Language simplified, but based on existing standard.

b. Exceptions

- 1. If a front-loaded garage is set back at least ten feet behind the primary street-facing building façade, the lot coverage between the garage entrance and the primary, street-facing building façade may be excluded from lot coverage.¹⁸
- 2. There is no maximum combined lot coverage in the Mixed-Use Downtown (MD) district.
- **3.** The Director may determine that parking areas, driveways, walkways, and other areas covered with alternative pervious paving are exempt from overall lot coverage.
- **4.** Exterior balconies and decks on a primary building that are greater than 30 inches above natural grade and cantilevered (i.e., not on footings) may be excluded from lot coverage if they extend no more than horizontal six feet from the primary building façade.

(c) Setbacks²⁰

(1) Measurement

a. Front

The minimum horizontal distance that a structure must be setback from the front lot line. The front setback extends across the full width of the lot.

b. Rear

The minimum horizontal distance that a structure must be setback from the rear lot line. The rear setback extends across the full width of the lot.

c. Side

The minimum horizontal distance that a structure must be setback from a side lot line. The side setback extends the full depth of the lot from the front property line to the rear property line. Per Section 16-2-30(d), side setbacks may vary based on building or structure height in some districts.

1. Double-Frontage Lots

In the case of lots that front more than one street, but are not corner lots, front setbacks shall apply to all frontages.

2. Corner Lots

In the case of corner lots, the required front setback shall be observed along the front lot line as determined by the Director. The front lot line is typically designated by the location of the primary entrance or the street upon which the address is assigned. A side setback shall be observed along the remaining street.

3. Irregularly Shaped Lots

- a) Lots with multiple side and/or rear lot lines not abutting a street shall comply with side setback requirements for all lot lines except that the front lot line, as determined by the Director, shall comply with the front setback and the lot line farthest from the front lot line, as determined by the Director, shall comply with the rear setback.
- **b)** The Director may establish alternative setbacks for properties with irregularly shaped lots based on unique site and/or lot conditions.

4. Adjoining Lots

In the case of townhouse dwellings, multi-family dwellings, and nonresidential development on two or more adjoining lots that are used in the same development, a zero-foot side setback may be applied on interior side lot lines within the development.

¹⁸ This existing standard is intended to incentivize building design that reduced the prominence of street-facing garages.

²⁰ New. Methods of measurement and clarifications for unique lot types have been added based on other Clarion codes. New exceptions to setback standards are proposed to encourage ADA compliance, architectural character, and clarify features that would traditionally be allowed in setback areas.

(2) Exceptions

No building or part of a building shall be permitted to project into the required setbacks of the applicable zoning district unless authorized in Table 2-D, below, or elsewhere in this Code.

Table 2-C: Authorized Exceptions to Setback Standards								
Exception Type	Exception Extent							
ADA accessibility ramps	May extend the smallest possible distance into any setback with written approval of the Director							
Roof eaves	May extend up to 1.5 feet into any setback							
Covered front porch	May extend up to five feet into the minimum front setback, including porch roof eaves ²²							
Uncovered porches, patios, walkways, and steps	May encroach into any setback area by any amount, provided that all components of the encroachment are no greater than 30 inches above natural grade and no safety hazard is created as determined by the Director							

(d) Height²³

(1) Measurement

- **a.** For a building or structure, height shall be measured as the vertical distance above the average preconstruction or post-construction grade around the perimeter foundation of a building or structure, whichever is lower, to the highest point on the roof surface of the building or structure.
- **b.** Buildings or structures on uneven lots shall have no vertical dimension that exceeds 110% of the maximum allowable building height.

c. Primary Structure

1. Residential, MN, and MH Districts

- a) The highest point of a flat roof or mid-point of a sloped roof shall not exceed 28 feet.
- **b)** The highest point of a sloped roof shall not exceed 35 feet.

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²² This standard previously allowed a 25 percent encroachment. This has been simplified to a set standard of five feet.

²³ Existing definition of "building height" is used to establish measurement methodology. Exceptions to maximum height are proposed that Clarion commonly recommends to allow for architectural variety and to remove regulatory barriers to rooftop equipment. Additional screening standards may be considered in the development standards.

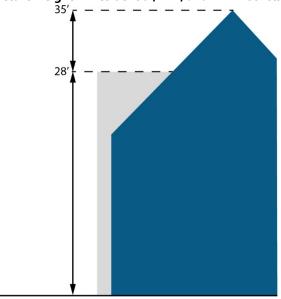


Figure 2-A: Primary Structure Height in Residential, MN, and MH Districts

2. All Other Districts

Building or structure height shall be measured as the vertical distance above the average preconstruction or post-construction grade around the perimeter foundation of a building or structure, whichever is lower, to the highest point on the roof surface of the building or structure.

d. Accessory Structure

1. Residential and MN Districts

No portion of a building or structure shall not extend beyond the bulk plane as shown in Figure 2-B. The bulk plane shall rise vertically from the average finished grade around the perimeter foundation of a building or structure to 12 feet in vertical height and then slope inward toward the center of the lot with a rise of one foot in height for each one foot in horizontal setback. The bulk plane slope shall not exceed 25 feet in vertical height as measured above the average finished grade around the perimeter foundation of a building or structure.

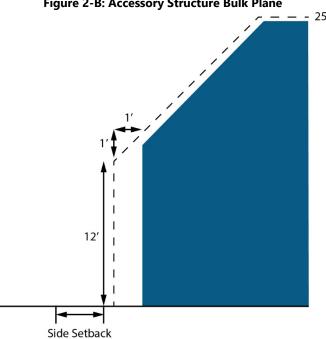


Figure 2-B: Accessory Structure Bulk Plane

2. All Other Districts

Building or structure height shall be measured as the vertical distance above the average finished grade around the perimeter foundation of a building or structure to the highest point of the building or structure.

(2) Exceptions

No building or part of a building shall exceed the maximum building height within any zoning district unless authorized in Table 2-D, below, or elsewhere in this Code.

Table 2-D: Authorized E	xceptions to Height Standards
Exception Type	Exception Extent
Duplex and multi-family dwellings	In the R3, MN, and MH districts, duplexes, townhomes, and multi-family dwellings may have a maximum height of 35 feet, regardless of roof type, if there is vertical separation of units
Rooftop equipment	Rooftop solar equipment, skylights, water tanks, and other mechanical equipment may extend up to five feet above the maximum building height
Elevator and stair towers	May extend up to eight feet above the maximum building height if no more than 150 square feet and set back from all property lines by at least ten feet
Chimneys	May extend up to 20 percent above than the maximum allowable height
Ornamental architectural features	May extend up to ten percent above the maximum building height
Rooftop antennae	May extend up to ten feet above the maximum building height
Flagpoles	Flagpoles may extend up to 27 feet as measured from natural grade. A maximum of one flagpole is permitted in residential districts and a maximum of three flagpoles are permitted in all other districts.
Historic district character	In the SDHD overlay, maximum building height may be increased by three feet
Inclusionary housing	Provision of inclusionary housing may allow an increase in building or structure height per Article 16-9

(e) Density²⁴

(1) Measurement

a. Minimum Density

Minimum density shall be calculated by the maximum lot area per dwelling unit within a proposed development site, excluding public and private streets and rights-of-way, and public access easements that restrict the surface use of the property.

b. Maximum Density

Maximum density shall be calculated by the minimum lot area per dwelling unit within a proposed development site, excluding public and private streets and rights-of-way, and public access easements that restrict the surface use of the property.

(2) Exceptions

- **a.** Inclusionary housing developments may exceed the maximum allowable density for the zoning district where explicitly permitted by Article 16-9.
- **b.** One accessory dwelling unit per lot may be excluded from the maximum allowable density for the zoning district.

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²⁴ New. Possible inclusionary housing exceptions noted and cross-referenced.

16-2-40 Residential Districts

COMMENTARY

Many lot and building standards are updated to better distinguish them from other districts and to reflect an overall scale of intensities. In many cases, setback requirements are adjusted to account for unique site constraints. All changes to the district lot and building standards are stated in the footnotes in the dimensional standard tables.

(a) Low-Density Residential (R1)

(1) Purpose

The Low-Density Residential (R1) district is intended to accommodate and preserve lower-density residential neighborhoods with a variety of one- and two-family dwelling forms and limited complementary community, educational, and accessory uses.



Lots	Detached	Attached ²⁵	Accessory
Lot size, min. (sf)	7,500	5,625	NA
Lot frontage, min. (ft)	50	37.5	NA
Residential density, max. (sf/unit) ²⁶	5,625		NA
Residential density, min. (sf/unit) ²⁷	22,	500	NA
Structure coverage, max. ²⁸	40%		40%
Uncovered parking area, max. ²⁹	10%		NA
Landscape area, min.	50%		NA
Setbacks, min. (ft) ³⁰			
A Front	25		25
B Side	8		3
C Rear	25		5
Height, max. (ft) ³¹			
D Building height [1]	28	/35	12/25

Other Standards	
Overlay Districts	16-2-70
Measurements/Exceptions	16-2-30
Use Regulations	16-2-70(g)
Development Standards	Article 16-4

Notes

^[1] Building height measured per Section 16-2-30(d).

²⁵ New standards to address attached dwelling units.

²⁶ Maximum density decreased from 3,750 sf/unit.

²⁷ New.

²⁸ Updated from 35% (alongside landscape area decrease from 55%) to accommodate allowable dwelling units.

³⁰ Setbacks reduced from 30 ft (front and rear) to accommodate allowable dwelling units.

³⁰ Setbacks reduced from 30 ft (front and rear) to accommodate allowable dwelling units.

³¹ Currently, primary building height is 35 ft.

(b) Medium-Density Residential (R2)

(1) Purpose

The Medium-Density Residential (R2) district is intended to provide for medium-density residential neighborhoods with a variety of single-family dwelling forms and smaller multi-family residences. Limited complementary community and educational uses may be permitted along with incidental or accessory uses.



Lots	Detached	Attached	Accessory
Lot size, min. (sf)	5,625 4,500 [1]	3,000 ³² 2,500 [1]	NA
Lot frontage, min. (ft)	37.5 30 [1]	20	NA
Residential density, max. (sf/unit) ³³		000 0 [1]	NA
Residential density, min. (sf/unit) ³⁴	11,:	250	NA
Structure coverage, max. ³⁵	45% 55% [1]		45% 55% [1]
Uncovered parking area, max. ³⁶	20%		NA
Landscape area, min.	35%		NA
Setbacks, min. (ft)			
A Front	20 15 [1]		20
B Side	5		3
C Rear	20 15 [1]		5
Height, max. (ft)			
D Building height [2]	28/35		12/25

Other Standards	
Overlay Districts	16-2-70
Measurements/Exceptions	16-2-30
Use Regulations	16-2-70(g)
Development Standards	Article 16-4

Notes

- [1] Inclusionary housing development standards are determined per Article 16-9.
- [2] Building height measured per Section 16-2-30(d).

³² Minimum lot size reduced from 3,125 sf.

³³ Maximum density increased from 3,125 sf/unit.

³⁴ New.

³⁵ Updated from 40% (alongside landscape area decrease from 45%) to accommodate allowable dwelling units.

³⁸ Minimum lot size reduced from 5,625 sf and 2,400 sf, respectively.

(c) High-Density Residential (R3)³⁷

(1) Purpose

The High-Density Residential (R3) district is intended to provide for higher-density single- and multi-family residential areas. Limited complementary community and educational land uses may occur alongside incidental or accessory uses.



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 $^{^{\}rm 38}$ Minimum lot size reduced from 5,625 sf and 2,400 sf, respectively.

Lots	Detached	Attached	Accessory
Lot size, min. (sf) ³⁸	3,000 2,500 [1]	2,000 1,500 [1]	NA
Lot frontage, min. (ft)	25 ³⁹	15	NA
Residential density, max. (sf/unit) ⁴⁰	2,0 1,50		NA
Residential density, min. (sf/unit) ⁴¹	6,0	000	NA
Structure coverage, max. ⁴² [2]	65%		65%
Uncovered parking area, max. ⁴³ [2]	40%		NA
Landscape area, min.	25%		NA
Setbacks, min. (ft)			
A Front	15 10 [1]		15 10 [1]
B Side	5		3
C Rear	15 10 [1]		5
Height, max. (ft)			
D Building Height [3]	28/	/35	12/25

Other Standards	
Overlay Districts	16-2-70
Measurements/Exceptions	16-2-30
Use Regulations	16-2-70(g)
Development Standards	Article 16-4
Notes	

Note

- [1] Inclusionary housing development standards are determined per Article 16-9.
- [2] Maximum combined coverage of strucutres and uncoveredparking is 75%.
- [3] Building height measured per Section 16-2-30(d).

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³⁸ Minimum lot size reduced from 5,625 sf and 2,400 sf, respectively.

 $^{^{\}rm 39}$ Minimum lot frontage (detached) reduced from 37.5 ft.

⁴⁰ Maximum density increased from 2,400 sf/unit.

⁴¹ New.

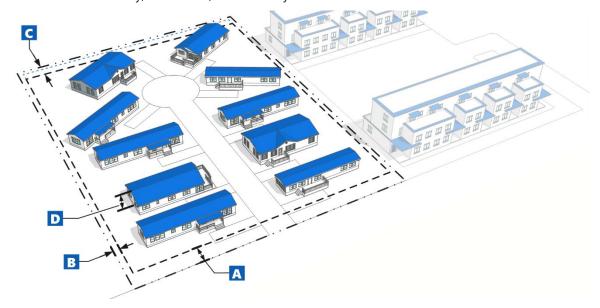
 $^{^{42}}$ Updated from 45% (alongside landscape area decrease from 30%) to accommodate allowable dwelling units. Hardscape area increased from 25%.

⁴⁴ Minimum lot size reduced from 5,625 sf and 2,400 sf, respectively.

(d) Manufactured Housing Residential (R4)

(1) Purpose

The Manufactured Housing Residential (R4) district is intended to provide for manufactured homes, manufactured home parks, and smaller-unit development that is affordable by nature. Complementary land uses include community, educational, and accessory uses.



Lots	Detached	Attached	Accessory
Lot size, min. (sf) ⁴⁴	3,000	2,000	NA
Lot frontage, min. (ft)	25 ⁴⁵	15	NA
Residential density, max. (sf/unit) ⁴⁶	2,0	000	NA
Residential density, min. (sf/unit) ⁴⁷	5,0	000	NA
Structure coverage, max. ⁴⁸	50	50%	
Uncovered parking area, max. ⁴⁹	30%		NA
Landscape area, min.	20%		NA
Setbacks, min. (ft)			
A Front	15		15
B Side	5		3
C Rear ⁵⁰	10		5
Height, max. (ft)			
D Building height [1]	28,	/35	12/25

Other Standards	
Overlay Districts	16-2-70
Measurements/Exceptions	16-2-30
Use Regulations	16-2-70(g)
Development Standards	Article 16-4

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^[1] Building height measured per Section 16-2-30(d).

⁴⁴ Minimum lot size reduced from 5,625 sf and 2,400 sf, respectively.

 $^{^{45}}$ Minimum lot frontage (detached) reduced from 37.5 ft.

⁴⁶ Maximum density increased from 2,400 sf/unit.

⁴⁷ New.

⁴⁸ Updated from 45% (alongside landscape area decrease from 30%) to accommodate allowable dwelling units. Hardscape area increased from 25%.

 $^{^{\}rm 50}$ Rear setback for primary structures reduced to 10 ft. min.

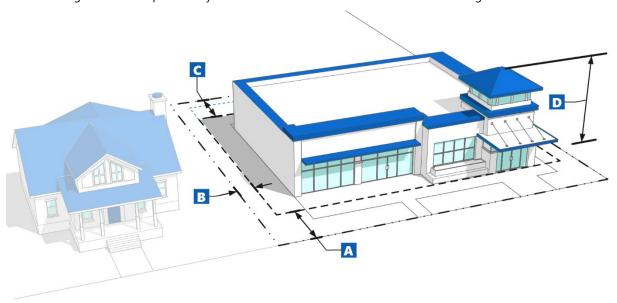
⁵⁰ Rear setback for primary structures reduced to 10 ft. min.

16-2-50 Mixed-Use Districts

(a) Mixed-Use Neighborhood (MN)

(1) Purpose

The Mixed-Use Neighborhood (MN) district is intended to provide for a variety of housing choices and integration of complementary residential and commercial uses in a walkable neighborhood.



Lots	Detached	Attached	Accessory
Lot size, min. (sf)	5,625 5,000 [1]	2,800 ⁵¹ 2,450 [1]	NA
Lot frontage, min. (ft)	37.5 30 [1]	20	NA
Residential density, max. (sf/unit) ⁵²	2,8 2,45	800 0 [1]	NA
Residential density, min. (sf/unit) ⁵³	11,:	250	NA
Structure coverage, max. ⁵⁴ [2]	70%		70%
Uncovered parking area, max. ⁵⁵ [2]	30%		NA
Landscape area, min.	20%		NA
Setbacks, min. (ft) ⁵⁷			
A Front	10		10
B Side [3]	5		3
C Rear ⁵⁸ [3]	5		5
Height, max. (ft)			
D Building height [4]	28,	/35	12/25

Other Standards	
Overlay Districts	16-2-70
Measurements/Exceptions	16-2-30
Use Regulations	16-2-70(g)
Development Standards	Article 16-4

Notes

- [1] Inclusionary housing development standards are determined per Article 16-9.
- [2] Maximum combined coverage of structures and uncovered parking is 80%.
- [3] See Section XX, Residential Adjacency. ⁵⁶[4] Building height measured per Section 16-2-30(d).

 $^{^{\}rm 51}$ Minimum lot size reduced from 3,125 sf.

⁵² Maximum density increased from 3,125 sf/unit.

⁵³ New

⁵⁴ Updated from 45% (alongside landscape area decrease from 30%) to accommodate allowable dwelling units and mixed-use development. Hardscape area increased from 25%.

⁵⁶ Residential adjacency standards (establishing standards for development near residential neighborhoods) will be proposed in Article 16-4 in Installment 3.

⁵⁶ Residential adjacency standards (establishing standards for development near residential neighborhoods) will be proposed in Article 16-4 in Installment 3.

⁵⁷ Setbacks reduced from 15 ft (front) and 15 ft (rear) to accommodate allowable dwelling units and mixed-use development.

⁵⁸ Rear setback for primary structures reduced to 10 ft. min.

(b) Mixed-Use Highway Center (MC)

(1) Purpose

The Mixed-Use Highway Center (MC) district is intended to accommodate a mixture of residential, commercial, office, and other non-residential uses at key nodes in Salida. The MC District provides for a variety of housing choices and integration of complementary neighborhood services with walkable and active streetscapes.



(2) Dimensional Standards

Lots	Detached	Attached	Accessory
Lot size, min. (sf)	0		NA
Lot frontage, min. (ft)	0		NA
Residential density, max. (sf/unit)	0		NA
Residential density, min. (sf/unit) ⁵⁹	3,00	00	NA
Structure coverage, max. [1]	80%		80%
Uncovered parking area, max. [1]	40%		NA
Landscape area, min.	10%		NA
Setbacks, min. (ft) [2]			
A Front	10		10
B Side	5		5
C Rear	5		5
Height, max. (ft) [2]			
Building height [3]	35 45 [4]		25

Other Standards	
Overlay Districts	16-2-70
Measurements/Exceptions	16-2-30
Use Regulations	16-2-70(g)
Development Standards	Article 16-4

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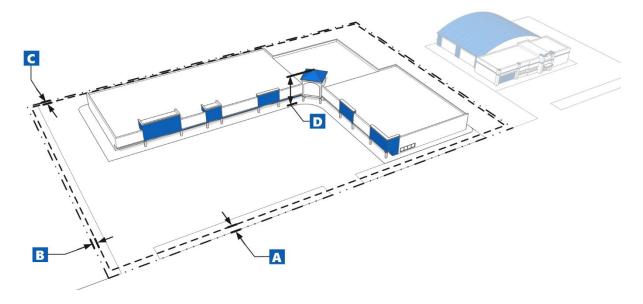
- [1] Maximum combined coverage of structures and uncovered parking is 90%.
- [2] Residential adjacency standards may apply per Section XX.
- [3] Building height measured per Section 16-2-30(d).
- [4] Inclusionary housing development standards are determined per Article 16-9.

⁵⁹ New.

(c) Mixed-Use Highway (MH)

(1) Purpose

The Mixed-Use Highway (MH) district is intended accommodate general commercial and service uses along Salida's Highway 50 corridor. Limited residential uses and light nonresidential uses may also be permitted. The intent of the MH district is to create attractive commercial and mixed-use development with safe access for all road users, sufficient parking area, and to buffer the impacts of these uses from residential areas.



Lots	Primary ⁶⁰	Accessory
Lot size, min. (sf)	5,625 5,000 [1]	NA
Lot frontage, min. (ft)	37.5	NA
Residential density, max. (sf/unit)	2,800 2,450 [1]	NA
Residential density, min. (sf/unit) ⁶¹	11,250	NA
Structure coverage, max. [2]	60%	60%
Uncovered parking area, max. [2]	60%	NA
Landscape area, min.	10%	NA
Setbacks, min. (ft) [2]		
A Front	10	10
B Side	5	5
C Rear	5	5
Height, max. (ft) [2]		
D Building height [4]	28/35	25

Other Standards	
Overlay Districts	16-2-70
Measurements/Exceptions	16-2-30
Use Regulations	16-2-70(g)
Development Standards	Article 16-4

Notes

- [1] Inclusionary housing development standards are determined per Article 16-9.
- [2] Maximum combined coverage of structures and uncovered parking is 90%.
- [3] Residential adjacency standards may apply per Section XX.
- [4] Building height measured per Section 16-2-30(d).

⁶⁰ Minimum lot size and lot frontage standard eliminated for attached units (formerly 2,800 sf lots and 20 ft frontage) to apply same standards for all development types in MH district.

⁶¹ New.

(d) Mixed-Use Downtown (MD)

(1) Purpose

The Mixed-Use Downtown (MD) district is intended to provide for the business and civic functions that make up the City's core and encourage a mix of commercial, office, and residential uses in a walkable and active downtown. Structures typically follow historic architectural styles with higher ceilings and ornamentation that increase building height. The MD District includes the most prominent areas of Salida and therefore places an emphasis on high-quality building, site, and streetscape design. Structures in this district include



Lots	Primary	Accessory
Lot size, min. (sf)	0	NA
Lot frontage, min. (ft)	0	NA
Residential density, max. (sf/unit)	0	NA
Residential density, min. (sf/unit) ⁶²	3,000	NA
Structure coverage, max.	100%	100%
Uncovered parking area, max.	90% [1]	NA
Landscape area, min.	0% [1]	NA
Setbacks, min. (ft)		
A Front	0	0
B Side	0	0
C Rear	0	0
Height, max. (ft)		
D Building height ⁶³ [2]	35/38 45 [3]	25

Other Standards	
Overlay Districts	16-2-70
Measurements/Exceptions	16-2-30
Use Regulations	16-2-70(g)
Development Standards	Article 16-4

Notes

- [1] A minimum of 10 percent landscape area is required if lot used solely for parking or primary structure is set back more than 0 feet from front or side setback.[2] Building height measured per Section 16-2-30(d).
- [3] Inclusionary housing development standards are determined per Article 16-9.

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⁵² New

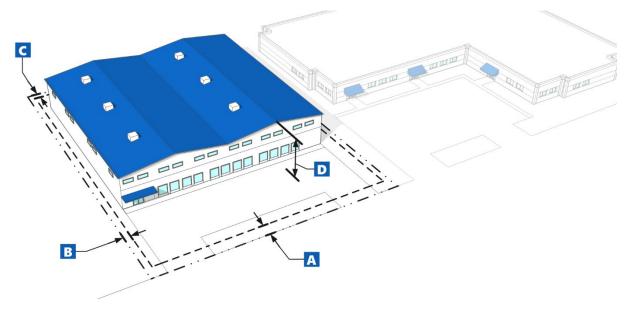
⁶³ Maximum building height increased from 35 ft with additional setback standards that apply when adjacent to residential development for portions of the building that exceed 35 ft.

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(a) Industrial (IN)

(1) Purpose

The Industrial (IN) district is intended to provide for industrial, manufacturing, and other nonresidential activity, both general and light, in areas where conflicts with commercial, residential, and other land uses can be minimized.



Lots	Primary	Accessory
Lot size, min. (sf)	5,625	NA
Lot frontage, min. (ft)	37.5	NA
Residential density, max. (sf/unit)	2,800	NA
Residential density, min. (sf/unit)	NA	NA
Structure coverage, max.	60%	60%
Uncovered parking area, max.	40% ⁶⁵	NA
Landscape area, min.	10%	NA
Setbacks, min. (ft) [1]		
A Front	10	10
B Side	5	5 ⁶⁶
C Rear	5	5
Height, max. (ft) [1]		
D Building height ⁶⁷	45	45

Other Standards	
Overlay Districts	16-2-70
Measurements/Exceptions	16-2-30
Use Regulations	16-2-70(g)
Development Standards	Article 16-4
Note	

[1] Residential adjacency standards may apply per Section XX.

⁶⁵ Increased from 30%.

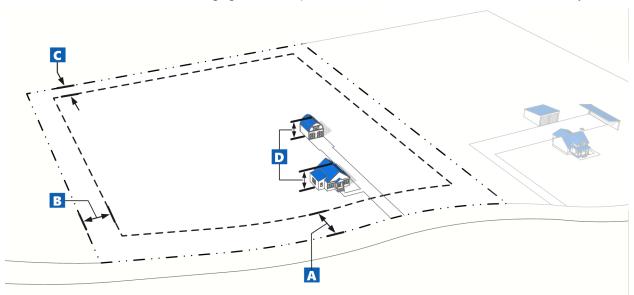
⁶⁶ Simplified from 3/5/10 ft setback.

 $^{^{\}rm 67}$ Maximum height increased to 45 ft from 35 ft (subject to residential adjacency).

(b) Agriculture (AG)

(1) Purpose

The Agriculture (AG) district is intended to preserve the continuation of historic agricultural uses and very low-density single-family residential development in certain locations while allowing for limited agricultural and civic uses, including protection of sensitive environmental resources. The district may also be used to allow annexation of new land into the City prior to establishing detailed development plans, or to serve as a transition between surrounding agricultural or public lands and more urbanized areas within the City.



(2) Dimensional Standards

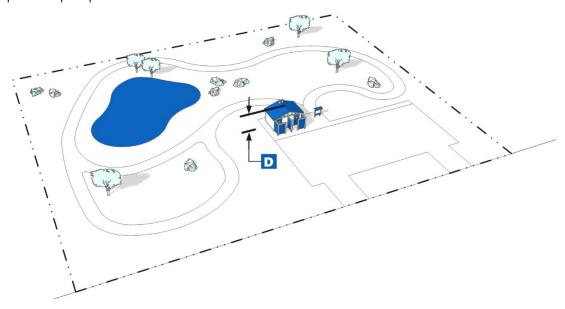
Lots	Primary	Accessory
Lot size, min. (acres)	5	NA
Lot frontage, min. (ft)	0	NA
Density, max. (acres/unit)	5	NA
Density, min. (acres/unit)	NA	NA
Structure coverage, max.	15%	15%
Hardscape area, max.	10%	NA
Landscape area, min.	0%	NA
Setbacks, min. (ft)		
A Front	25	25
B Side	5	5
C Rear	25	5
Height, max. (ft)		
D Building height	35	35

Other Standards	
Overlay Districts	16-2-70
Measurements/Exceptions	16-2-30
Use Regulations	16-2-70(g)
Development Standards	Article 16-4

(c) Parks and Open Space (OS)

(1) Purpose

The Parks and Open Space (OS) district is intended to accommodate and preserve adequate lands for recreational use, open space, or landscape preservation. The district allows for the protection of public and quasi-public lands, along with compatible incidental and accessory uses, from being used for purposes other than parks or open space.



(2) Dimensional Standards

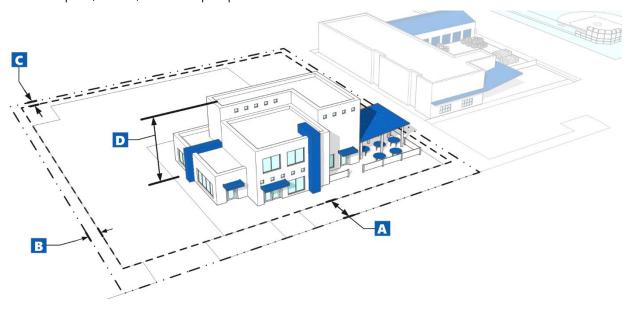
Lots	Primary	Accessory
Lot size, min. (acres)	NA	NA
Lot frontage, min. (ft)	NA	NA
Density, max. (acres/unit)	NA	NA
Density, min. (acres/unit)	NA	NA
Structure coverage, max.	NA	NA
Hardscape area, max.	NA	NA
Landscape area, min.	NA	NA
Setbacks, min. (ft)		
A Front	NA	NA
B Side	NA	NA
C Rear	NA	NA
Height, max. (ft)		
D Building height	45	45

Other Standards	
Overlay Districts	16-2-70
Measurements/Exceptions	16-2-30
Use Regulations	16-2-70(g)
Development Standards	Article 16-4

(d) Community Facilities (CF)

(1) Purpose

The Community Facilities (CF) district is intended to accommodate public and quasi-public uses and activities related to community services or activities such as community centers, libraries, public safety facilities, hospitals, utilities, and municipal operations.



(2) Dimensional Standards

Lots	Primary	Accessory
Lot size, min. (sf)	NA	NA
Lot frontage, min. (ft)	NA	NA
Density, max. (sf/unit)	NA	NA
Density, min. (sf/unit)	NA	NA
Structure coverage, max.	60%	60%
Hardscape area, max.	90%	NA
Landscape area, min.	10%	NA
Setbacks, min. (ft)		
A Front	15	15
B Side [1]	5	5
C Rear [1]	5	5
Height, max. (ft)		
D Building height [1]	54	54

Other Standards	
Overlay Districts	16-2-70
Measurements/Exceptions	16-2-30
Use Regulations	16-2-70(g)
Development Standards	Article 16-4
Note	

^[1] The required side and rear setback shall be increased by one-foot for each foot in height above 45 feet.

16-2-70 Overlay and Special Purpose Districts

COMMENTARY

The Salida Downtown Historic District (SDHD) Overlay, Local Historic Landmark (LHLO) Overlay, and Central Business Economic (CBEO) Overlay are carried forward largely unchanged. Feedback from stakeholders and City staff has been supportive of keeping the SDHD Overlay and LHLO Overlay as is. Minor formatting and grammar changes are proposed to maintain consistency with the updated Code, but no substantive changes are proposed.

The language of the **Sackett's Addition (SA) Overlay** has been updated more extensively to remove unnecessary narrative from standards and make the standards clearer and more direct. However, no substantive changes to the existing standards are proposed.

The **Historic Protection (HPO) Overlay** is not carried forward because the current HPO Overlay applies to all properties in the C-2 district not located within the SDHD district. This district is replaced by incorporating the HPO Overlay standards into the MD (formerly C-2) District.

The **SH 291 Corridor (291CO) Overlay** and **Highway 50 Corridor (50CO) Overlay** are not carried forward because these overlays include standards that could simply be applied to the base zoning districts that are proposed for these areas—the R2 Residential District, R3 Residential District, Mixed-Use Neighborhood (MN) District, and Mixed-Use Highway Center (MC) district.

(a) Purpose and Applicability

- (1) To ensure the quality of development within overlay districts, this section establishes design criteria and standards that will allow the City to review and direct the development and redevelopment of properties within the overlay districts.
- (2) The provisions of this Article shall be applied in addition to any other applicable regulations of this Chapter.

(b) Overlay and Special Purpose Districts Established

Table 2-E: Overlay and, Special Purpose Districts Established, lists the overlay districts established by the City. Overlay districts are established by the City's adoption of the Official Zoning Map pursuant to Section 16-2-10(b), Official Zoning Map.

Table 2-E: Overlay and Special Purpose Districts Established									
Current District	Proposed District	Commentary							
Overlay Districts									
Salida Downtown Historic District (SDHD) Overlay	Salida Downtown Historic District (SDHD) Overlay	Carry forward. Feedback from stakeholders and City staff has been supportive of keeping the SDHD overlay district largely unchanged. Changes to the Historic Preservation Commission have not led to a desire to change the location of this overlay district or the standards that apply to properties within the district.							
Historic Protection (HPO) Overlay		Do not carry forward. The current HPO district applies to all properties in the C-2 district not located within the SDHD district. This district could be replaced with broad applicability of the HPO standards to properties in the MD (formerly C-2) district.							

Current District	Proposed District	Commentary
Local Historic Landmark (LHLO) Overlay	Local Historic Landmark (LHLO) Overlay	Carry forward. Properties in this overlay must comply with Article XII, Historic Preservation.
SH 291 Corridor (291CO) Overlay		Do not carry forward. Integrate standards from the 291 Overlay into the new Mixed-Use Neighborhood (MN) to accommodate existing commercial and residential mixed-use areas, and to citywide standards for those standards that may have broad applicability regardless of zoning district.
Highway 50 Corridor (50CO) Overlay		Do not carry forward. Integrate standards from the Hwy 50 Overlay into the new Highway Commercial (HC) District and citywide standards.
Sackett's Addition (SA) Overlay	Sackett's Addition (SA) Overlay	Carry forward. We heard from most stakeholders that the Sackett's Addition is working well and resulting in the types of development intended for those areas. Minor cleanup of language for clarity and consistency and additional graphics may be necessary.
Central Business Economic (CBEO) Overlay	Central Business Economic (CBEO) Overlay	Carry forward. The standards in this overlay address minimum commercial occupancy standards and parking options. The CBEO district standards mabe combined with the proposed MD (current C-2) district in a future draft to allow elimination of this overlay district.
Special Purpose Districts		
Planned Development (PD)	Planned Development (PD)	Carry forward. PDs offer opportunities for greater flexibility and variety in the development of land than would otherwise be achieved through a base zoning district and should be used to facilitate more innovative site planning and design concepts with a higher level of amenities and public benefits than is otherwise possible through a base zoning district.

(c) Salida Downtown Historic District (SDHD) Overlay

(1) Purpose

The Salida Downtown Historic District (SDHD) Overlay is established for the purpose of protecting, preserving, stabilizing, enhancing, and perpetuating the buildings, sites, structures, and character of Salida's original historic downtown area.

(2) Applicability

The standards for the SDHD Overlay (Article 16-7) shall apply to all development on parcels or lots located within the boundaries of the SDHD, as established and identified by the National Park Service of the U.S. Department of the Interior. All areas within the SDHD Overlay shall remain subject to the City's zoning, subdivision, and building regulations, in addition to the regulations contained within this Chapter.

(3) Standards

See Article 16-7, Historic Preservation.

(d) Local Historic Landmark (LHLO) Overlay

(1) Purpose

The Local Historic Landmark (LHLO) Overlay is established for the purpose of protecting, preserving, stabilizing, enhancing, and perpetuating individual historic buildings, sites, and structures that exemplify the history of Salida.

(2) Applicability

The standards for the LHLO Overlay (Article 16-7) shall apply to all development on parcels or lots which are designated as local historic landmarks in this Chapter. All areas within the LHLO Overlay shall remain subject to the City's zoning, subdivision, and building regulations, in addition to the regulations contained within this Chapter.

(3) Standards

See Article 16-7, Historic Preservation.

(e) Sackett's Addition (SA) Overlay

(1) Purpose

The purpose of the Sackett's Addition (SA) Overlay is to protect and preserve the character of the historic neighborhood by ensuring that future development, including the alteration of existing structures, be designed to be compatible with existing structures and neighborhood character.

(2) Applicability

- **a.** The standards of the SA Overlay shall apply to all development on parcels within the boundaries of the SA Overlay, as shown on the Official Zoning Map.
- **b.** This section establishes the standards and criteria to be used in review of development applications proposed within the SA Overlay.
- c. The standards of this section shall be in addition to those of the underlying zoning district and other applicable standards of this Chapter.
- **d.** This section shall not be interpreted to require changes or renovation to existing properties or structures when no development applications are required to be submitted.

(3) Standards

Development in the SA Overlay shall meet the following standards:

a. Building Setbacks

- 1. The minimum front setback for new primary structures shall be the same as other primary structures on the same side of the block. If the front setbacks of other primary structures on the same side of the block are variable, the minimum front setback of the new structure must be within the established range of those seen on the same side of the block.
- **2.** Additions to existing primary structures shall be setback equal to or greater than the primary façade of the existing structure.
- 3. The minimum side setback for new primary structures, or additions to existing primary structures, shall be five feet unless a greater setback is required per Table 2-F, below.

Table 2-F: Sackett's Addition Overlay Setback Standards										
Structure Height	Setback from Roof Apex to Widest Point of Neighboring House Foundation [1]									
15 ft. or less	10 ft.									
>15 to 21 ft.	16 ft.									
>21 to 23 ft.	21 ft.									
>23 to 26 ft.	25 ft.									

^[1] If the actual side setback of the neighboring primary structure is less than 5 ft., the property owner may use 5 ft. rather than the lesser amount in determining if the minimum horizontal distance between structures has been met. Example: the proposed house or addition is 24 ft. tall. The neighboring house is only 3 ft. from the property line. The apex of the proposed house needs to be at least 20 ft. from the property line (20+5=25) rather than 22 ft. from the property line (22+3=25) to meet the minimum horizontal distance.

- **4.** A roof pitch of 4:12 or less is considered to be a flat roof such that the height of the apex is projected to the edge of the roof adjacent to the side setbacks.
- 5. Dormers projecting towards the side setbacks may not displace more than 50 percent of the roof area from which they project.
- New House

 Existing House

 Property Line
- separate parcels are not subject to the height/setback relationship along the shared lot line between the two structures. New attached residential units on separate parcels, or additions to such existing structures, shall be subject to height limitations derived from distance to foundations of neighboring structures or 26 feet, whichever is less.

b. Mass and Scale

New primary structures, and additions to existing primary structures, shall appear from the street to be similar in mass and scale to other single-family primary structures on the same side of the block.

1. Height

The maximum height for a new primary structure or addition is 26 feet. However, if an existing primary structure taller than 26 feet should be completely destroyed by a natural cause such as fire, a new structure may be built to the height and square footage of the original structure. Any additional footprint must adhere to the design requirements. Within the overlay area, height is measured to the top of the ridge or parapet but does not include chimneys, solar installations, etc.

2. Mass

Size of primary structures is limited as shown in Table 2-G. If more than one primary structure is proposed, they must share the allotted floor area. If an existing primary structure greater in mass than what is allowed in the design requirements should be completely destroyed by a natural cause such as fire, a new structure may be built to the square footage of the structure prior to destruction.

Lot Size	Primary Structure Size
1,200 to 3,749 sf ^[1]	Lot Area x 0.4
3,750 to 7,499 sf	1,500 + (.106667) x (Lot Area - 3,750)
7,500 to 11,249 sf	1,900 + (.106667) x (Lot Area - 7,500)
11,250 to 15,000 sf [2]	2,300 + (.106667) x (Lot Area - 11,250)

c. Accessory Structures⁶⁹

- New accessory structures shall be subordinate in terms of mass, scale, and height to the primary structure.
- 2. New accessory structures shall be no more than 1 ½ stories.
- **3.** Garages must be detached from the primary structure.
- 4. Where there is alley access, garages must be accessed from the alley.

d. Alternative Compliance⁷⁰

- 1. Alternatives to these design guidelines may be permitted upon a finding by the Planning Commission that the proposed design solution is consistent with the existing mass and height of the block where the new structure or addition is proposed.
- 2. In reviewing an application for an alternative, the Planning Commission may consider the unique challenges of a particular site or existing structures of the site. Such challenges may include but are not limited to, narrow lot width, low foundation heights of adjacent structures, or unusual setbacks on existing or adjacent structures.
- **3.** If the restoration of an existing primary façade of an older structure is proposed to be restored to its original, historic appearance and the restoration will conflict with the minimum front setback standard, the Director may determines that an alternative compliance request will not be required.
- **4.** Applications for alternative compliance shall follow the procedures for major site plan review (Section 16-8-50(b)). However, if a variance is requested from other provisions of this Code, that application shall follow the procedures for a variance (Section 16-8-70(a)).

(4) Design Recommendations

- **a.** In addition to the development standards set forth this section, the City strongly encourages compliance with the Sackett's Addition Design Recommendations, a copy of which is available for inspection at City Hall.
- **b.** The Sackett's Addition Design Recommendations ensure that new development or the alteration of existing structures will enhance the existing character and historic nature of the Sackett's Addition neighborhood.

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⁶⁸ Thresholds updated to avoid overlapping square footages and to make clearer that no lots under 1,200 sf are permitted. Added maximum lot area note (existing table just ends at 15,000 sf).

⁶⁹ Updated organization and simplified language. No substantive changes proposed.

⁷⁰ New name proposed instead of the prior "Deviations." This would be distinct from a minor modification, which is a departure from a numeric standard (like number of parking spaces). Restorations subsection consolidated here due to overlapping subject matter. Updated to make Director (or designee) responsible for determining applicability because existing standard does not make clear how to determine when the exception would apply. May need further discussion to clarify how this would relate to variances.

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(1) Purpose

The purpose of the Central Business Economic (CBEO) Overlay is to establish standards to preserve and protect the downtown area as a viable commercial district, and to ensure that future development be designed and planned in a manner compatible with those goals.

(2) Applicability

- **a.** The standards of the CBEO Overlay shall apply to all development on parcels within the boundaries of CBEO Overlay, as shown on the Official Zoning Map.
- **b.** The standards of this section shall be in addition to those of the underlying zoning district and other applicable standards of this Chapter.

(3) Standards

Development in the CBEO Overlay shall meet the following standards:

a. Street Frontage

- **1.** Ground floor street frontage, including on corner lots, shall not be used for residential uses as defined by Table 3-A, *Table of Allowed Uses*.
- 2. No more than 50 percent of the ground floor occupancy may be used for residential uses.
- **3.** If the limitation on residential uses will create a significant economic hardship, an applicant may request conditional use approval (Section 16-8-50(c)) to increase the amount of ground floor area used for residential uses if approving authority finds that the subject property cannot be put to any other reasonably beneficial use

b. Parking⁷²

- All applicable parking standards of this Chapter shall apply, except that a commercial business
 applicant may seek an alternative to providing the required on-site parking by paying an occupier
 fee in-lieu of providing required on-site parking in an amount established and periodically
 amended by the City's fee schedule.
- **2.** Funds received by the City for the occupier fee shall be designated for the purposes of providing additional public parking in downtown Salida or for the enforcement of parking regulations.

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 $^{^{72}}$ These parking standards will be relocated to Development Standards in the consolidated draft to apply throughout the MD district.

(g) Planned Development (PD)⁷³

(1) Purpose

The Planned Development (PD) district is intended to achieve the following purposes:

- a. To implement the Salida Comprehensive Plan and other plans for particular areas or topics.
- **b.** To allow for greater flexibility and variety in the development of land than would otherwise be achieved through a base zoning district to improve the compatibility and quality of land uses; promote the more efficient use of land, infrastructure, and public services; and preserve open space and natural and scenic areas.
- **c.** To facilitate more innovative site planning and design concepts with a higher level of amenities and public benefits than is otherwise possible through a base zoning district.

(2) Establishment

A PD district shall be established pursuant to the procedures in Section 16-8-40(b). Development in a PD District shall be subject to the standards of an approved PD plan.

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⁷³ PD standards have been simplified to be less descriptive and prescriptive. Remaining and proposed standards are intended to establish guardrails for this district without detailing what is required.



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Article 16-3 Use Regulations

COMMENTARY

This article draws from existing standards in Article IV, specifically those in Sections 16-4-90, 16-4-100, 16-4-140, 16-4-50, and 16-4-190.

The current schedule of uses is updated with broader and simpler use categories and additional subcategories that make it easier to find uses in the table and allows the City to make easier decisions on unlisted uses based on the impacts and intensity of the broader categories. We sort the uses in the table alphabetically, except for residential uses, where it is most intuitive to sort uses by intensity (from detached single-family dwellings to multi-family dwellings and group living arrangements). Additionally, we include accessory and temporary uses under a separate use category at the end of the table as opposed to having them integrated throughout the table.

Overall, we include a greater level of detail than the existing Code, we consolidated and remove redundant or outdated uses, we update terminology to reflect contemporary practice, and we propose new use types to address contemporary issues with housing variety, temporary and mobile businesses, and mixed-use development. Where a use seems to work as intended, no changes are proposed.

16-3-10 Purpose and Organization

(a) Purpose

This article identifies the land uses allowed in Salida's zoning districts and establishes standards that apply to certain uses with unique characteristics or impacts.

(b) Organization

- (1) Section 16-3-20 lists land uses allowed by district and provides cross-references to applicable use-specific standards.
- (2) Section 16-3-30 establishes use-specific standards applicable to specific land uses.
- (3) Section 16-3-40 establishes standards applicable to accessory uses and structures.
- (4) Section 16-3-50 establishes standards applicable to temporary uses and structures.

16-3-20 Table of Allowed Uses

(a) Explanation of Table Abbreviations

(1) Uses Not Requiring Site Plan Review

"P" in a cell indicates that the use is permitted in the respective zoning district without site plan review per Section 16-8-50(a)(2). These uses may require building permits and other approvals and are subject to all other applicable regulations of the Code, including any listed use-specific standards. Confirm requirements with the Planning Department.

(2) Uses Requiring a Minor Site Plan Review

"P*" in a cell indicates that the use is only permitted in the respective zoning district with approval of a Minor Site Plan per Section 16-8-50(a).

(3) Uses Requiring a Major Site Plan Review

"M" in a cell indicates that the use is only permitted in the respective zoning district with approval of a Major Site Plan per Section 16-8-50(b).

(4) Uses Requiring a Conditional Use Permit

"C" in a cell indicates that the use is only permitted in the respective zoning district with approval of a Conditional Use Permit per Section 16-8-50(c).

(5) Prohibited Uses

"N" in a cell indicates that the use is prohibited in the respective zoning district.

(6) Use-Specific Standards

Regardless of how a use is permitted, additional standards may be applicable to that use. Use-specific standards are identified and cross-referenced in the last column of Table 3-A.

(b) Table Organization

In Table 3-A, land uses and activities are classified into general use categories and specific use types based on common functional, product, or physical characteristics such as the type and amount of activity, the volume of customers or residents, how goods or services are sold or delivered, and site conditions. This classification provides a systematic basis for assigning present and future land uses into appropriate zoning districts. This classification does not list every use or activity that may appropriately exist within each use category. Certain uses may be listed in one category when they may reasonably have been listed in one or more other categories. The use categories are intended as an indexing tool and are not regulatory.

(c) Use for Other Purposes Prohibited⁷⁷

Approval of a use listed in Table 3-A, and compliance with the applicable use-specific standards for that use, authorizes that use only. Buildings and structures shall not be erected, altered, or enlarged except for the uses listed in Table 3-A. All other uses not specifically listed are prohibited and shall be unlawful unless the Director has determined an appropriate use type for the unlisted use pursuant to the procedure in Section 16-3-20(d), below.

(d) Classification of New and Unlisted Uses⁷⁸

The following procedure shall apply if an application is submitted for a use type that is not specifically listed in Table 3-A. Submission and approval of such an application shall be required prior to approval of any other permit or development approval associated with the use.

(1) Director Determination of Appropriate Use Type

The Director shall determine the appropriate use type for the proposed use. In making such determination, the Director shall consider similarities to uses that are specifically listed and the potential impacts of the proposed use including the nature of the use and whether it includes dwellings, sales, processing, or storage; and typical operations, employment characteristics, nuisances, requirements for public utilities, and transportation requirements.

(2) Uses and Use-Specific Standards Requiring a Code Text Amendment

In making a determination on a new or unlisted use, the Director may determine that such new or unlisted use requires a text amendment of this Code. The Director may also determine that Code text amendments for additional use-specific standards are necessary to reduce potential impacts to surrounding properties or the community. Code text amendments shall follow the procedures in Section 16-8-40(c).

(3) Appeal of Director's Determination

An appeal of the Director's determination shall be made pursuant to the procedures in Section 16-8-70(c).

⁷⁷ New. This is commonly included in Clarion codes to make clear that unlisted uses are either not permitted or require classification.

⁷⁸ New. We recommend including this procedure for handling unlisted uses or uses that don't fit into one of the uses in Table 3-A.



(e) Table of Allowed Uses

COMMENTARY

This draft organizes uses in a more logical manner with uses grouped by type and alphabetically listed within each use type (except for residential uses, which are organized by intensity). The Table of Allowed Uses is also updated to reflect the system of use permissions and review procedures established in Installment 1, which covered Administration and Procedures.

Key policy choices reflected in this table include:

- Streamlining the development review process by requiring the least time-consuming review/permit feasible;
- Encouraging a greater mix of housing types (especially more affordable dwellings);
- Protecting naturally occurring affordable housing (especially manufactured homes) from redevelopment pressures; and
- Minimizing barriers to compatible commercial and light industrial development (while minimizing impacts on neighborhoods).

As part of the review of the schedule of uses, we reviewed the use permissions and asked the following questions:

- When combining similar uses with different use permissions, we would ask, "which of these use permissions is most appropriate?"
- For any prohibited permission, we would ask, "why is this use prohibited in this zoning district?" And, "can a use-specific standard mitigate any concerns about this use, therefore making it acceptable in this zoning district?"
- For any conditional permission, or use that requires some level of site plan review, we would ask, "should this use be permitted with a less lengthy process in this zoning district?" And, "are there additional standards necessary to mitigate known issues with this use type?"

A row at the top of the table shows the existing districts. This row is temporary, but is provided during the drafting phases of the Code update process to help the reader understand the context of changes proposed. The key includes color-coded shading to indicate when a use is new, when the proposed use permission is made more or less permissive, and to show the previous use permission. Because the previous table included different permitting process, the color coding in the table should be considered comparative—showing if a use is less permissive (goes from being permitted to requiring a conditional use permit or not being permitted) or more permissive (goes from not being permitted or requiring major impact review to being permitted with a conditional use permit or another review process). New districts or uses will not show any change in level of permissiveness.

Note: Due to the size and number of footnotes, the table is broken to allow footnotes to remain below the section they reference. This formatting issue will be addressed as footnotes are removed during subsequent drafts.

Table 3-A: Table of Allov	ved Uses				P = Pern	nitted P	* = Minor S	Site Plan I	M = Major :	Site Plan	C = Condi	tional	N = Not Permitte	
KEY: = New = More Permissive than Current					= Less Permissive than Current									
Existing Districts	R-1	R-2	R-3	R-4	RMU		C-2	C-1	1					
Proposed Districts	R1	R2	R3	R4	MN	МС	MD	МН	IN	AG	os	CF	Use-Specific Standards	
Residential Uses														
Household Living ⁷⁹														
Dwelling, Single-Family (Detached)	Р	Р	Р	N	Р	N	N	N	N	Р	N	N		
Dwelling, Single-Family (Multiple Principal)	Р	Р	Р	P*	Р	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	16-3-30(b)(1)	
Dwelling, Duplex	Р	Р	Р	N	Р	М	P*	М	N	N	N	N		
Dwelling, Townhouse	Р	Р	Р	N	Р	С	М	N	N	N	N	Ν	16-3-30(b)(2)	
Dwelling, Multi-Family (3-4 units)	N	Р	Р	N	Р	М	P*	Р	N	N	N	P*		
Dwelling, Multi-Family (5-19 units)	N	P*	P*	N	P*	P*	P*	P*	N	N	N	P*		
Dwelling, Multi-Family (20+ units)	N	М	P*	N	М	P*	М	М	N	N	N	М		
Dwelling, Co-Housing	N	P*	P*	N	P*	М	М	М	N	N	N	N	16-3-30(b)(3)	
Dwelling, Live/Work	N	N	N	N	P*	P*	P*	P*	М	N	N	N	16-3-30(b)(4)	
Manufactured Home	N	М	М	Р	М	N	N	N	N	Р	N	N	16-3-30(b)(5)	
Manufactured Home Park	N	N	N	Р	N	N	N	М	М	N	N	N	16-3-30(b)(6)	
Recreational Vehicle (Long- Term Occupancy) ⁸⁰	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	N	N	P*	P*	P*	N	P*		
Group Living ⁸¹														
Continuing Care Retirement Facility	М	М	М	N	М	М	М	М	N	N	N	N		
Group Home, Large ⁸²	N	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	М	N	N	P*	16-3-30(b)(7)	

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⁷⁹ Household Living is proposed as a use subcategory to organize family-based dwelling use types. Townhouse, Co-Housing, and Live-Work dwellings are proposed as new uses in this section. "One or more dwelling units on the same site as a commercial or industrial use" is proposed for removal because dwellings on the same site as a commercial or industrial use is a mixed-use, which is regulated based on whether both a dwelling and commercial or industrial use is permitted in a zoning district. Mobile Home (and Mobile Home Park) have been renamed as Manufactured Home (and Manufactured Home Park). Residential use permissions in the R4 and IN districts are reduced to preserve the few manufactured home parks and industrial areas from significant redevelopment.

⁸⁰ "Recreational Vehicle (long term occupancy)" may be addressed in the Vehicle and Traffic Code, as part of the RV Park use, or as a temporary use (requiring a temporary use permit) depending on further consideration.

⁸¹ Group Living is proposed as a use subcategory to organize group-based dwelling use types. The Large Group Home use is proposed to help differentiate between smaller and larger group homes. FHAA-protected group home use permissions are also updated to ensure that group homes that house people protected by the FHAA are permitted the same as corresponding dwellings. Single-Room Occupancy (SRO) is proposed as an option to help provide affordable housing with a focus on Salida's seasonal workforce but may also help with year-round housing. SRO's are small units with basic amenities (like a hotel room) with some shared amenities and might also be called microunits, dormitories, or co-living. Continuing Care Retirement Facility replaces the current "Nursing Home" use with a more wholistic term that includes nursing homes and similar facilities.

⁸² Compliance with the Fair Housing Amendment Act (FHAA) and guidance from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) requires that group home uses be permitted and regulated the same as housing of the same size and scale for persons who do not have disabilities. Large group homes are regulated to mirror multi-family dwellings.

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Proposed Districts	R1	R2	R3	R4	MN	МС	MD	МН	IN	AG	os	CF	Use-Specific Standards
Group Home, Small ⁸³	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	N	Ν	N	N	Р	N	N	16-3-30(b)(8
Rooming or Boarding House	N	N	N	N	N	С	С	С	N	N	N	М	
Single-Room Occupancy	N	N	N	N	С	С	С	С	N	N	N	М	16-3-30(b)(9
Public, Institutional, and Civic Uses Community and													
Cultural ⁸⁴ Civic or Community													
Building	С	С	С	С	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	N	Р	Р	
Club or Fraternal Organization	С	С	С	С	Р	Р	Р	Р	N	N	N	N	
Day Care, Adult	С	С	С	С	Р	Р	Р	Р	N	N	N	N	16-3-30(c)(1
Day Care Center	С	С	С	С	P*	P*	P*	P*	N	N	N	N	16-3-30(c)(1
Day Care Home	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	N	N	N	N	16-3-30(c)(2
Hospital	N	N	N	N	N	М	N	М	N	N	N	М	
Public Recreation, Outdoor	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	
Public Recreation, Indoor	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	
Religious Assembly ⁸⁵	Р	Р	Р	С	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	N	N	N	
School	М	М	М	N	P*	P*	P*	P*	N	N	N	P*	
Transportation ⁸⁶													
Parking Facility	N	N	N	N	Р	Р	М	Р	Р	N	М	Р	

⁸³ Compliance with the Fair Housing Amendment Act (FHAA) and guidance from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) requires that group home uses be permitted and regulated the same as housing of the same size and scale for persons who do not have disabilities. Small group homes are regulated to mirror single-family dwellings.
84 Community and Cultural is proposed as a use subcategory to organize community serving facilities like places of assembly, recreation, education, and medical care. We propose updating the Church use to a more inclusive Religious Assembly, the consolidation of the Community Building use with the Government Administrative Facilities and Services use, which are regulated the same except that the Community Building use is not currently permitted in the IN District (the more permissive use permission is recommended). Finally, the Parks use is renamed to a more inclusive Public Outdoor Recreation and the existing Recreation Facility use is redefined and labeled as Public Indoor Recreation.

⁸⁵ Compliance with the Religious Land Use and Institutionalized Persons Act (RLUIPA) requires that no land use regulation treats a religious assembly or institution on less than equal terms with a nonreligious assembly or institution.

⁸⁶ Transportation is proposed as a use subcategory to organize community-serving transportation uses. Parking Facilities combines existing Public Parking Facility and Commercial Parking Facility uses, which are regulated the same way. A Transit Terminal or Station use is proposed to differentiate from typical bus stops that are allowed more widely and have less impact on nearby property.

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Transit Stop	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	
Transit Terminal or Station	N	N	N	N	P*	Р	P*	Р	М	N	N	Р	
Commercial Uses													
Agriculture and Animal- Related Services ⁸⁷													
Commercial Farming and Plant or Animal Husbandry	N	N	N	N	М	М	N	М	М	Р	М	М	
Garden Center, Greenhouse, or Nursery	М	М	М	N	Р	P*	P*	Р	М	Р	N	N	
Kennel	N	N	N	N	С	С	N	С	С	С	N	N	16-3-30(d)(1)
Veterinary Clinic or Hospital	N	N	N	N	P*	Р	N	Р	С	С	N	N	16-3-30(d)(2)
Business and Professional Services ⁸⁸													
Office	N	N	N	N	Р	Р	Р	Р	N	N	N	Р	
Food and Beverage ⁸⁹													
Bar, Lounge, or Tavern	N	N	N	N	Р	Р	Р	Р	N	N	С	С	
Microbrewery, Distillery, or Winery	N	N	N	N	Р	Р	Р	Р	N	С	N	N	
Restaurant	N	N	N	N	Р	Р	Р	Р	N	N	С	С	
Lodging ⁹⁰													
Bed and Breakfast	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	С	P*	P*	N	P*	N	N	16-3-30(d)(3)
Hotel or Motel	N	N	N	N	Р	Р	Р	Р	N	N	N	N	

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⁸⁷ Agriculture and Animal-Related Services is proposed as a use subcategory to organize such uses. Many new uses are proposed including farms, community gardens, garden centers/nurseries, kennels, and produce/farm goods markets.

⁸⁸ Business and Professional Services is proposed as a use category to organize office-type uses separately from retail and service businesses.

⁸⁹ Food and Beverage is proposed as a use subcategory to organize dining and drinking uses. Food and Beverage uses have been expanded to reflect the diversity of this use category – including Bars, Lounges, Taverns, Microbreweries, Distilleries, and Wineries. The Drive Through has been organized with accessory uses (accessory to restaurants, banks, and other services, and is no longer permitted in the MD District.

⁹⁰ Lodging is proposed as a use subcategory to consolidate similar commercial lodging facilities. The existing Commercial Lodging use is renamed Hotel and Motel.

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Short-Term Rental	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	N	N	N	N	16-3-30(d)(4)
Marijuana ⁹¹													
Medical Marijuana Store	N	N	N	N	С	С	С	P*	N	N	N	N	16-3-30(d)(5)
Retail Marijuana Store	N	N	N	N	С	С	С	P*	N	N	N	N	16-3-30(d)(6)
Personal Services 92													
General Personal Service, Small	С	С	С	N	Р	Р	Р	Р	N	N	N	N	
General Personal Service, Large	N	N	N	N	P*	Р	С	Р	N	N	N	N	
Self-Service Laundromat	N	N	N	Ν	Р	Р	С	Р	N	N	N	N	
Recreation and Entertainment ⁹³													
Adult Entertainment	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	С	N	N	N	N	16-3-30(d)(7)
Adult Bookstore/Novelty	N	N	N	N	С	С	С	Р	N	N	N	N	16-3-30(d)(8)
Campground	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	С	С	С	С	С	16-3-30(d)(9)
Commercial Recreation, Outdoor	N	N	N	N	С	N	N	Р	N	С	С	С	16-3-30(d)(10
Commercial Recreation, Indoor (Large)	N	N	N	N	М	М	М	P*	N	N	N	N	
Commercial Recreation, Indoor (Small)	N	N	N	N	Р	Р	Р	Р	N	N	N	N	
Recreational Vehicle Park	N	N	N	М	N	N	N	М	N	Ν	N	Ν	16-3-30(d)(11

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⁹¹ Marijuana is a proposed use subcategory for cannabis retail establishments. The names of these uses have been modified for consistency but no other changes are proposed or recommended at this time.

⁹² Personal Services is a new use subcategory to organize commercial personal service uses. The approach for this draft is to include self-serve laundromats separately due to the higher traffic and parking needs while all other personal service uses would be regulated based on size (see definitions).

⁹³ Recreation and Entertainment is proposed as a use subcategory for indoor and outdoor uses of this type. The existing Outdoor Amusement use has been renamed to clarify the commercial nature of the use and new uses are proposed for Indoor Commercial Recreation (theaters, bowling alleys, etc.). The RV Park use is moved here from the residential uses due to its commercial nature and similarity with the Campground use.

⁹⁴ Retail is a new subcategory used to expand upon the existing Retail Sales and Rental Establishments use (now: General Retail, Large). Like personal services, retail is proposed to be regulated based on the size of the use (see definitions).

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Proposed Districts	R1	R2	R3	R4	MN	МС	MD	МН	IN	AG	os	CF	Use-Specific Standards
General Retail, Large	N	N	N	N	М	М	М	P*	N	N	N	N	16-3-30(d)(13
General Retail, Small	N	N	N	N	Р	Р	Р	Р	N	N	N	N	16-3-30(d)(13
Vehicles and Equipment ⁹⁵													
Gasoline Service Stations and Car Wash	N	N	N	N	М	М	N	Р	N	N	N	N	
Manufactured Home and RV Sales and Service	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Р	С	N	N	N	
Vehicle Sales and Service	N	N	N	N	P*	С	С	P*	С	N	N	N	
Industrial Uses													
Manufacturing and Processing ⁹⁶													
Brewery or Bottling Plant	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	P*	P*	N	N	N	16-3-30(e)(1
Commercial Laundry and Dry Cleaning	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	С	P*	N	N	N	
Manufacturing, Artisan	N	N	N	N	P*	P*	P*	Р	Р	С	N	N	16-3-30(e)(2
Manufacturing, Heavy	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	С	С	N	N	N	
Manufacturing, Light	N	N	N	N	С	С	N	P*	Р	N	N	N	16-3-30(e)(3
Marijuana ⁹⁷													
Marijuana Cultivation	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	С	С	N	N	16-3-30(e)(4
Marijuana Product Testing and Manufacturing	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	С	С	С	N	N	16-3-30(e)(5
Storage and Warehousing ⁹⁸													

⁹⁵ Vehicles and Equipment is the final commercial subcategory and encompasses the existing uses of this type.

⁹⁶ Manufacturing and Processing is proposed as a use subcategory to expand on the existing use types. An industrial-scale brewery use, commercial laundry/dry cleaning, and artisan manufacturing use (very low impact arts/crafts use) are proposed new uses. The Code Assessment recommended additional detailed use types, but Clarion doesn't recommend making this more complex than necessary.

⁹⁷ A second Marijuana use subcategory is proposed to organize non-retail cannabis uses.

⁹⁸ Storage and Warehousing is proposed as a use subcategory to organize the many existing warehousing uses. A new mini-storage use is proposed to differentiate it from larger-scale storage or equipment.

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Proposed Districts	R1	R2	R3	R4	MN	МС	MD	МН	IN	AG	os	CF	Use-Specific Standards
Salvage Yard	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	P*	N	N	N	
Self-Storage or Mini- Warehouse	N	N	N	N	С	N	С	С	Р	N	N	N	16-3-30(e)(6)
Storage of Hazardous Liquids and Gases	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	С	N	N	N	
Storage Yard	Ν	N	N	N	N	N	N	Р	Р	N	N	Р	
Warehouse, Enclosed Storage, or Truck Terminal	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Р	Р	N	N	N	
Wholesale	N	N	N	N	М	N	N	Р	М	N	N	Ν	
Utilities ⁹⁹													
Communications Facility	N	N	N	N	С	С	N	С	P*	С	P*	P*	16-3-30(e)(7)
Utility, Major	С	С	С	С	С	С	С	С	С	С	С	С	
Utility, Minor	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	
Accessory Uses ¹⁰⁰													
Accessory Building or Structure	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	
Accessory Dwelling Unit	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	N	P*	N	N	16-3-40(1)
Commercial Outdoor Storage, Accessory	N	N	N	N	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	16-3-40(2)
Drive Through	N	N	N	N	С	С	N	Р	N	N	N	N	16-3-40(3)
Home Occupation	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	N	Р	N	N	16-3-40(4)
Outdoor Retail and Display	N	N	N	N	Р	Р	Р	Р	N	Р	N	N	16-3-40(5)

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Sale of Produce and Plants Raised on Premises	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	P*	Р	N	Р	Р	Р	16-3-40(6)
Street Patio	N	N	N	N	С	С	С	С	N	N	N	N	16-3-40(7)
Temporary Uses ¹⁰¹													
Construction Support Activity	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	16-3-50(1)
Outdoor Vendor	N	N	N	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	16-3-50(2)
Temporary Special Event	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	P*	16-3-50(3)

⁹⁹ Utilities is proposed as a use subcategory to organize utility-type industrial uses. This subcategory could also be located with Public, Institutional, and Civic Uses if that is preferred. In addition to Communication Facilities, we recommend establishing separate uses for major utilities (larger power stations, substations, water treatment facilities, etc.) and minor utilities (smaller versions of the same uses and less-impacting uses like water storage tanks). This approach leaves a lot up to staff discretion when determining major vs. minor.

¹⁰⁰ Accessory Uses is a new use category to consolidate several existing accessory uses currently located alongside primary uses. New names are proposed for Drive-In Food and Beverage Facilities (now: Drive Through), and Downtown Street Patio (now: Street Patio)

¹⁰¹ Temporary Uses is a new use category to organize existing and proposed uses that are seasonal, do not occur at the same location, or are otherwise temporary. The existing Temporary Commercial Activities use is renamed Temporary Retail and Display. New uses are proposed to include construction activities and special events.



16-3-30 Use-Specific Standards

COMMENTARY

This section primarily carries forward the standards from Sec. 16-4-190. Our general intention is to not require more than is necessary, so additional standards are only proposed where Clarion sees a need. This reflects the goals of this Code update to create a more user-friendly and predictable document that removes barriers to the type of development the City wants to see.

Notable changes from the existing Code include additional standards for manufactured homes to ensure that the use is compatible with neighborhoods influenced by the consolidation of the R-3 and R-4 districts. Group home standards are also updated to ensure compliance with the Fair Housing Amendments Act of 1988 (FHAA), which has been interpreted by the courts to ensure that housing for FHAA protected classes, including group homes for people with disabilities, is not regulated or treated differently from housing for non-disabled people. Finally, new uses outlined in Table 3-A often include new standards to ensure high quality development is provided.

Existing regulations for conditional uses are addressed in Article 16-8, Administration and Procedures, and a removed from this section because they are more procedural than other standards in this section.

(a) General Applicability 102

- (1) The use-specific standards listed in this section shall apply to those uses listed on the same line of the Table 3-A, regardless of their respective level of permission.
- (2) These use-specific standards cannot be modified through the conditional use permitting process, but relief may be granted through the variance procedure established in Section 16-8-70(a).
- (3) In case of a conflict between these use-specific standards and the standards in Article 16-7, *Historic Preservation*, these use-specific standards shall apply unless otherwise noted.

(b) Residential Uses

(1) Dwelling, Single-Family (Multiple Principal)

a. Design and Layout 103

- **1.** Each principal structure shall have its own municipal services, including water and sewer, in accordance with Chapter 13.
- 2. In the R1 district, no more than two principal dwellings are permitted per lot. 104

b. Location and Access

- **1.** Required parking shall be provided on the site.
- **2.** Access for both structures shall be consolidated to reduce curb cuts and shall be provided through alleys where available.

(2) Dwelling, Townhouse

In the R1 district, no more than two principal dwellings are permitted per lot. 105

 $^{^{102}}$ New. We commonly includes this language to clarify the applicability of these standards. It replaces the existing language in Sec. $^{16-4-190(a)}$

¹⁰³ New design and layout standard to describe design elements that should be compatible. Existing standard was arbitrary and could be interpreted to prevent development of desirable 2-story buildings if surrounded by 1-story structures.

¹⁰⁴ New.

¹⁰⁵ New.

(3) Dwelling, Co-Housing 106

a. Design and Layout

- 1. The maximum size of each co-housing unit is 1,200 square feet of conditioned living space.
- 2. A shared open space containing a minimum of ten percent of the project area shall be provided.
- **3.** Underlying zoning district lot size and setback requirements shall apply to the project site boundaries as a whole, but not to individual co-housing dwellings.
- **4.** Each detached co-housing dwelling unit shall be separated by a minimum of five feet, subject to Building Code.
- **5.** Each co-housing dwelling unit shall be on a permanent foundation and shall connect to public water and sanitary sewer.
- **6.** One accessory storage structure less than 200 square feet may be permitted per unit.
- 7. One accessory storage structure less than 600 square feet may be permitted as a shared maintenance storage facility for the co-housing project. Said structure shall be enclosed on all sides and separated from other structures by a minimum of five feet.
- 8. Outdoor storage is prohibited.

b. Location and Access

- 1. Access drives within a co-housing dwelling development shall be constructed to City standards.
- 2. Parking and access drives shall be designed to limit curb cuts and most efficiently park vehicles.

c. Operation and Ownership

- **1.** Co-housing projects may be organized as condominiums, cooperatives, or other form allowed by state law.
- 2. New co-housing dwelling developments shall enter into a development agreement with the City requiring the condominium or other property owner's association to maintain all streets, utilities, and infrastructure that is not dedicated to and accepted by the City.
- 3. Co-housing dwelling units shall not be used as a short-term rental as defined by Article 16-10.

(4) Dwelling, Live/Work¹⁰⁷

- **a.** Residential areas shall be located on upper floors above non-residential areas, or in the rear of the building behind non-residential areas.
- **b.** The non-residential use shall be owned and operated by a resident of the live-work dwelling unit.

(5) Manufactured Home 108

A single- or multi-unit manufactured home outside of a manufactured home park shall comply with the standards of the underlying zone district, except as otherwise specified in this Code.

(6) Manufactured Home Park

a. Applicability

- **1.** Any five or more manufactured homes on a single lot of record shall be considered a manufactured home park.
- **2.** New manufactured home parks shall comply with the standards of the underlying zone district, except as otherwise specified in this Code.
- **3.** Manufactured home parks existing as of June 3, 2002 may maintain the plan currently on file with the City Clerk.

¹⁰⁶ New use. New standards proposed.

¹⁰⁷ New use. New standards proposed.

¹⁰⁸ New standards proposed for manufactured homes outside of manufacture home parks.

4. Any existing manufactured home park that alters the adopted plan shall bring the entire plan into conformance with this Code.

b. Design and Layout 109

- 1. A manufactured home park shall not exceed the maximum allowable density of the respective zoning district.
- 2. All manufactured homes and accessory structures shall have a minimum setback of 15 feet from the boundaries of the manufactured home park.¹¹⁰
- **3.** All manufactured homes shall have a minimum setback of ten feet from any other manufactured home. All accessory structures shall have a minimum setback of five feet from any other structure.
- **4.** A shared open space containing a minimum of ten percent of the project area shall be provided. The open space shall be improved and designed for recreation and shall not include any roadways, private space, storage area, or natural hazard area.
- **5.** One accessory storage structure less than 200 square feet may be permitted per manufactured home. Outdoor storage is prohibited.
- **6.** One accessory storage structure less than 600 square feet may be permitted as a shared maintenance storage facility for the manufactured home project. Said structure shall be enclosed on all sides and separated from other structures by a minimum of three feet.
- **7.** No manufactured home shall be located within a 100-year floodplain. Manufactured home parks shall be drained, graded, and surfaced to facilitate drainage and prevent erosion, and shall be free from depressions in which water collects and stagnates, other than approved on-site retention facilities.

c. Location and Access

1. Parking 111

- **a)** One guest parking space shall be provided in a common parking area for every five manufactured home spaces in the development.
- **b)** No manufactured home shall be located so that any part of such unit will obstruct any roadway or walkway in the development.
- c) No manufactured home shall be occupied unless the unit is located on an approved unit space.

2. Access

- a) Internal roadways shall provide access to each manufactured home and parking area unless otherwise approved by Public Works Director, and shall be privately owned and maintained.
- **b)** The entrance to the manufactured home park shall be from a public road, at least 150 feet from any public street intersection, and at least 20 feet in width. 112

d. Operation and Ownership

1. Utilities

- a) Each manufactured dwelling unit shall connect to public water, electrical, and sanitary sewer.
- **b)** All utilities, except major power transmission lines, shall be placed underground.

¹⁰⁹ Existing standards on the minimum space size based on type of unit have been removed. Maximum density standard should address this issue similarly and in a more intuitive way. Side setback is reduced from 20 to 10 feet.

¹¹⁰ Pending additional conversations with the Building Department this setback distance may be reduced.

¹¹¹ Vehicle parking standards may be relocated to development standards in subsequent drafts.

¹¹² Access width reduced from 30 feet.

2. Replacement of Manufactured Homes

- **a)** Replacement manufactured homes shall meet the National Manufactured Home Construction and Safety Standards Act of 1974 (HUD Code).
- **b)** A conforming manufactured home within a nonconforming manufactured home park may be replaced with another manufactured home if the replacement manufactured home does not result in an increase in the degree of nonconformity of the manufactured home park.

(7) Group Home, Large 113

- **a.** A Large Group Home may be established in any Residential zoning district or portion of a Mixed-Use zoning district or PD district that permits Multi-Family Residential dwellings, provided that they meet the definition of Large Group Home in Section 16-10-20, and are located in zoning districts where facilities of that size are allowed pursuant to Table 3-A, and subject to the licensing requirements of the state and the City of Salida.
- **b.** A Large Group Home shall comply with all applicable local, state, or federal health, safety, fire, and building codes.
- **c.** In the R4 district, a Large Group Home shall be established within a manufactured home.

(8) Group Home, Small¹¹⁴

- **a.** A Small Group Home may be established in any Residential zoning district or portion of a Mixed-Use zoning district or PD district that permits residential dwellings, provided that they meet the definition of Small Group Home in Section 16-10-20, and are located in zoning districts where facilities of that size are allowed pursuant to Table 3-A, and subject to the licensing requirements of the state and the City of Salida.
- **b.** A Small Group Home shall comply with all applicable local, state, or federal health, safety, fire, and building codes.
- c. In the R4 district, a Small Group Home shall be established within a manufactured home.

(9) Single-Room Occupancy 115

a. Design and Layout

- 1. Each unit shall include a sink, toilet, and shower.
- 2. Each unit shall include a refrigerator, microwave oven, food preparation area, and food storage.
- **3.** A stove, conventional oven, and food preparation area shall be provided within each unit or in common areas for every four units.
- **4.** Personal storage space shall be provided within each unit.

b. Operation and Ownership

Facilities with 12 or more rooms shall have a resident on-site manager.

(c) Public, Institutional, and Civic Uses

(1) Day Care (Adult and Center)

a. Location and Access

1. In addition to any parking required for other uses of the property, one off-street parking space shall be provided for nonresident employee. 116

¹¹³ Neighborhood density standard removed to ensure compliance with FHAA.

¹¹⁴ Neighborhood density standard removed to ensure compliance with FHAA.

¹¹⁵ New use. New standards proposed.

¹¹⁶ Consider addressing parking standards with all other parking standards in Article 16-4 in future draft.

2. One designated off-street drop-off/pick-up space shall be provided for every four children or clients and shall be available during operating hours for loading and unloading of children and clients.

b. Operation and Ownership

- 1. The facility shall be licensed by the state and comply with all applicable state codes.
- **2.** The hours of operation for the day care may be restricted in residential neighborhoods to limit adverse impacts of noise and traffic on neighboring properties.

(2) Day Care Home

- a. Shall meet all certification and licensing requirements of the State of Colorado.
- b. Shall be operated by a person who resides in the same dwelling where childcare is provided.
- c. Shall not serve more than 12 children.

(d) Commercial Uses

(1) Kennel¹¹⁷

a. Design and Layout

- 1. Areas of the facility dedicated to animal boarding shall be fully enclosed and secured and shall be sufficiently insulated so no unreasonable noise or odor can be detected off premises.
- **2.** Outdoor activity areas of animal care facilities shall be located and designed to minimize impacts on surrounding properties.

b. Location and Access

Kennels with outdoor activities shall not be located within 300 feet of a residential lot in a residential zoning district. Kennels that are entirely enclosed (indoor) shall not be located within 100 feet of a residential lot in a residential zoning district.

c. Operation and Ownership

Between the hours of 7:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m., all boarding and activities shall occur indoors.

(2) Veterinary Clinic or Hospital 118

Veterinary clinics or hospitals shall comply with the standards for outdoor activity established for Kennels.

(3) Bed and Breakfast 119

- **a.** Bed and breakfast lodging shall not be allowed in any dwelling unit(s) permitted as an Accessory Dwelling Unit.
- **b.** The establishment shall be owner-occupied.
- **c.** No cooking facilities such as stoves, hot plates, or microwave ovens shall be provided in the guest rooms.

(4) Short-Term Rental¹²⁰

To ensure that the rental of private dwelling units as short-term rentals does not result in adverse impacts to the quality of residential neighborhoods due to excessive noise, parking congestion, and overcrowding and the availability of dwelling units for long term rentals, the following standards shall apply:

¹¹⁷ New standards for new use.

¹¹⁸ New standards proposed for existing use.

¹¹⁹ New standards proposed for existing use.

¹²⁰ Existing standards are carried forward with minor edits to ensure consistent language and structure and reflect where this use is permitted in the Table of Allowed Uses. The purpose statement is not carried forward.

a. Location and Access

- 1. The maximum number of short-term rentals in the R1, R2, R3, and R4 districts shall not exceed 3.5 percent of the total number of dwelling units eligible as short-term rentals (not including apartment units and accessory dwelling units) in those residential zones. This number shall be based on the survey of dwelling units in the residential zones completed in 2017 with the addition of new dwelling unit (with a certificate of occupancy) totals each year, added in December. Permitted short-term rentals in existence at the time of the adoption of this section shall be included in the calculation of the maximum number of units allowed. In the event the maximum number has been met, no new applications for short-term rentals will be accepted. If a waiting list for short-term rentals in the residential zones exists, new permits, once available, will be issued based on the ability of the applicant to comply with the conditions in this section and the licensing requirements in Chapter 6 Article VI of the Municipal Code on a first come first serve basis.
- 2. The maximum number of short-term rentals in the MN, MC, MH, and MD districts shall not exceed the caps set forth in Section 6-6-20. In the event the maximum number has been met, no new applications for short-term rentals will be accepted. If a waiting list for short-term rentals in the non-residential zones exists, new permits, once available, will be issued based on the ability of the applicant to comply with the conditions in this Section and the licensing requirements in Chapter 6 Article VI of the Municipal Code on a first come first serve basis.
- **3.** In the R1, R2, R3, and R4 districts, no more than one short-term rental is permitted per street segment, which includes the dwelling units on both sides of the street.

b. Registration and Licensing

- 1. Short-term rentals shall comply with Chapter 6 Article VI of the Salida Municipal Code, which establishes the conditions under which a property owner may apply for a short-term rental business license.
- 2. A separate short-term license is required for each short-term rental property. The permit shall be issued only to the owner of the short-term rental property. No more than one short-term rental permit is permitted per property owner, which for these purposes shall be considered the person controlling a corporate owner. Owners of property purchased, or under valid and executed contract to be purchased, in the MN, MC, MH, and MD districts, prior to December 19, 2021, are excepted from the preceding sentence, provided that the unit existed or had a valid building permit for construction before December 19, 2021, and provided that the short-term license applications are filed on or before June 1, 2022. All short-term rental permits shall be granted solely to the applicant at the address for which the permit is issued and shall not be transferable to any other person or legal entity or property. The owner of the short-term rental is responsible for compliance with the provisions of this section and Chapter 6 Article VI pertaining to short-term rental licensing.
- **3.** Properties that cannot comply with the criteria set forth in this section and in Chapter 6 Article VI of the Salida Municipal Code may appeal the decision of the Director per Section 16-8-70(c), *Appeals*.

c. Operation and Ownership

- 1. Short-term rentals are not permitted in multi-family dwellings at any time in any zone district. 121
- **2.** Applicants wishing to rent an individual room(s) on a short-term basis in an owner-occupied dwelling unit shall comply with the standards for Bed and Breakfast per Table 3-A.
- **3.** Each short-term rental unit shall have a clearly visible notice posted within the unit that includes the following:
 - a) Contact information for the property management;
 - **b)** The short-term rental business license number issued by the City;
 - c) Contact information for emergencies;
 - d) Location of fire extinguishers and fire escape routes;

¹²¹ Updated terminology from "apartment building" to match table of allowed uses.

- e) The maximum permitted sleeping occupancy;
- The maximum number of persons permitted in the unit at any time;
- The location for parking vehicles and the maximum number of parked vehicles permitted for
- **h)** Alternative parking locations for extra vehicles, trailers, and campers;
- Requirements for smoking;
- Method and timing of trash disposal;
- Snow removal instructions;
- Notice to keep noise to a minimum between 10:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m.;
- m) The total number of bedrooms; and
- n) Policy regarding pets.
- 4. In the R1, R2, R3, and R4 districts, short-term rentals shall be rented as a short-term rental for no more than 185 calendar days a year.
- 5. Quiet hours shall be observed between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m.
- No short-term rental shall be operated in such a way as to constitute a nuisance.
- 7. The maximum number of occupants permitted in a short-term rental shall be established at the time of initial unit licensing. Events, such as concerts and wedding events are prohibited.
- The designated parking for vehicles of short-term rental quests shall be addressed at the shortterm rental application and licensing stage, and shall meet the off-street parking standards identified in Table 16-J.

(5) Medical Marijuana Store

- a. Any medical marijuana store shall be operated from a permanent and fixed location. No medical marijuana center shall be located in a movable, mobile, or transitory location.
- **b.** No medical marijuana store shall be located within 1,000 feet of another medical marijuana store. Distance shall be calculated using the standard established in the Colorado Medical Marijuana Code.
- No medical marijuana center or retail marijuana store shall be located within 1,000 feet of a School or Daycare. Distance shall be calculated using the standard established in the Colorado Medical Marijuana Code.

(6) Retail Marijuana Store 122

- a. Any retail marijuana store shall be operated from a permanent and fixed location. No retail marijuana center shall be located in a movable, mobile, or transitory location.
- b. No retail marijuana store shall be located within 1,000 feet of another retail marijuana store. Distance shall be calculated using the standard established in the Colorado Medical Marijuana Code.
- No retail marijuana center or retail marijuana store shall be located within 1,000 feet of a School or Daycare. Distance shall be calculated using the standard established in the Colorado Medical Marijuana Code.

(7) Adult Entertainment

a. Design and Layout

1. Exterior doors shall remain closed during business hours.

¹²² Medical Marijuana Store standards are adapted and applied to retail marijuana stores.

- **2.** All materials, projections, entertainment, or other activities involving or depicting sexual activities or sexual anatomical areas shall not be visible from off-premises areas or from portions of an establishment accessible to minors.
- **3.** Sounds from projections, entertainment, or other activities shall not be audible from off-premises areas.
- **4.** Advertisements, displays, or other promotional materials depicting sexual activities or sexual anatomical areas shall not be visible from any public or semi-public area.
- **5.** All building openings, entries, and windows shall be located, covered, or screened to prevent the interior from being viewed from any public or semi-public area.

b. Location and Access

- 1. Adult entertainment establishments shall not be located within 1,000 feet of another adult entertainment establishment, measured from the nearest exterior wall of the proposed adult entertainment establishment to the nearest exterior wall of any other adult entertainment establishment.
- 2. Adult entertainment establishments shall not be located within 250 feet of the following protected uses, measured from the nearest exterior wall of the proposed adult entertainment establishment to the nearest lot boundary of the protected use, provided such protected use is established on or before the date the application for the proposed adult entertainment establishment is filed: 124
 - a) Day care homes and day care centers; or
 - **b)** Schools.
- **3.** Adult entertainment establishments shall not be located within 200 feet of the following zoning district boundaries: R1, R2, R3, R4, or MN measured from the nearest exterior wall of the proposed adult entertainment establishment to the nearest edge of the zoning district boundary.

c. Operation and Ownership

- 1. No licensee, manager, or employee serving food or drinks or mingling with the patrons shall be nude or in a state of nudity.
- **2.** Separate restroom facilities shall be provided for employees and independent contractors that shall only be accessible by employees and independent contractors.
- **3.** No licensee, manager, or employee shall encourage or knowingly permit any person, including patrons, to engage in prohibited sexual activities on the premises. Such conduct is unlawful and shall be subject to penalties, as set forth in Chapter 1, Article IV of this Code.
- **4.** Adult entertainment establishments shall be closed to the public between the hours of 1:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m.
- **5.** No one under 18 years of age, including patrons, licensees, managers, employees, agents, and independent contractors, shall be admitted into any adult entertainment establishment, unless alcohol is served, in which case all relevant city, state and federal liquor regulations shall apply.
- 6. Any person who operates or causes to be operated an adult entertainment establishment without a valid license issued pursuant to Chapter 6, Article VIII of the Code or who violates any provision of this Subsection commits unlawful conduct and shall be subject to an injunction, civil penalties, and criminal penalties, as set forth in Chapter 1, Article IV of this Code.
- **7.** Each day of operation in violation of any provision of this Subsection shall constitute a separate offense.

(8) Adult Bookstore/Novelty

a. Design and Layout

1. Exterior doors shall remain closed during business hours.

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¹²⁴ Setbacks increased to 250 feet from 200 feet.

- **2.** All materials, projections, or other activities involving or depicting sexual activities or sexual anatomical areas shall not be visible from off-premises areas or from portions of an establishment accessible to minors.
- **3.** Advertisements, displays, or other promotional materials depicting sexual activities or sexual anatomical areas shall not be visible from any public or semi-public area.
- **4.** All building openings, entries, and windows shall be located, covered, or screened to prevent the interior from being viewed from any public or semi-public area.

b. Location and Access

- 1. Adult bookstores, adult novelty shops and adult video stores shall not be located within 200 feet of the following protected uses, measured from the nearest exterior wall of the proposed adult bookstore, adult novelty shop and adult video store to the nearest lot boundary of the protected use, provided such protected use is established on or before the date the application for the proposed adult bookstore, adult novelty shop and adult video store is filed:
 - a) Day care homes and day care centers; or
 - **b)** Schools.
- **2.** Adult bookstores, adult novelty shops, and adult video stores shall not be located within 150 feet of the following zoning district boundaries: R1, R2, R3, R4, OS, or CF measured from the nearest exterior wall of the proposed adult bookstore, adult novelty shop and adult video store to the nearest edge of the zoning district boundary. 125

c. Operation and Ownership

- 1. Adult bookstores, adult novelty shops and adult video stores shall be closed to the public between the hours of 1:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m.
- 2. No one under 18 years of age, including patrons, managers, employees, agents, and independent contractors, shall be permitted within any adult bookstore, adult novelty shop or adult video store. Should a conventional bookstore, or any retail establishment, display printed materials or other items for sale as described within the definition of adult bookstores in Section 16-1-80, such materials shall be segregated from the rest of the retail or bookstore and no one under the 18 years of age shall be permitted within such section of the store.

(9) Campground 126

a. Design and Layout

- 1. Plumbed sanitary facilities shall include a minimum of one men's and one women's toilet, lavatory, and shower for each 15 spaces, subject to the requirements of the adopted building and plumbing codes.
- 2. Tent pads and camper sites shall be no greater than 30 feet in length or width.

b. Operation and Ownership

- 1. The principal business of a campground shall be to provide sites for tents and travel trailers.
- 2. An on-site manager shall be available at all times.
- 3. In the AG district, a campground shall only be permitted as an accessory use. 127

(10) Commercial Recreation, Outdoor

In the AG district, a campground shall only be permitted as an accessory use. 128

¹²⁵ Setback distance decreased from 200 feet to 150 feet.

¹²⁶ New standards for existing use.

¹²⁷ New.

¹²⁸ New.

(11) Recreational Vehicle Park 129

a. Design and Layout

1. General

- a) A recreational vehicle park shall be developed and operated on a site of at least two acres.
- **b)** Each recreational vehicle unit space shall by surfaced with asphalt, concrete, or gravel of at least four inches in depth and shall be no less than ten feet by 30 feet to ensure a recreational vehicle can be parked in its entirety on the surfaced area.
- c) All permanent structures and recreational vehicles shall be setback as follows:
 - 1) A minimum of 15 feet from all boundaries of the park.
 - 2) A minimum of 10 feet from all other permanent structures or recreational vehicles.
 - **3)** Any accessory structure such as attached awnings or carports for purposes of this separation requirement shall be considered part of the recreational vehicle.

2. Recreation Area

A recreational vehicle park shall designate an area for recreational use with the following standards:

- a) At least ten percent of the gross area of the park shall be improved and designated for recreation use.
- **b)** The open space shall be improved and designed for recreation and shall not include any roadways, private space, storage area, or natural hazard area.
- c) The recreation area shall count toward the minimum landscape area standard of the underlying zone district.

3. Service Building 130

A service building shall be installed in all recreational vehicle parks and shall meet the following standards:

- Each toilet, bath, or shower shall be in a private compartment and shall meet City plumbing code.
- **b)** A sound-retardant wall shall separate the toilet facilities for each gender when provided in a single building.
- **c)** A minimum of one utility sink shall be provided for disposal of liquid wastes and for clean-up and maintenance of the service building.

b. Location and Access

- 1. Internal roadways shall provide access to each recreational vehicle space, and shall be privately owned, paved, and maintained.
- 2. The entrance to the recreational vehicle park shall be from a public road, at least 150 feet from any public street intersection, and at least 30 feet in width.
- **3.** No recreational vehicle shall be parked so that any part of such unit will obstruct any roadway or walkway in the park.
- **4.** No recreational vehicle shall be occupied in the park unless the unit is located on an approved unit space.

¹²⁹ Standards are generally carried forward. Modifications are proposed to ensure language used is consistent. Standard related to development standards (e.g., parking, lighting, landscaping, etc.) are proposed to be located along with those standards.

¹³⁰ Removed standards related to the materials to be used on floors, number of telephones, requiring proper lighting and ventilation, related to fire hydrants and fire extinguishers, and requiring screens on windows. These are overly detailed or addressed by fire and building code. The City can include these items on a checklist or administrative manual as opposed to detailing in the Code.

c. Operation and Ownership 131

- 1. Dump stations may be installed, in accordance with City specifications. 132
- **2.** One container for trash and one container for recycling shall be provided within 200 feet of each recreational vehicle space.
- **3.** Plumbed sanitary facilities shall include a minimum of one men's and one women's toilet, lavatory, and shower for each 15 spaces, subject to the requirements of the adopted building and plumbing codes.¹³³
- **4.** An on-site manager shall be available at all times.

(12) Recreational Vehicle (Long-Term Occupancy) 134

- a. Except as otherwise provided for in this section, recreational vehicles may be occupied for residential or commercial use for no more than five days on private property within a 30-day period. Otherwise, recreational vehicles shall be used for residential use only when permitted by an approved minor site plan in accordance with this chapter or when located within a lawful mobile home park or recreational vehicle park. Occupancy of a recreational vehicle for commercial or residential use in excess of this limit shall be deemed a long-term occupancy of such vehicle and shall only be permitted by an approved minor site plan in designated zone districts in accordance with the standards of such underlying zone district and as specified herein.
- b. Recreational Vehicle (Long-Term Occupancy) shall only be permitted if the following standards are met:
 - **1.** All long-term occupancy recreational vehicles shall have a minimum square footage of 120 square feet and hard-sided exteriors.
 - 2. The minimum setbacks for long-term occupancy recreational vehicles shall meet the standards for a primary structure in the underlying zone district. Additionally, no portion of a long-term occupancy recreational vehicles may be located between a primary building or structure and the front lot line.
 - 3. Long-term occupancy recreational vehicles shall be separated from each other and from other structures by at least ten feet. Any accessory structure such as attached awnings or carport shall be considered part of the recreational vehicle for purposes of this requirement.
 - **4.** Only one access shall be granted to a site with long-term occupancy recreational vehicles. The access point must be from an alley where alley access is available.
 - **5.** Every long-term occupancy recreational vehicle shall be equipped at all times with fire extinguishing equipment in good working order of such type, size and number and so located as prescribed by the Fire Marshal, with reference to the City's standards and fire codes.
 - **6.** Long-term occupancy recreational vehicles shall not be used as a short-term rental as defined by Article 16-10.
 - 7. No more than one long-term occupancy recreational vehicle may be permitted per lot.

(13) General Retail, Small and Large 135

Goods may be produced incidentally within a retail sales establishment and be sold in the local area, provided that:

- **a.** The retail portion of the establishment fronts the primary street.
- **b.** Production shall be limited to no more than 70 percent of the area of the retail establishment.
- **c.** Production shall not pose any safety or environmental hazards to the public in the retail or production area.

¹³¹ Standards that simply state that utilities or facilities must meet code have been removed since that should be assumed.

¹³² In discussion with Public Works Department a dump station may be required over a certain number of RV spaces in a future draft.

¹³³ Simpler standard is proposed for provision of toilets, urinals, lavatories, and showers.

¹³⁴ Minor changes to existing standards are proposed (e.g., limit to one RV per lot and no short-term rental).

¹³⁵ Existing general retail standards carried forward, but only applied to small retail.

(e) Industrial Uses

(1) Brewery or Bottling Plant 136

- **a.** Production, processing, and storage of all materials and equipment shall be located entirely within an enclosed building.
- b. Loading and unloading of products shall not occur between the hours of 9:00 p.m. and 8:00 a.m.

All activities shall occur entirely within an enclosed structure.

(3) Manufacturing, Light 139

- **a.** Production, processing, and storage of all materials and equipment shall be located entirely within an enclosed building.
- b. Loading and unloading of products shall not occur between the hours of 9:00 p.m. and 8:00 a.m.
- c. Retail sales associated with this use shall comprise no more than 25 percent of the gross floor area.

(4) Marijuana Cultivation

a. Location and Access

No marijuana cultivation facility shall be located within 1,000 feet of a School. Distance shall be calculated using the standard established in the Colorado Medical Marijuana Code.

b. Operation and Ownership

- 1. Marijuana cultivation facilities shall be established in compliance with the licensing requirements of Section 6-1-140.
- 2. A marijuana cultivation facility shall not produce unreasonable noise, electrical or magnetic interference, vibrations, heat, glare, odors, fumes, smoke, dust, traffic or parking demand, or another public nuisance, and shall not operate between 8 p.m. and 7 a.m.
- **3.** All on-site activities associated with the marijuana cultivation facility shall be conducted indoors. Materials and equipment used in the marijuana cultivation facilities shall be stored in a building.
- 4. The use complies with all applicable health and safety codes and a building permit for the use is obtained from the Chaffee County Building Department.

(5) Marijuana Product Testing and Manufacturing 140

a. Location and Access

No marijuana product testing and manufacturing facility shall be located within 1,000 feet of a School. Distance shall be calculated using the standard established in the Colorado Medical Marijuana Code.

b. Operation and Ownership

- **1.** Marijuana product testing and manufacturing facilities shall be established in compliance with the licensing requirements of Section 6-1-140.
- 2. A marijuana product testing and manufacturing facility shall not produce unreasonable noise, electrical or magnetic interference, vibrations, heat, glare, odors, fumes, smoke, dust, traffic or parking demand, or another public nuisance, and shall not operate between 8 p.m. and 7 a.m.
- **3.** All on-site activities associated with the marijuana product testing and manufacturing facility shall be conducted indoors. Materials and equipment used in the marijuana product manufacturing facilities shall be stored in a building.
- 4. The use complies with all applicable health and safety codes and a building permit for the use is obtained from the Chaffee County Building Department.

¹³⁶ New standards for new use.

¹³⁸ New standards for new use.

¹³⁹ New standards.

¹⁴⁰ New standards for existing use.

a. Design and Layout

- 1. Doors to individual storage units shall not face any abutting street frontage.
- 2. Individual storage units shall face the interior of the site.

b. Operation and Ownership

- 1. Self-storage facilities within 150 feet of a residential district or use shall have operating hours not earlier than 7:00 a.m. and not later than 10:00 p.m.
- Outdoor storage of boats, trailers, and vehicles shall be screened per Section 16-4-X, Fencing and Screening.
- **3.** The incidental retail sale of products associated with the business (e.g., boxes, moving supplies, locks, bubble wrap) is permitted.

(7) Communications Facility

a. Design and Layout

- The owner or operator of a proposed facility shall document in writing that it complies, and will
 continue to comply, with current Federal Communications Commission (FCC) standards for
 cumulative field measurements of radio frequency power densities and electromagnetic fields, and
 FCC regulations prohibiting localized interference with the reception of television and radio
 broadcasts.
- 2. A proposed facility, including antennae, shall not exceed the maximum structure height established for the zoning district in which the facility is to be located. Building- or structure-mounted antennas shall extend no more than 10 feet above the highest point of the building or structure to which they are attached.
- **3.** The maximum protrusion of mounted facilities from the building or structure to which they are attached shall be two feet unless it can be shown by the applicant that it is not feasible to meet this criterion.
- **4.** The siting of a proposed facility must utilize existing or new land forms, vegetation, landscaping, and structures so as to screen the facility from surrounding properties and public rights-of-way to the maximum extent feasible, and/or blend the facility with its surrounding environment.
- **5.** Facility design, materials, color, and support structures, if any, shall be compatible with the surrounding environment, and monopole antennae and/or support structures shall be tapered from base to tip.
- **6.** Any accessory equipment, shelters or components shall be grouped together as closely as possible and screened from view.

b. Operation and Ownership

All permits for communication facilities shall be subject to a bond or other adequate financial security posted by the permittee and deposited with the City to ensure the disassembly and removal of the facility upon the expiration of the facility. The bond or other security shall designate the City as beneficiary.

16-3-40 Accessory Uses and Structures

(1) Accessory Dwelling Unit

a. Design and Layout

- **1.** A legally permitted accessory dwelling unit (ADU) may be located internal to, attached to, or detached from a principal dwelling unit on the same lot.
- 2. No more than one accessory dwelling unit may be permitted on a single lot.

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¹⁴² New standards for new use.

- 3. An accessory dwelling unit within or attached to the principal dwelling may include no more than 1,000 square feet of conditioned living space provided that the remainder of the principal dwelling is greater in square footage than the ADU and provided that no more than 800 square feet of conditioned living space is located above the first floor. For principal dwellings existing prior to the effective date of Ordinance 2019-18, an internal ADU (only) may be permitted at any size provided that the remaining square footage of the existing principal dwelling is greater than that of the ADU.
- **4.** An accessory dwelling unit within a detached accessory building that is 16 feet or less in total height may include a maximum of 1,000 square feet of conditioned living space provided that the square footage of the principal dwelling is greater than that of the ADU.
- **5.** An accessory dwelling unit within a detached accessory building greater than 16 feet in total height shall not exceed 800 square feet of conditioned living space provided that the square footage of the principal dwelling is greater than that of the ADU.

There shall be one additional off-street parking space provided for the accessory dwelling unit. Where alley access to the property exists, the required parking for detached ADUs shall be accessed from the alley, unless sufficient off-street parking with unencumbered access to the ADU can be provided on the remainder of the lot, or as allowed for corner lots in Section 16-8-20(e)(1)(i).

c. Operation and Ownership

An accessory dwelling unit shall not be condominiumized or sold and shall not be rented for periods of less than 30 days. Maximum occupancy is determined per applicable fire code.

(2) Commercial Outdoor Storage, Accessory¹⁴⁶

- **a.** Outdoor storage areas are prohibited between any building façade and the front lot line. Outdoor storage areas may be permitted behind the rear of the primary structure or other areas that are obscured from the right-of-way, as determined by the Director.
- **b.** Outdoor storage areas shall not exceed 100 percent of the total gross square footage of all enclosed structures.
- **c.** Outdoor storage areas shall not obstruct access to recorded easements or vehicular or pedestrian circulation routes or obstruct sight triangles.
- **d.** Outdoor storage shall be opaquely screened from public view per Section 16-4-X, Fencing and Screening.

(3) Drive Through

- **1.** Drive-through lanes shall be separated from circulation lanes required to enter or exit the property. Drive-through lanes shall be marked by striping, pavement markings, or barriers.
- 2. Drive-through lanes shall be designed and located to minimize impacts on adjoining properties, including screening or buffers to minimize noise impacts. A fence, wall, or other opaque screen of at least six feet in height shall be provided on all sides of the site that are located adjacent to property that is zoned for or occupied by residential uses.
- 3. Drive-through lanes and stacking spaces are prohibited between the building façade and the front lot line. ¹⁴⁷Existing drive-through facilities in the MD district may be continued with approval of a conditional use permit per Section 16-80-50(c). ¹⁴⁸

¹⁴⁴ Parking standards have been removed to be addressed with development standards.

¹⁴⁶ New standards for new use.

¹⁴⁷ New standard.

¹⁴⁸ New standard to address continuation of drive throughs in MD district where they are no longer allowed.

(4) Home Occupation 149

a. Location and Access

One off-street parking space shall be required for each employee residing off-premises. These spaces shall be provided in addition to the parking required for the principal residential use of the property.

b. Operation and Ownership

- 1. The use of a dwelling for a home occupation shall be clearly incidental and subordinate to its use for residential purposes and shall not change its basic residential character. The use shall not exceed 30 percent of the total structure's square footage.
- **2.** All on-site activities associated with a home occupation, including the storage or materials and equipment, shall be conducted indoors. Outdoor display of goods is prohibited.
- **3.** A home occupation shall be conducted only by persons residing on the premises and no more than one employee residing off-premises.
- **4.** Incidental sale of supplies or products associated with the home occupation shall be permitted on the premises. Direct retail sales or rentals shall be prohibited, except mail, telephone, catalogue, or online sales. An appropriate sales tax license shall be obtained and maintained for the business.
- **5.** A home occupation shall not produce noise, electrical or magnetic interference, vibrations, heat, glare, odors, fumes, smoke, dust, traffic, or parking demand.
- **6.** Customer visits shall not occur between 8:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. and shall not create a public nuisance, disturb neighbors, or alter the residential character of the premises.
- **7.** Outdoor advertising of the home occupation or home business is limited to one, nine square-foot sign, except as provided in Article 16-6, *Signs*. ¹⁵¹

a. Design and Layout

The outdoor retail and display area shall be contained on an improved surface such as asphalt, concrete, or pavers, and such areas shall be limited to 100 percent of the gross floor area of the principle structure.

b. Operation and Ownership

- 1. The outdoor retail and display area shall obey all parking and traffic laws and shall not obstruct required parking, pedestrian or bicycle access or passage, parking lot circulation, or required landscape areas.
- **2.** The outdoor retail and display area shall be of the same nature as the permanent retail activity conducted on the property.

(6) Sale of Produce or Plants Raised on Premises¹⁵⁴

- a. The sale of produce or plants shall not include marijuana or marijuana products.
- **b.** No permanent structures shall be erected for sale of produce or plants.

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¹⁴⁹ Standards generally carried forward but unique standards for Home Business are removed – these uses have generally been listed as separate uses. Removed standards the require compliance with Fire and Building Code (should be implied) and updated retail sales standards, and operation hours to be less arbitrary.

¹⁵¹ This standard may be updated based on future changes to Article 16-6.

¹⁵³ New standards for new use.

¹⁵⁴ New standards for new use.

(7) Street Patio 155

a. Design and Layout

- 1. Outdoor dining areas, called street patios, shall not interfere with pedestrian access to any public or private door, shall provide at least four feet wide unobstructed sidewalk for pedestrian traffic, and shall not obstruct required parking or parking lot circulation.
- 2. Street patios in the public right-of-way shall not exceed a size of eight feet by 20 feet within the roadway. Street patios may extend into the sidewalk area by no more than one foot, so long as at least five feet of unobstructed sidewalk is maintained for pedestrian traffic.
- **3.** Accessibility ramps shall be provided where necessary but shall provide at least four feet of unobstructed sidewalk to be maintained for pedestrian traffic.
- **4.** Street patios shall not be located at intersections of streets or alleys in such a way as to block appropriate sight triangles and shall not obstruct access to city infrastructure such as water meters, curb shut-offs, manholes, and tree grates.
- **5.** Street patios shall show any proposed roof or covers as a part of the application to ensure appropriate sight triangles and unobstructed access is maintained.

b. Location and Access

- 1. Street patios shall only be considered on streets owned by the City of Salida.
- 2. No more than one street patio shall be permitted on each block, including both street frontages, unless the Director determines that the additional outdoor dining area will continue to allow pedestrian, bicycle, and vehicle traffic, and not overly restrict parking within the block.
- **3.** Street patios shall be located within 50 feet of the front door of the business being served by the outdoor dining area.
- **4.** The establishment served by the street patio shall provide at least one additional off-street parking space for customers or employees within ½ mile of the establishment. Verification shall be provided with the application. This requirement may be met by providing a fee-in-lieu of the parking space in an amount equal to and in addition to the lease amount as provided in the revocable license agreement. 156

c. Operation and Ownership

- 1. Street patios shall only be permitted when accessory to Food and Beverage uses unless the Director determines the alternative use has high customer turnover, is an attraction for pedestrians, adds to the intrinsic value of the use, enlivens the outdoor environment, promotes economic vitality, and protects the health, safety, and welfare of residents, pedestrians, businesses, and visitors.
- **2.** Street patios shall be allowed during the time of year the business is open. Establishments open year-round may be approved for year-round outdoor dining.
- **3.** The business shall be the responsible for snow removal from the public right-of-way that cannot be reached by City snowplows within 24 hours of a storm event.
- **4.** Signage is not allowed on the patios except for customer menus and signage approved by the Director for public purposes.
- Street patios shall not be combined with encroachment permits for use of sidewalks per Section 11 4-20 of the Salida Municipal Code.
- **6.** New street patios shall be approved for no more than one year. Existing street patios may be conditionally approved for more than one year.
- **7.** Business owners who receive conditional use approval for a street patio will have to enter into a revocable license agreement with the City, as approved by the City Council, prior to installation of the street patio.

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¹⁵⁵ Updated standards to remove description of where the use is allowed so it is based on the Table of Allowed Uses with expanded permissions in other zoning districts.

¹⁵⁶ Parking standards may be consolidated in development standards in a future draft.

16-3-50 Temporary Uses and Structures

(1) Construction Support Activity 157

Temporary office space and equipment storage may be approved when accessory to an approved construction project, including sales offices on residential development sites. Such structures and uses shall be located on the site no more than 30 days prior to the start of construction and shall be removed no more than 30 days after construction or all units are sold or leased, whichever is less.

(2) Outdoor Vendor¹⁵⁸

a. Location and Access

- 1. Only one permitted outdoor vendor is allowed per lot unless otherwise approved through the approved permit. More than one outdoor vendor may be permitted on one lot during special events with approval of a temporary use permit.
- 2. Outdoor vendors shall only be allowed when the commercial use itself is permitted in the zone district.
- **3.** Adequate parking shall be provided, as determined by the Director and the use shall not obstruct required parking, pedestrian or bicycle access or passage, or parking lot circulation.

b. Operation and Ownership

- 1. Outdoor vendors shall comply with Article II of Chapter 6 of the Salida Municipal Code, related to Temporary Commercial Activities/Vending Permits.
- **2.** Outdoor vendors shall comply with all applicable health and safety codes and a permit for the use is obtained from the Building Official.
- **3.** Outdoor vendors shall obtain written consent from the private property owner(s) of properties on which they intend to operate.
- **4.** Outdoor vendors shall maintain trash receptacles and all areas used for food vending in a safe and clean condition and must dispose of all waste in accordance with City regulations.
- **5.** Structures, canopies, tables, or chairs associated with the outdoor vendor are prohibited unless otherwise approved by the Director as part of the temporary use permit.

(3) Temporary Special Event¹⁵⁹

a. Location and Access

- **1.** Adequate parking shall be provided, as determined by the Director.
- 2. The event shall comply with all applicable health and safety codes and a permit for the use is obtained from the Director. The Fire District and Police Department shall determine that the site is accessible for public safety vehicles and equipment.
- **3.** The use shall comply with all applicable health and safety codes and a permit for the use is obtained from the Director.

b. Operation and Ownership

- 1. Temporary special events shall last no longer than three days in a calendar year.
- **2.** Adequate restroom facilities shall be provided, as determined by the Director.
- 3. Property owners adjacent to the proposed event shall be notified prior to approval.
- **4.** The proposed use shall comply with Article II of Chapter 6 of the Salida Municipal Code, related to Temporary Commercial Activities/Vending Permits.

¹⁵⁷ New standard for new use.

¹⁵⁸ Existing "Temporary Retail and Display" use is modified to accommodate mobile food vendors (e.g., food trucks).

¹⁵⁹ New standards for new use.



Article 16-4 Development & Design Standards

[To be submitted with Installment 3 – Development Standards]

Article 16-5 Subdivisions

[To be submitted with Installment 3 – Development Standards]

Article 16-6 Signs

[To be submitted with Installment 3 – Development Standards]

Article 16-7 Historic Preservation

[To be submitted with Installment 3 – Development Standards]

Article 16-8 Administration and Procedures

[Submitted with Installment 1 – Administration and Procedures]

Article 16-9 Inclusionary Housing

[To be submitted with Installment 3 – Development Standards]



Article 16-10 Rules of Construction and Definitions

COMMENTARY

This is the second installment of the definitions article, which will be built incrementally with each installment of the new code. The first installment included definitions related to the administration articles. This second installment includes definitions related to dimensions, use categories, and use types.

The definitions are proposed to be located, here, at the end of the document, which is typical to reduce the length of Article 16.01, General Provisions, and make the entire code more user-friendly. This section will become longer as definitions are added for all proposed use categories, use types, and as development standards are drafted. Footnotes will be used to highlight specific definitions that we or staff think merit a definition. As the list becomes finalized (i.e., no edits to the definition or concept are likely) we can begin illustrating and including in future drafts throughout the course of the project.

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Section 1-2-20 of this Chapter establishes rules that shall be observed and applied when interpreting the language of this Chapter unless the context clearly requires otherwise.

16-10-20 Definitions of Use Categories and Use Types

COMMENTARY

This section includes the defined terms of the general categories and specific use types listed in the main use table. The list is organized to match the structure of the use table, including definitions for use categories. Use category definitions are included to aid staff with defining new and unlisted uses. While some definitions are carried forward intact, many are new or revised to provide more clarity, consistent terminology across definitions, and to eliminate use-specific standards. Revisions and/or new uses are footnoted accordingly.

Residential Uses

Household Living

Uses characterized by residential occupancy of a dwelling unit by a "Family." Common accessory uses include recreational activities, raising of household pets, personal gardens, personal storage buildings, hobbies, and resident parking. Specific use types include:

Dwelling, Single-Family (Detached)

A detached principal dwelling designed for occupancy by one family as an independent living unit.

Two detached dwelling units located on a single lot designed or arranged to be occupied by two families living independently.

Dwelling, Duplex¹⁶³

A building with two dwelling units located on a single lot designed or arranged to be occupied by two families living independently. A duplex dwelling unit may have a side-by-side, front and back, or stacked configuration.

¹⁶⁰ Current 16-1-60.

¹⁶² Previously called "Multiple Principal Residential Structures." Previously undefined. New definition proposed.

¹⁶³ Existing use. Definition modified to include front and back duplexes and standardize language across dwelling definitions.

Dwelling, Townhouse 164

Two or more single-family dwelling units that are attached side by side under one roof that share a common vertical side or rear wall reaching from the building foundation to the roof structure, each of which is occupied by one family on its own lot or tract.

Dwelling, Multi-Family (3-4 Units)¹⁶⁵

A building with three or four dwelling units located on a single lot designed or arranged to be occupied by the same number of families living independently.

A building containing five or more separate dwelling units designed or arranged as independent living units.

Dwelling, Co-Housing 168

A residential development that combines five or more small, individually owned units on a single lot with common open space and sometimes including a larger community kitchen and dining room intended for communal use on a regular basis. The residents in a co-housing development may agree to share in the provision of communal services such as cooking meals, maintenance of grounds, and childcare.

Dwelling, Live/Work¹⁶⁹

A dwelling unit containing an integrated living and working space in different areas of the unit.

Manufactured Home 170

A dwelling that is manufactured or constructed to comply with the standards of the National Manufactured Housing Construction and Safety Standards Act of 1974 (HUD Code) as adopted by the State and enforced and administered by the Colorado Division of Housing. This definition does not include recreational vehicles, mobile homes, or modular homes.

Manufactured Home Park 171

Any lot or series of continuous lots under common control or ownership upon which five or more mobile or manufactured homes are located and occupied for dwelling or sleeping purposes, regardless of whether or not a charge is made for such accommodations.

Recreational Vehicle (Long-Term Occupancy) 172

A recreational vehicle designed for residential occupancy for by one family for no more than six months.

Group Living

Uses characterized by residential occupancy of a structure by a group of people who do not meet the definition of "household living." Tenancy is arranged on a monthly or longer basis and the size of the group may be larger than a "family." Generally, group living structures have a common eating area for residents. Residents may receive care, training, or treatment, and caregivers may or may not also reside at the site. Accessory uses are limited to recreational facilities and vehicle parking for occupants and staff. Specific use types include:

Continuing Care Retirement Facility 173

Any residential facility or institution that provides full-time or part-time care, for a period exceeding 24 hours, for two or more patients not related to the facility administrator or owner by blood or marriage. Continuing care may include assisted living, convalescent care, nursing care, hospice care, or personal care services for elderly individuals or individuals with disabilities.

¹⁶⁴ New use and new definition.

¹⁶⁵ Previously undefined. New definition proposed based on updated definition of Duplex.

¹⁶⁷ Existing use. Definition updated due to inclusion of 3 and 4-unit apartments as separate uses.

¹⁶⁸ New use and new definition.

¹⁶⁹ New use and new definition.

¹⁷⁰ Existing use with updated definition to clarify construction standards.

¹⁷¹ Updated term and definition from Mobile Home Park.

¹⁷² New definition for existing, undefined use based on current nature of this use.

¹⁷³ New definition for updated use (expanded to include similar uses to Nursing Home).

Group Home, Small

A residential dwelling or facility where eight or fewer persons, including staff, live as a single housekeeping unit providing care, supervision, and treatment for the exclusive use of citizens protected by the provisions of the federal Fair Housing Act Amendments of 1988, as defined in that Act and interpreted by the courts, or by any similar legislation of the State, including but not limited to facilities providing housing for people with disabilities.

Group Home, Large

A residential dwelling or facility where more than eight persons, including staff, live as a single housekeeping unit providing care, supervision, and treatment for the exclusive use of citizens protected by the provisions of the federal Fair Housing Act Amendments of 1988, as defined in that Act and interpreted by the courts, or by any similar legislation of the State, including but not limited to facilities providing housing for people with disabilities.

Rooming or Boarding House

A building, other than a hotel/motel, bed and breakfast, or restaurant, where, for direct or indirect compensation, lodging and/or meals are provided for three or more boarders and/or roomers, exclusive of the occupant's family.

Single-Room Occupancy 174

A commercial residential building with multiple, single-room dwelling units that are rented on a monthly basis as a primary residence.

Public, Institutional, and Civic Uses

Community and Cultural

Uses including buildings, structures, or facilities to provide a service to the public, including government offices, civic and cultural organizations, medical and care facilities, educational institutions, noncommercial recreation, and similar activities. Accessory uses may include limited retail, concessions, parking, and maintenance facilities. Specific use types include:

Civic or Community Building 175

A noncommercial public building which is owned by the City, the County, the State, the United States Government, or a nonprofit organization that is open to the public for the purposes of group assembly, a museum, or to promote the general health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Salida. Some civic buildings are also considered government facilities, including those dedicated to maintenance, operations, and local governance.

Club or Fraternal Organization

A membership organization—including business, civic, social, fraternal, and other similar organizations—that cater exclusively to members and their guests, whose facilities are primarily limited to use by the membership, and whose activities are not conducted principally for monetary gain.

Day Care, Adult

A facility providing care and supervision for older and/or functionally impaired adults. Care is provided for periods of less than 24 hours and does not include overnight care.

Day Care Center

A nonresidential facility of preschool that provided regular childcare and supervision for any number of children during the day for compensation.

¹⁷⁴ New use and new definition. SRO is a housing type that offers small, affordable rental units with limited facilities, often resembling a hotel/motel room. Use-specific standards establish the minimum level of private and common facilities that should be provided.

¹⁷⁵ Formerly "Government Administrative Facilities and Services" and "Community Buildings" uses. New definition to reflect the broader, consolidated use.

Day Care Home

A state-licensed childcare facility serving up to 12 children and operated by a person who resides in the same dwelling where childcare is provided.

Hospital¹⁷⁶

An institution designed for the diagnosis, treatment, and care of human illness or infirmity and providing health services, primarily for inpatients, and including as related facilities, laboratories, outpatient departments, training facilities and staff offices, but not including clinics or health care centers.

Public Recreation, Outdoor 177

Any publicly owned or operated outdoor area open to the public and dedicated to vegetative landscaping, outdoor recreation, gathering spaces, community agriculture, and educational, cultural or aesthetic purposes. Outdoor Public Recreation includes playgrounds, trails, playing fields, ball courts, and accessory facilities that may include seating areas, picnic shelters, restrooms, drinking fountains, and parking areas.

Public Recreation, Indoor 178

Any publicly owned or operated indoor area open to the public and dedicated to recreation, including fitness facilities, ball courts, playing fields, pools, and other facilities designed and equipped for the conduct of indoor sports and leisure activities.

Religious Assembly 179

A structure used by a religious institution for regular organized religious meetings and activities. Any affiliated preschool is considered a Day Care and any affiliated school is considered a School.

School¹⁸⁰

A public or private institution that offers general academic instruction at preschool, kindergarten, elementary, secondary, and postsecondary levels, including professional, vocational, or technical schools, and is licensed by and meets all requirements of the State of Colorado.

This category includes public and quasi-public uses primarily associated with automobile, train, bus, and aircraft facilities. Examples include public and quasi-public parking facilities, airports, depots, terminals, or other facilities which serve as a hub for transportation activity. Specific use types include:

Parking Facility 183

A surface parking lot, above-ground structure, or below-ground structure operated as a principal use by local government or commercially.

Transit Stop 184

An area posted as a place where transit passengers board or exit.

Transit Terminal or Station 185

Any premises for the storage or parking of motor-driven buses and the loading and unloading of passengers. Terminals or stations may include ticket purchase facilities, restrooms, restaurants, and retail stores.

¹⁷⁶ Existing use. New definition.

¹⁷⁷ Updated definition.

¹⁷⁸ Updated definition.

¹⁷⁹ Updated definition.

¹⁸⁰ Updated definition.

¹⁸³ Existing, undefined use. New definition provided.

¹⁸⁴ New use. New definition.

¹⁸⁵ Formerly "Bus Station." Existing definition is modified.

Commercial Uses

Agriculture and Animal-Related Services

This category includes production, keeping, or maintenance of plants and animals for agriculture and animal-related uses involving the boarding and care of animals on a commercial basis. Specific use types include:

Commercial Farming and Plant or Animal Husbandry 186

Any premises used for animal husbandry, farming, cultivation of crops, dairying, pasturage, floriculture, horticulture, viticulture, aquaculture, hydroponics, together with associated dwellings for those involved in agricultural uses. Any necessary accompanying accessory uses, buildings, or structures for housing, packing, treating, or storing of products produced on the premises is included.

An establishment, including a building, part of a building, or outdoor space for the growth, display and/or sale of plants, trees, and other materials used for planting for retail sales and incidental wholesale trade.

Kennel¹⁸⁹

Any establishment where five or more domestic animals are trained, groomed, boarded, fed, sold, or bred as a commercial activity.

Veterinary Clinic or Hospital 190

A facility for the diagnosis, treatment, or hospitalization of domestic animals, operated under the supervision of a licensed veterinarian. The use may include the incidental temporary overnight boarding of animals that are recuperating from treatment but shall not be construed to include a Kennel.

Business and Professional Services

Uses in this category provide executive, management, administrative, governmental, or professional services, but do not sell merchandise except as incidental to a permitted use. Accessory uses may include cafeterias, health facilities, parking, or other amenities primarily for the use of employees in the firm or building. Specific use types include:

Office

A building or business which primarily provides professional services including administrative, professional, governmental, medical, financial, or clerical operations. Typical uses include real estate, insurance, property management, investment, retail banking, mortgage lending, check-chasing, employment, travel, advertising, law, architecture, design, engineering, accounting, call centers, sales, and similar offices. Offices for medical or surgical examination and treatment, including dentistry, orthodontia, physical therapy, massage therapy, alternative medicine, and similar activities shall not include overnight lodging.

Food and Beverage

Establishments involved in serving prepared food or beverages for consumption on or off the premises. Accessory uses may include food preparation areas, offices, and parking. Specific use types include:

Bar, Lounge, or Tavern¹⁹¹

An establishment where fermented malt beverages, and/or malt, special malt, vinous, or spirituous liquors are dispensed, by the drink, for on-site consumption, and in which the sale of food products is secondary. Accessory uses may include live entertainment and/or dancing but shall not include Adult Entertainment.

Microbrewery, Distillery, or Winery 192

A small brewery, cidery, distillery, or winery serving beer, wine, or other alcohol for consumption onsite or sale of the same for consumption off the premises, but less than 25 percent of annual production is sold to other

¹⁸⁶ New use. New definition.

¹⁸⁸ New use. New definition.

¹⁸⁹ New use. New definition.

¹⁹⁰ Existing use. Updated definition.

¹⁹¹ Formerly "Eating and Drinking Establishment." Updated definition.

¹⁹² New use. New definition.

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drinking establishments, restaurants, or wholesalers. Such uses may operate in conjunction with a Bar, Lounge, or Tavern and/or a Restaurant.

Restaurant 193

An establishment where food and beverages are prepared, served, and consumed primarily on the premises, within a building or on an outdoor patio.

Lodging

Uses in this category provide lodging services for a defined period of time with incidental food, drink, and other sales and services intended for the convenience of guests. Specific use types include:

Bed and Breakfast 194

An owner-occupied overnight lodging establishment where at least two individual bedrooms are offered as single accommodations to guests for transient lodging and which facility includes incidental eating and drinking service from a single kitchen serving only residents and guests and is not operated in the manner of a commercial restaurant.

Hotel or Motel 195

An establishment offering transient lodging in bedrooms, sleeping rooms, and dwelling units at a daily rate. The building or buildings include common facilities for reservations, reception, and maintenance and may include accessory facilities such as restaurants, meeting rooms, recreation areas, or similar facilities commonly associated with lodging. The term does not include Bed and Breakfast, Short-Term Rental, or any Residential use.

Short-Term Rental 196

A privately owned residential dwelling unit, such as a single-family detached unit, duplex, condominium, or townhome that is rented for occupancy for the purpose of lodging for any period less than 30 consecutive days. The term does not include Accessory Dwelling Unit, Multi-Family Dwelling, Bed and Breakfast, Hotels or Motels, and Rooming or Boarding House.

Marijuana 197

Uses in this category are primarily engaged in cultivating, manufacturing, testing, and sales of medical and/or retail marijuana. Specific use types include:

Medical Marijuana Store

An establishment that is licensed to sell or otherwise distribute marijuana to registered patients or primary caregivers as defined in Section 14 of Article XVIII of the State Constitution, Title 12 Article 43.3 of C.R.S, and any other applicable state or City law or regulation.

Retail Marijuana Store

An establishment that is licensed to purchase marijuana from marijuana cultivation facilities and marijuana products from marijuana product manufacturing facilities and to sell marijuana and marijuana products to consumers by Section 16 of Article XVIII of the State Constitution, Title 12 Article 43.4 of C.R.S., and any other applicable state or City law or regulation.

Personal Services

Uses in this category provide individual services related to personal needs directly to customers at the site of the business, or that receive goods from or return goods to the customer, which have been treated or processed at that location or another location. Specific use types include:

¹⁹³ Formerly "Eating and Drinking Establishment." Updated definition.

¹⁹⁴ Existing use. Updated definition.

¹⁹⁵ Formerly "Commercial Lodging." Updated definition.

¹⁹⁶ Existing definitions for Short-Term Rental and Vacation Rental are consolidated and updated.

¹⁹⁷ All definitions have been updated for consistency and to reflect State law and regulations.

General Personal Service, Small 198

An establishment, 2,500 square feet or less, that is primarily engaged in providing individual services generally related to personal needs. Typical uses may include but are not limited to beauty and barber shops, catering services, funeral home and mortuaries, laundry and dry cleaning drop-off facilities, massage facilities, photographic studios, tailor and shoe repair services, nail salons, tanning salons, and yoga or dance studios.

General Personal Service, Large 199

An establishment, greater than 2,500 square feet, that is primarily engaged in providing individual services generally related to personal needs. Typical uses may include but are not limited to beauty and barber shops, catering services, funeral home and mortuaries, massage facilities, photographic studios, tailor and shoe repair services, nail salons, tanning salons, and yoga or dance studios.

Self-Service Laundromat²⁰⁰

An establishment providing washing, drying, or dry-cleaning machines on the premises for rental use to the general public. This definition includes automatic, self-service only, or hand laundries.

Recreation and Entertainment

This category includes indoor and outdoor recreation and entertainment activities. Accessory uses may include limited retail, concessions, parking, and maintenance facilities. Specific use types include:

Adult Entertainment

An entertainment or commercial establishment that is distinguished or characterized by an emphasis on material depicting, describing, or relating to sexual activities or sexual anatomical areas, including, but not limited to, adult movie theaters, adult arcades, adult cabarets, and adult theaters, as defined in Chapter 6, Article VIII, and other similar adult services establishments.

Adult Bookstore/Novelty

A commercial establishment which devotes a significant or substantial portion of its stock-in-trade or interior floor space to the sale, rental, or viewing (for any form of consideration) of books, magazines, periodicals, or other printed matter, or photographs, films, motion pictures, video cassettes, slides, or other visual representations which are characterized by the depiction or description of "specified sexual activities" or "specified anatomical areas," as defined in Chapter 6, Article VIII.

Campground²⁰²

An outdoor facility designed for short-term or seasonal overnight accommodation of human beings in tents, rustic cabins, or shelters for recreation, education, naturalist, or vacation purposes. No more than one recreational vehicle shall be allowed. Accessory uses may include office, retail, and other commercial uses commonly established in such facilities.

Commercial Recreation, Outdoor²⁰³

A commercial recreational use conducted mostly outdoors or partially in a building, including picnic areas, swimming pools, golf courses, driving ranges, miniature golf courses, skateboard parks, ball courts, sports fields, amphitheaters, outdoor arenas, and outdoor theaters. Accessory uses may include limited retail, concessions, and maintenance facilities.

Commercial Recreation, Indoor (Large)²⁰⁴

An establishment, greater than 10,000 square feet, primarily engaged in a commercial recreational use conducted entirely within a building, including amusement arcades, bowling alleys, billiard halls, skating rinks, theaters, art galleries and studios, art centers, assembly halls, athletic and health clubs, auditoriums, community centers,

¹⁹⁸ Modified existing use to differentiate between small and large establishments.

¹⁹⁹ Modified existing use to differentiate between small and large establishments.

²⁰⁰ New use. New definition.

²⁰² Existing use. New definition to differentiate from RV Park. Consolidation of these uses could occur in a future draft.

²⁰³ Existing use. New definition.

²⁰⁴ New use. New definition.

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conference centers, exhibit halls, gymnasiums, swimming pools, ball courts, and sports fields. Accessory uses may include limited retail, concessions, and maintenance facilities.

Commercial Recreation, Indoor (Small)²⁰⁵

An establishment, 10,000 square feet or less, primarily engaged in a commercial recreational use conducted entirely within a building, including amusement arcades, bowling alleys, billiard halls, skating rinks, theaters, art galleries and studios, art centers, assembly halls, athletic and health clubs, auditoriums, community centers, conference centers, exhibit halls, gymnasiums, swimming pools, ball courts, and sports fields. Accessory uses may include limited retail, concessions, and maintenance facilities.

Recreational Vehicle Park²⁰⁶

An outdoor facility designed for short-term or seasonal overnight accommodation of human beings in recreational vehicles for recreation, education, naturalist, or vacation purposes. Accessory uses may include office, retail, dump stations, and other commercial uses commonly established in such facilities. Overnight accommodation of human beings in tents, rustic cabins, and shelters may be provided incidental to recreational vehicle accommodations.

Retail

Uses involving the sale, lease, or rent of new or used products directly to the final consumer for whatever purpose but not specifically or exclusively for the purpose of resale. Accessory uses may include offices, parking, storage of goods, assembly, repackaging, or repair of goods for on-site sale. Specific use types include:

An establishment, 10,000 square feet or less, primarily engaged in the retail sale of general merchandise or food to the general public for direct use and not for wholesale. This use includes but is not limited to sale of general merchandise, appliances, hardware, building materials, sealed alcoholic beverage for offsite consumption, clothing and other apparel, convenience and specialty foods, dry goods, flowers and household plants, and similar consumer goods.

General Retail, Large²⁰⁹

An establishment, greater than 10,000 square feet, primarily engaged in the retail sale of general merchandise or food to the general public for direct use and not for wholesale. This use includes but is not limited to sale of general merchandise, appliances, hardware, building materials, sealed alcoholic beverage for offsite consumption, clothing and other apparel, convenience and specialty foods, dry goods, flowers and household plants, and similar consumer goods.

Uses in this category include a broad range of uses for the maintenance, sale, or rental of motor vehicles and related equipment. Accessory uses may include incidental repair and storage and offices. Specific use types include:

Gasoline Service Stations and Car Wash²¹¹

An establishment primarily engaged in the retail sale of batteries, tires, oil, gasoline, or other fuel for motor vehicles, including incidental facilities used for polishing, greasing, washing, or otherwise cleaning or light servicing of motor vehicles. Services shall not include tire recapping, sale of major auto accessories, wheel repair or parts, sale or rebuilding of engines, battery manufacturing or rebuilding, radiator repair or steam cleaning, body repair, painting, upholstery, installation of auto glass, or maintenance requiring open flame or welding.

Manufactured Home and Recreational Vehicle Sales and Service²¹²

An establishment primarily engaged in the display, sale, lease, rental, repair, or service of recreational vehicles or manufactured, modular, or mobile homes.

²⁰⁵ New use. New definition.

²⁰⁶ Existing use. New definition to differentiate from Campground.

²⁰⁸ Modified existing use to be based on size. New definition.

²⁰⁹ Modified existing use to be based on size. New definition.

²¹¹ Existing definition is updated.

²¹² Existing, undefined use. New definition.

Vehicle Sales and Service²¹³

An establishment primarily engaged in the display, sale, lease, rental, repair, service, or bodywork/painting of passenger automobiles, trailers, watercraft, or trucks in operating condition.

Industrial Uses

Manufacturing and Processing

Uses in this category includes the excavation, transporting, manufacture, fabrication, processing, reduction, destruction or any other treatment of any article, substance, or commodity, in order to change its form, character or appearance. Accessory uses may include retail sales, offices, storage, cafeterias, employee amenities, parking, warehousing, and repair facilities. Specific use types include:

Brewery or Bottling Plant²¹⁴

An establishment that creates ales, beers, ciders, meads, wines, spirits, soft drinks, and/or similar beverages on site for wholesale production. Small tasting rooms may be an accessory use. This definition excludes microbreweries (less than 25 percent of annual production is sold to other drinking establishments, restaurants, or wholesalers) and other retail beverage producers that operate in conjunction with a Bar, Lounge, or Tavern, and/or a Restaurant.

Commercial Laundry and Dry Cleaning²¹⁵

An establishment that cleans garments, fabrics, draperies, etc., with a liquid other than water. The facility is generally not visited by individual customers, but rather by commercial dry cleaning drop-off facilities. This definition includes uses such as rug cleaning or repair service; pressing of garments or fabrics; tailoring or alterations; carpet or upholstery; power laundry; industrial launderers; and linen supply.

Manufacturing, Artisan²¹⁶

An establishment or business where an artist, artisan, or craftsperson teaches, makes, or fabricates crafts or products by hand or with minimal automation and may include direct sales to consumers. This definition includes, but is not limited to, textiles, pottery, furniture, wood working, sculpting, small-scale food production, and manufacturing of products on an individualized, single-item basis. The term does not include cabinet making, cabinet assembly, service and repair, alcohol production, or the use of mechanized assembly line production.

Manufacturing, Heavy

An establishment for the basic processing or manufacturing of materials or non-edible products predominately from extracted or raw materials and including transformation by way of heating, chilling, adding a liquid, adding a coating, or chemical or biochemical reaction or alteration. This use may also involve packaging, repackaging, assembling, mechanical reshaping, storage of or manufacturing processes using flammable or explosive materials, animal and meat processing, or storage or manufacturing processes that potentially involve hazardous or commonly recognized offensive conditions. Heavy industrial uses may involve extensive exterior operations such as material storage, aggregate processing and batch plants.

Manufacturing, Light

An establishment for producing goods without the use of any of the processes described within the definition of "Heavy Manufacturing." The term includes large-scale food processing and production, the repair, manufacture, processing, fabrication, assembly, treatment, and packaging of products, including incidental storage, sales, and distribution of such products. This definition includes, but is not limited to, the manufacturing of clocks and watches, textile products, fabricated metal products, leather products, light component parts of products, paper products, pre-manufactured parts and components, prefabricated wood buildings or structural members, and

²¹³ Existing, undefined use. New definition.

²¹⁴ New use. Existing definition for "Brewery" is modified.

²¹⁵ New use. New definition.

²¹⁶ New use. New definition.

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upholstering shops. Light industrial does not allow for large structures outside of principal buildings, such as refineries.

Marijuana²¹⁷

Uses in this category are primarily engaged in cultivating, manufacturing, testing, and wholesale of medical and/or retail marijuana to marijuana stores. Specific use types include:

Marijuana Cultivation²¹⁸

An establishment licensed by Section 16 of Article XVIII of the State Constitution, Title 12 Article 43.4 of C.R.S., and any other applicable state or City law or regulation, to cultivate, prepare, package, and sell marijuana to Medical Marijuana Stores, Retail Marijuana Stores, Marijuana Product Manufacturing facilities, and to other Marijuana Cultivation facilities, but not to consumers.

Marijuana Product Testing and Manufacturing²¹⁹

An establishment licensed by Section 16 of Article XVIII of the State Constitution, Title 12 Article 43.4 of C.R.S., and any other applicable state or City law or regulation, to manufacture, prepare, package, and sell marijuana-infused products or analyze and certify the safety and potency of marijuana.

Uses in this category are engaged in the storage or movement of goods for themselves or other businesses. Goods are generally delivered to other businesses or the final consumer, except for some will-call pickups. There are typically few customers present. Accessory uses may include offices, truck fleet parking, and maintenance areas. Specific use types include:

Salvage Yard²²¹

A lot, parcel, development site, or establishment that receives solid or liquid wastes from others for sale, processing, dismantling, or disposal of materials on the site or for transfer to another location.

Self-Storage or Mini-Warehouse²²²

An establishment consisting of individual, self-contained units that are leased to individuals, organizations, or businesses for self-service storage of personal property.

Storage of Hazardous Liquids and Gases

A facility or site engaged in the storage and handling of flammable or otherwise hazardous materials, liquids, waste, or gasses.

Storage Yard

A site primarily used for the keeping, in an outdoor area, of any goods, equipment, personal property, material, merchandise, or vehicles in the same place for more than 24 hours. The term shall not include Salvage Yard or Accessory Commercial Outdoor Storage.

Warehouse, Enclosed Storage, or Truck Terminal²²³

An establishment primarily engaged in the receipt, transfer, storage, or dispatch of goods transported by heavy truck. Warehousing and storage occurs in an enclosed building designed and used primarily for the storage of goods and materials.

Wholesale

An establishment primarily engaged in the sale of goods and merchandise for resale instead of for direct consumption.

²¹⁷ All definitions have been updated for consistency and to reflect State law and regulations.

²¹⁸ Formerly, "Medical Marijuana Optional Premises Cultivation Operation." Modified definition.

²¹⁹ Formerly "Marijuana Infused Products Manufacturing Operation (Medical or Retail)." Updated definition.

²²¹ Existing, undefined use (formerly "Junkyard, Salvage Yard, or Wrecking Yard"). New definition.

²²² New use. New definition.

²²³ Existing use. Consolidation of definitions for "Truck Terminal" and "Warehouse."

Utilities

Uses including all lines, buildings, easements, passageways, or structures used or intended to be used by any public or private utility related to the provision, distribution, collection, transmission, or disposal of power, oil, gas, water, sanitary sewage, communication signals, or other similar public services at a local level. Specific use types include:

Communications Facility

Unmanned facilities, equipment, parabolic-shaped devices or antennae for the reception, transmission or switching of satellite or electronic signals, including television, radio, telemetry, personal wireless communication, data communication or any other signals which use air space as a medium, whether for commercial or private use and that may or may not be licensed by the Federal Communications Commission.

Utility, Major²²⁴

A facility used to convert electric power, natural gas, telephone signals, cable/fiber optic communications, and water services from a form appropriate for transmission over long distances to a form appropriate for residential household or commercial use, or vice versa. This use includes but is not limited to: electric substations, natural gas regulator stations, telephone switching stations, water pressure control facilities, and sewage lift stations, regional storm water drainage facilities, and water and sewer treatment facilities. Major public utilities are of a size and scale found only in scattered sites throughout the City.

Utility, Minor²²⁵

A facility used to convert electric power, natural gas, telephone signals, cable/fiber optic communications, and water services from a form appropriate for transmission over long distances to a form appropriate for residential household or commercial use, or vice versa. This use includes but is not limited to: water storage tanks, minor storm water drainage facilities, utility transmission, and minor renewable energy systems. Minor public utilities are of a size and scale commonly found in all areas of the City.

Accessory Uses

A use that is incidental and subordinate to the principal use of the lot, building, or another structure on the same lot. Specific use types include:

Accessory Dwelling Unit (ADU)

A residential dwelling unit located on the same lot as a primary dwelling unit and subordinate to that primary unit in conditioned living space. ADUs may be internal to, attached to, or detached from the primary dwelling unit and generally include living, sleeping, food preparation, and sanitary facilities, and a separate lockable entrance door.

Commercial Outdoor Storage, Accessory²²⁶

The incidental keeping of goods, materials, or equipment of any nature that are not kept in a structure having at least four walls and a roof. New or used motor vehicle sales and rental display and parking shall not be defined as outside storage. The term shall not include Manufactured Home and Recreational Vehicle Sales and Service, Vehicle Sales and Service, Salvage Yard, or Storage Yard.

Drive Through

A feature of a primary use which provides such products and services as, but not limited to, food, beverages, or financial services, to customers in vehicles.

Home Occupation²²⁷

A business, occupation, or trade conducted as an accessory use entirely within a primary residential building or accessory structure. The occupation is clearly incidental, secondary, and in addition to the use of the structure for dwelling purposes and is managed such that it does not change the character of the dwelling or adversely affect

²²⁴ New use. New definition.

²²⁵ New use. New definition.

²²⁶ New use. New definition.

²²⁷ Existing use. Definition updated to include additional descriptions and consolidate the definition of "Home Business."

surrounding properties. Employment of the business shall include a resident of the dwelling but may include one employee residing off-premises and may serve one patron at a time on the premises.

The outdoor sale and display area of retail goods, produce, plants, handcrafts, and the like conducted on the same lot or parcel as the principal business with which such activities are associated. This use does not include mobile food vending.

Sale of Produce and Plants Raised on Premises²³¹

A sales kiosk or stand of locally grown food crops, ornamental crops such as flowers, and goods that is located at the site of a community garden or agricultural property and operates during the time of year coinciding with the growing season. This use shall not include any marijuana-related use.

Street Patio²³²

An outdoor dining area, sometimes within the public right-of-way, used to serve patrons with food and beverages. This use does not include Outdoor Vendor.

Temporary Uses

Construction Support Activity²³³

A temporary building located at a construction site that serves only as an office or for security purposes until the given construction work is completed. Not to be used for residential purposes.

Retail sales, food and beverage service, or other commercial uses that occur in vehicles, towed trailer, impermanent structures, or land used for seasonal or temporary sales, including but not limited to: food trucks, fireworks stands, artisan booths, farm stands, farmers' markets, holiday tree sales, etc. This definition shall not include yard sales, children's lemonade stands, catering for events, outdoor accessory sales of an existing business established on the property, or those commercial activities conducted by non-profit organizations for less than two days in a calendar month.

Temporary Special Event²³⁶

A temporary use on public or private property that lasts no more than three days per calendar year and extends beyond the normal uses and standards allowed by this Code. "Special events" include, but are not limited to, fundraising activities, educational, historic, religious, and patriotic displays or exhibits, circuses, amusements, outdoor concerts, festivals, revivals, street fairs, outdoor arts and crafts fairs, and other organized community events.

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Accessory Building or Structure

A detached, subordinate building or structure located upon the same lot as a primary building or structure to which it is related, which is clearly incidental, subordinate, secondary, and devoted to the primary building or structure.

Administrator²³⁷

The Administrator of the City, or their designee.

²³⁰ New use. New definition.

²³¹ New use. New definition.

²³² Formerly, "Downtown Street Patio" – an undefined use. New definition.

²³³ New use. New definition.

²³⁵ Formerly, "Temporary Retail and Display." Definition updated to include food truck-type activities.

²³⁶ New use. New definition.

²³⁷ New.

Alteration, Large 238

Any alteration or change of use to a mixed-use or nonresidential building that increases the gross floor area or lot coverage (by structures or impervious area) by 25 percent or more or increases the parking requirements on the property by more than ten spaces, whether or not the parking spaces exist or need to be constructed.

Alteration, Small

Any alteration to an existing residential building or an alteration or change of use to a mixed-use or nonresidential building that increases the gross floor area or lot coverage (by structures or impervious area) by less than 25 percent and does not increase the parking requirements on the property by more than ten spaces. Construction of one or more dwellings in an existing building in the MD district where the construction results in four or fewer dwelling units shall be considered a small alteration.

Annexation 240

The process of incorporating an unincorporated portion of Chaffee County into the boundaries of the City pursuant to the Municipal Annexation Act of 1965, Section 31-12-101, *et seq.*, C.R.S. and in accordance with the procedures in Section 16-8-40(d).

Applicant²⁴¹

A person who submits a development application requesting approval of a permit or other permission authorized by this Chapter.

Board of Adjustment

The Board of Adjustment for the City of Salida.

Block²⁴²

A unit of land bounded by streets or by a combination of streets and parks, open spaces, rights-of-way, waterways, or any other barrier to the continuity of development.

Building

Any structure used or intended for supporting or sheltering any use or occupancy in accordance with the building codes as adopted by the City.

Building Official 243

The municipal officer or agency charged with the responsibility of issuing construction and demolition permits and generally enforcing the provisions of the Building Code.

Certificate of Approval (CA)

The official document/permit issued by the City Administrator approving and/or concerning, without limitation, the erection, moving, demolition, renovation, rehabilitation, remodeling, restoration, reconstruction, repair, or alteration of any historic landmark building, site or structure, or any building, site, or structure within a designated historic district.

Conditional Use Approval 244

The procedure to evaluate and approve a use that is generally compatible with the other uses permitted in a zoning district, but that requires site-specific review of its location, design, configuration, density, intensity, and operating characteristics, and may require the imposition of appropriate conditions in order to ensure compatibility of the use at a particular location, to mitigate its potentially adverse impacts and to ensure that it complies with all of the standards of this Chapter.

²⁴² New.

²³⁶ Discuss whether to use these existing terms "large and small alteration" as triggers in the new nonconforming site features section in Article 16.01.

²⁴⁰ Revised to reference annexation procedure in this Code.

²⁴¹ New.

²⁴³ New.

²⁴⁴ Revised from "conditional use" to "conditional use approval."

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Conditioned Living Space²⁴⁵

All areas of an accessory dwelling unit (ADU), exclusive of unfinished attics, garage space used for the parking of cars or storage, internal stairways, unfinished basements, or utility rooms less than 50 square feet.

Condominium²⁴⁶

A common interest community in which portions of the real estate are designated for separate ownership and the remainder of which is designated for common ownership solely by the owners of the separate ownership portions. A common interest community is not a condominium unless the undivided interests in the common elements are vested in the unit owners.

Condominium Unit

A physical portion of a common interest community that is designated for separate ownership or occupancy and the boundaries of which are described or determined in the declaration.

City Council

The City Council of the City of Salida.

Comprehensive Plan

That plan and amendments to that plan for the City that provides objectives, guiding principles, and recommended actions to guide the current and long-range development of the City.

Construction Plans²⁴⁷

Technical engineered drawings demonstrating compliance with this Chapter, the building code, and the City's Standard Specifications for Construction and Design Criteria Manual.

Demolition

The total or partial destruction, disassembly, damage, razing, or tearing down of a structure or any portion of a structure. The term includes the removal of any material constituting part of the structure other than for purposes of ordinary maintenance or repair, which removal affects the exterior appearance of the structure or that reduces the stability or longevity of the structure. The term excludes the sudden or cataclysmic destruction of or damage to a structure due to acts of nature, including fire, earthquake, wind, excessive snow load, or flood.

Demolition by Neglect

Any total or partial destruction of or damage to a structure, or any portion of a structure, due to the failure of the owner or lessee to adequately maintain or repair the structure.

Design Standards

Local, state, or national criteria, specifications, or requirements referenced within this Chapter and used for the design of public or private infrastructure.

Development²⁴⁸

The construction, reconstruction, conversion, alteration, relocation, or enlargement of any building or structure; any mining, logging, excavation, or land disturbance; or any use or extensions of a use that alters the character of the property.

Development Approval

A permit issued by the City that certifies that a proposed development has undergone and completed the required development review procedures in accordance with Section 16-8-50. The development approval may include one or more conditions, which conditions shall apply to any future development or use of the land, regardless of ownership changes, unless a new development permit is obtained.

 $^{^{\}rm 245}$ New definition based on existing application of this standard to ADUs.

²⁴⁶ New.

²⁴⁷ New.

²⁴⁸ New.

Director

The Community Development Director of the City, or their designee.

Dwelling

A building or a portion of a building containing one room, or several rooms connected together, including a separate bathroom and a single kitchen, constituting a separate independent housekeeping establishment for owner occupancy, or rental or lease on a monthly or longer basis, physically separated from any other rooms or dwelling units which may be in the same structure.

Dwelling Unit

A building or portion of a building that provides complete, independent living facilities for one or more persons, including permanent provisions for living, sleeping, eating, cooking, and sanitation.

FHAA 249

The federal Fair Housing Amendments Act of 1988.

Habitable Floor Area

The total floor area contained within the inside walls of a structure with at least 7 feet of headroom. Habitable floor area does not include unfinished attics, areas used for access such as stairs and covered porches, garage space used for the parking of cars or storage, unfinished basements, or utility rooms less than 50 square feet in area.

Lot

A portion or parcel of land (whether a portion of a platted subdivision or otherwise) occupied or intended to be occupied by a building or use and its accessories, together with such yards, as are required under the provisions of this Chapter, having not less than the minimum area and off-street parking spaces required by this Chapter for a lot in the zoning district in which it is situated, and having frontage on any improved public street or on an approved private street.

Lot Area

The number of square feet included within the boundaries of the lot, measured on a horizontal plane upon which the boundaries have been vertically projected.

Materially Different 250

An application is considered materially different if it changes the means of access, the number of buildings, the number or size of lots, or an increase in the height or square footage of the proposed buildings relative to the previously submitted application or approved plan.

Maximum Extent Practicable 251

The degree to which a project meets an adopted standard in which all possible efforts to comply with the standard or to minimize harmful or adverse impacts have been undertaken by the applicant, but full compliance cannot be achieved, and no feasible or practical alternative exists. Economic considerations may be taken into account but shall not be the overriding factor.

Minor Modification 252

A development approval authorizing limited deviations from certain dimensional and numerical provisions of this Chapter subject to the procedures in Section 16-8-70(b).

Mobile Home

A dwelling built prior to June 15, 1976, on a permanent chassis, capable of being transported in one or more sections and designed to be used with or without a permanent foundation as a dwelling when connected to on-site utilities. This definition does not include recreational vehicles, manufactured homes, or modular homes.

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²⁵⁰ New.

²⁵¹ New.

²⁵² New.

Modular Home

A dwelling that is manufactured or preconstructed to comply with the International Residential Code as adopted by the City of Salida. This definition does not include recreational vehicles, mobile homes, or manufactured homes.

Nonconforming Lot

Any lot that was lawfully established pursuant to the zoning and building regulations in effect at the time of its development, but that does not conform to the standards of this Chapter for the zoning district in which the lot is located regarding minimum lot size or minimum lot frontage.

Nonconforming Site Feature 253

Any site feature that was lawfully established pursuant to the zoning and building regulations in effect at the time of its development, but that does not comply with the standards of this Chapter for the zoning district in which the structure is located regarding driveways, off-street parking or loading areas, landscaping, buffer, screening, exterior lighting, or other site improvements.

Nonconforming Structure 254

Any structure that was lawfully established pursuant to the zoning and building regulations in effect at the time of its development, but that does not comply with the standards of this Chapter for the zoning district in which the structure is located regarding minimum setbacks, maximum height, maximum lot coverage, maximum density or other district dimensional standards.

Nonconforming Use

Any use of a structure or land that was lawfully established pursuant to the zoning and building regulations in effect at the time of its development, but which use is not designated in this Chapter as a permitted or conditional use in the zoning district in which the use is located.

Ornamental Architectural Features

Unoccupied spires, towers, flues, vents, cornices, parapets, elevator shafts, stair enclosures, and similar features as determined by the Director. Ornamental architectural features shall not include space for living, sleeping, eating, cooking, restrooms, halls, storage, or similar space.

Overlay Zone

A zoning district that encompasses one or more underlying zones and that imposes additional requirements beyond those required for the underlying zoning district.

Permitted Use

A use that is allowed in a zoning district, subject to the restrictions applicable to that zoning district and all of the standards of this Chapter.

Principal Use

The purpose or function for which a lot, structure, or building is intended, designed, or constructed, or the activity which is carried out within said lot, structure, or building.

Prohibited Use

A use that is not permitted in a zoning district.

Owner

A person, firm, association, syndicate, joint venture, partnership, governmental unit, or corporation holding fee simple title to property.

Ownership Parcel

See lot, as defined in this Chapter.

²⁵³ New.

²⁵⁴ Revised to remove reference site features, which are covered by separate nonconforming site feature definition.

Parcel

See lot, as defined in this Chapter.

Planned Development²⁵⁵

A development designed to accommodate varied types of development in patterns or layouts or incorporating a variety of use types or development features not otherwise permitted by this Chapter in a base zoning district. Planned developments are intended to provide additional benefit to the City in return for added flexibility and are negotiated through the Rezoning to PD procedures in Section 16-8-40(b).

Planning Commission²⁵⁶

The Planning Commission of the City of Salida.

Plat

A map delineating the subdivision of land, commonly showing lots, blocks, streets, and other features relevant to the development of land pursuant to this Chapter.

Recreational Vehicle

A pickup camper, motor home, travel trailer, tent trailer, or similar mobile unit, sometimes called an RV, that has wheels, is intended to be transported over streets, roads, and highways as a motor vehicle or attached to a motor vehicle and is designed primarily for use as a temporary unit for human occupancy.

Right-of-Way²⁵⁷

Any area of land, including surface, overhead, or underground, granted by deed, easement, dedication, prescription, or lease, for construction and maintenance according to designated use, such as for streets and highways, drainage, irrigation, utilities, and other public services and improvements.

RLUIPA²⁵⁸

The Religious Land Use and Institutionalized Persons Act of 2000.

Site Plan²⁵⁹

A plan drawn to scale showing the uses and structures proposed for a lot or parcel. This definition also includes the evaluation of site plans in accordance with the procedures in Section 16-8-50(a) (minor site plans) and Section 16-8-50(b) (major site plans).

Site-Specific Development Plan²⁶⁰

A plan that has been submitted to the City by a landowner or such landowner's representative describing with reasonable certainty the type and intensity of use for a specific parcel or parcels of property, which plan shall create a vested property right in accordance with state law and the procedures in Section 16-8-30(h).

Staff

An employee of the Community Development Department.

Structural Alteration

An addition to or subtraction of parts from a structure, including walls, columns, beams, girders, foundation, doors, windows, or roof.

²⁵⁶ New.

²⁵⁷ New.

²⁵⁸ New.

²⁵⁹ New.

²⁵⁵ New.

²⁶⁰ Revised to reference state law and specific common review procedures for vested rights.

Structure

Any manmade item constructed or erected, that requires location on the ground or attached to something having a location on the ground, including but not limited to signs, buildings, and fences. Porches, slabs, patios, decks, walks, and steps that are uncovered and do not exceed 30 inches above grade are excluded from this definition.

Subdivision

The division of a lot, tract, or parcel of land into two or more lots, plats, sites, units, or other divisions of land for the purpose, whether immediate or future, of sale, transfer of ownership or building development; and, when appropriate to the context, relates to the process of subdividing or to the land or territory subdivided.

Tract²⁶¹

An area, parcel, site, piece of land, or property that is the subject of a development application. For subdivisions, the term is used for units of land created for and limited by deed restriction or dedication to a specific use, including access, utilities, open space, or community amenities and resources.

Variance²⁶²

An authorization of deviation from the standards of this Chapter where strict application of this Chapter results in a hardship due to circumstances of the lot and that is evaluated and decided in accordance with the procedures in Section 16-8-70(a).

Vested Property Rights 263

The right to undertake and complete development and use of property under the terms and conditions of a site-specific development plan in accordance with state law and the procedures in Section 16-8-30(h).

²⁶² New.

²⁶¹ New.

²⁶³ Revised to reference state law and the specific procedures in this Code for vested rights.



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