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9.4 R3: Medium Lot Residential

9.4.1 Purpose

The purpose is to provide a **zone** for **single detached housing**, and compatible **secondary uses**, on medium sized urban serviced **lots**. The R3c sub-zoning district allows for **care centre**, **major** as an additional use. The R3h sub-zoning district allows for **home based business**, **major** as an additional use. (*Bylaw 5467*)

9.4.2 Primary Uses

- care centre, major (use is only permitted with the R3c sub-zoning district)
- single detached housing

9.4.3 Secondary Uses

- boarding rooms
- bed and breakfast homes (in single detached housing only) (Bylaw 5498)
- care centres, minor
- home based businesses, minor
- home based businesses, major (use is only permitted with the R3h sub-zoning district)
- secondary suites
- seniors supportive housing

9.4.4 Subdivision Regulations

- Minimum lot width is 14.0m, except it is 16.0m for a corner lot.
- Minimum lot area is 450m², or 10,000m² if not serviced by a community sewer system.

9.4.5 Development Regulations

- Maximum site coverage is 40% and together with driveways, parking areas and impermeable surfaces shall not exceed 50%.
- Maximum height is 10.0m, except it is 4.5m for secondary buildings and secondary structures.
- Minimum front yard is 4.5m, except it is 6.0m from a garage or carport having vehicular entry from the front.
- Minimum side yard is 1.5m for a 1 or 1.5 storey portion of a building and 1.8m for a 2 or 2.5 storey portion of a building, except it is 4.5m from a flanking street, and 6.0m from a garage or carport having vehicle entry from a flanking street.
- Minimum rear yard is 6.0m for a 1 or 1.5 storey portion of a building and 7.5m for a 2 or 2.5 storey portion of a building, except it is 1.0m for secondary buildings. Where the lot width exceeds the lot depth, the minimum rear yard is 4.5m provided that one side yard shall have a minimum width of 4.5m.
- The maximum height of any vertical wall element facing a front, flanking or rear yard (including walkout basements) is 6.5m, above which the building must be set back at least 1.2m.

9.4.6 Other Regulations

- There shall be no more than one single detached house per lot.
- Where development has access to a rear lane, vehicular access to the development is only permitted from the rear lane.

- For seniors supportive housing, a safe drop-off area for patrons shall be provided on the site.
- In addition to the regulations listed above, other regulations may apply. These include the general development regulations of Section 4 (secondary development, yards, projections into yards, lighting, agricultural setbacks, etc.); the specific use regulations of Section 5; the landscaping and fencing provisions of Section 6; and, the parking and loading regulations of Section 7.
- Seniors supportive housing shall be for no more than four residents. (Bylaw 5467)
- As per Section 4.10.2 All buildings and structures, excluding perimeter fencing (garden walls and fences) on lots abutting City Roads as identified on Schedule "B" shall not be sited closer to the City Road than the setback as per the appropriate zone measured from the offset Rights of Way as illustrated on Schedule "B". (Bylaw 5440)