

Planning and Zoning

Board Retreat 2016

2015 Possible Zoning Actions



- Zone donut holes
- Increase protections in Blue Ridge Parkway Overlay
- Develop PUD types (residential, commercial, mixed use, affordable housing) based on use and anticipated impact
- Increase density for affordable/workforce housing development
- Create Business District Overlay
- Allow HUD labeled manufactured homes in all districts
- Regulate commercial development in OU
- Decrease allowed density for large tracts with public utilities

Permitted Use Tables



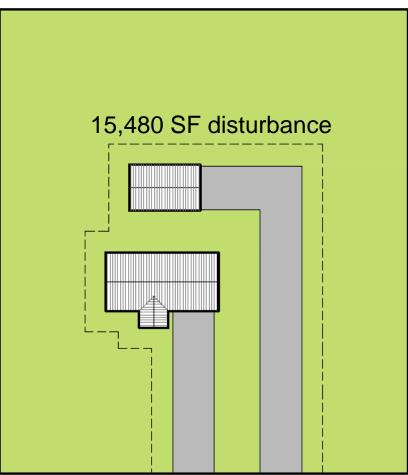
Permitted with special requirements

- Smaller B&Bs and day nurseries
- Travel trailer parks
- Conditional and permitted uses
 - Response to changing land use pattern
- Two-family residences (attached or detached)
 - Allow in districts that currently allow two single-family detached residences

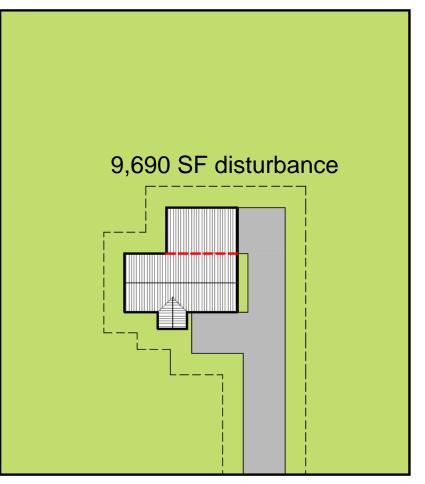
Dwelling Unit Comparison



Scenario A: 1 acre lot size



Scenario B: 1 acre lot size



Steep Slope & Protected Ridge Overlay Districts



- No more than two principal buildings or units per lot
- Provision for disturbed and impervious area for installation of subdivision infrastructure

Community Oriented Developments



- Affordable and workforce housing voluntary
- Minimum standards
- Density bonus for sustainable/affordable development:
 - Up to 30 dwelling units per acre
 - Smaller lot sizes

Nonconforming Uses and Dimensional Requirements



Nonconforming uses

 Allow one year for a discontinued nonconforming use of a structure to be re-established (up to two years if actively marketed)

Dimensional requirements

Minimum land area per dwelling unit based on utilities

Conditional Use Standards



- Better functionality and clarity in application and plan submission
- Reorganize conditions for granting approval to delete redundancy
- Revise standards for several conditional uses
- Commercial planned unit development
- Residential/mixed use planned unit development

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- Traffic Impact Analysis