

City of Lakewood

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ZONE DISTRICT SUMMARY



M-C-T

Mixed Use - Core - Transit

The M-C-T district is intended to provide opportunities for higher density mixed-use development in areas adjacent to light rail stations. The Transit context reflects the most pedestrian-oriented environment, and requires that buildings be located within a short distance of adjacent public streets. Auto-oriented design elements are restricted and have specific design requirements.

The official Zoning Ordinance is available online: www.lakewood.org/zoning

Building Setbacks

Residential Density⁵

Front Minimum: 0 feet (measured from edge of existing or Maximum: 20 feet future public improvements.)

Side¹ Minimum: 0/5 feet Rear¹ Minimum: 0/5 feet

¹Buildings not located at the 0 foot setback shall be located a minimum of 5 feet

from the property line.

Build-to-Zone Requirement² 75% ²The Build-to-Zone requirement is the percentage of lot width that must contain a portion of a

building within the front set-

back range.

Height Requirements³ Minimum: 45 feet (3 floors) Maximum by Station Area:

Sheridan Blvd. 120 feet

Wadsworth Blvd. 120 feet

Oak St. 90 feet **Union Corridor** 180 feet

³Subject to height transition when adjacent to residential zoning, see 17.5.3.4.

⁵ Applies only if residential is

Open Space Minimum: 10%

Non-Residential Building Footprint Maximum: 40,000 square feet

Retail Allowed per Business Maximum: 40,000 square feet by right

> 40,001 - 60,000 square feet with Special Use Permit

Additional Design Requirements⁴ Vertically mixed uses and 4See 17.5.3.6.A

Minimum:

ground floor designed for

retail

35 DU/acre

Maximum: None provided.

Convenience surface parking spaces shall be limited to short-**Surface Parking Lot Locations Allowed**

term parking lots with fewer than 10 spaces per building. Convenience surface parking spaces may be located behind or to the side of a building and shall be clearly marked for short-term use only. All other parking shall be accommodated for in parking

structures.

Permitted Land Uses

Permitted as a use by right.

Attached Dwelling Unit

Multifamily

Group Home (1-8 client residents)

Group Residential Facility

Bar

Club, Lodge, or Service Organization Day Care Facility, Adult or Child

Entertainment Facility, Indoor Fitness or Athletic Facility, Private

Gallery or Studio

Hotel

Motor Vehicle Sales, Indoor

Office

Parking, Stand-Alone, Structured

Personal Service

Restaurant

Horticulture

Retail

Community Building

Park

Religious Institution

School, Public or Private

Transportation Facility, Public University or College

Utility Facility, Minor

Home Business, Major

Wireless Communications Facility

Stealth

New Freestanding Structure ≤ 60 ft. in height

Limited Land Uses

Permitted as a use subject to compliance with any supplemental standards identified in Section 17.4.3.

Accessory Dwelling Unit

Contractor Shop

Medical Marijuana Business

Motor Vehicle Rental

Apiaries

Community Garden

Temporary Use, Short-term

Special Land Uses

Permitted with a special use permit, subject to compliance with Section 17.4.3. Animal Care

Emergency Medical Facility

Convention or Exposition Center School, Vocational or Trade

Utility Facility, Major

Solar Garden

Temporary Use, Long-term

Wind-Powered Electric Generator, Freestanding

Wireless Communications Facility, > 60 ft. in Height

Accessory Land Uses

Only permitted as accessory to a permitted use, subject to compliance with Section 17.4.3. Construction or Sales Trailer

Outdoor Display

Home Business, Minor

Satellite Dish Antenna Solar Collection System

Wireless Communications Facility, Existing Structures

Building Facade Mounted

Roof Mounted

Other Freestanding Support Structure