

Durham, NH Zoning Ordinance
Table of Uses
Areas to consider potential changes
For Planning Board Discussion – June 12, 2024

*Changes already recommended by the Planning Board as part of amendments to Definitions shown *like this* or *like this*. *To be disregarded herein.*

*Potential items suggested for consideration by Town Planner shown like this.

CATEGORY OF USES	RESIDENTIAL ZONES	COMMERCIAL CORE ZONES	RESEARCH-INDUSTRY ZONES
I. NATURAL RESOURCE USES	<p>Rural (R)</p> <p>Residence A (RA)</p> <p>Residence B (RB)</p> <p>Residence C (RC)</p>	<p>Central Business (CB)</p> <p>Professional Office (PO)</p> <p>Church Hill (CH)</p> <p>Courthouse (C)</p> <p>Coe' s Corner (CC)</p>	<p>Office Research - Route 108 (OR)</p> <p>Mixed Use and Office Research (MUDOR)</p> <p>Office Research Light Industry (ORLI)</p> <p>Durham Business Park (DBP)</p>

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Principal Uses													
Conservation activities	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Excavation and/or mining	CU	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<u>MOST AGRICULTURAL USES NOT SHOWN</u>													
II. AGRICULTURAL USES													
Principal Uses													
Commercial agriculture	P	X	X	P	X	X	X	X	X	P	P	P	X
Commercial animal husbandry	P	X	X	P	X	X	X	X	X	P	P	P	X
Plant nursery	P	X	X	P	X	X	X	X	X	P	P	P	X
Kennel	CU	X	X	CU	X	X	X	X	X	CU	X	CU	X

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Stable	P	X	X	P	X	X	X	X	X	CU	CU	CU	X
Forestry (See Article XX)	P	P	P	P	X	X	X	X	P	P	P	P	P
Temporary sawmill (See Article XX)	P	P	P	P	X	X	X	X	X	P	P	P	P
Reuse of existing agricultural building (See Article XX)	CUA	X	X	CUA	X	X	X	X	X	P	P	P	P
Uses Accessory to Commercial Agriculture and Animal Husbandry													
Retail sales of farm products	P	X	X	P	X	X	X	X	X	CU	CU	CU	X
III. RESIDENTIAL USES													
Principal Uses													
Residence, single-family	P	P	P	P	X	P	P	X	X	X	CU	CU	X
Residence, duplex	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Residence, multi-unit	X	X	X	X	X	CUA	X	X	X	X	X	X	X

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<i>Residence, multi-unit complex</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	P	X	X
<i>Student Housing</i>	X	X	X	X	X	CU	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Senior Age-restricted</i> housing, single family	P	P	P	P	X	X	P	X	P	CU	CU	CU	CU
<i>Senior Age-restricted</i> housing, duplex	P	P	P	P	X	X	P	X	CU	CU	CU	CU	CU
<i>Senior Age-restricted</i> housing, multiunit	P	P	P	P	CU	P	P	P	CU	CU	P	CU	CU
Senior Care facility	P	X	CU	P	X	X	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Nursing Home	X	X	X	X	X	X	P	P	P	P	P	P	CU
Manufactured Housing	P	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Porkchop Subdivisions-(See Article XX)	P	X	X	P	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Uses Accessory To Any Residential Use													
Home occupation-1	P	P	P	P	X	P	P	P	P	P	P	X	X
Home occupation-2	P	X	X	P	X	CU	CU	X	P	P	P	X	X

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Accessory structure	P	P	P	P	X	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Accessory agricultural activities (See Article XX)	P	P	P	P	X	X	X	X	X	P	P	P	X
Accessory animal husbandry - livestock (See Article XX)	P	P	P	P	X	X	X	X	X	CU	CU	CU	X
Accessory animal husbandry - goats (See Article XX)	P	P	P	P	X	X	X	X	X	P	P	P	X
Accessory animal husbandry - poultry (See Article XX)	P	P	P	P	X	X	X	X	X	P	P	P	X
Uses Accessory To a Single Family Residential Use													
Accessory dwelling unit – <i>attached</i> (See Article XX)	P	P	P	P	X	P	P	X	X	X	P	P	X
Accessory <i>apartment dwelling unit - detached</i> (See Article XX)	P	X	X	P	X	P	P	X	X	X	P	P	X
<i>Child-care home for not more than six children</i>	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	X

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<i>Child-care home for more than six children-Day care home</i> (See Article XX)	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	X
Short term rental	SE	SE	SE	SE	P	P	P	P	P	SE	SE	SE	X
IV. INSTITUTIONAL USES													
Principal Uses													
<i>Adult day-care facility</i>	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	CU
Art center	X	X	X	X	P	X	P	P	CU	X	X	X	X
<i>Child-care center or child-care nursery Day care center</i> (See Article XX)	P	X	X	P	P	P	CU	P	CU	P	CU	CU	CU
<i>Nursery or pre-school</i>	P	X	P	P	P	P	CU	P	CU	CU	CU	CU	CU
Club	X	X	X	X	P	X	CU	CU	CU	X	X	X	X
Community center	X	X	X	X	P	P	CU	P	CU	CU	CU	CU	CU
Educational facility	X	X	X	X	CU	P	CU	P	X	X	CU	CU	CU
Fraternity/sorority house	X	X	X	X	CU	CUA	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Government facility</i>	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P

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Hospital	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	CU	CU	X
Library	X	X	X	X	P	P	P	P	P	P	X	X	X
Museum	CU	X	X	CU	P	P	P	P	CU	X	X	CU	CU
Religious use/facility	CU	CU	CU	CU	CU	P	P	X	CU	CU	X	X	X
V. RECREATIONAL USES													
Principal Uses													
Golf course	CU	X	X	CU	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Recreational facility, indoor	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	P	P	P	P
Recreational facility, outdoor	CU	X	X	CU	X	X	X	X	CU	CU	CU	CU	CU
Recreational playing fields, outdoor	P	P	P	P	X	X	X	X	CU	P	P	P	CU
VI. UTILITY & TRANSPORTATION USES													
Principal Uses													
<i>Structured parking</i> Parking garage	X	X	X	X	CU X	X	X	CU X	CU X	X	X	X	X

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<i>Surface parking</i> Parking lot	X	X	X	X	CU	X	CU	CU	X	X	X	X	X
Public utility facility	CU	X	X	CU	X	X	X	X	X	P	P	P	P
Personal Wireless Service Facility (See Article XVIII)	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
VII. COMMERCIAL & INDUSTRY USES													
Principal Uses													
Reuse <i>of</i> older single-family residence for a low impact nonresidential use (See Article XX)	CUA	X	X	CUA	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	X	X
Bed & breakfast	P	P	P	P	CUA	CUA	CUA	CUA	CUA	CUA	CUA	X	X
Inn	P	X	X	P	CUA	CUA	CUA	CUA	CUA	CUA	CUA	X	X
Conference center	X	X	X	X	CU	P	CU	P	P	CU	X	X	CU
Hotel	X	X	X	X	P	P	CU	P	CU	CU	CU	CU	CU
Restaurant	X	X	X	X	P	X	P	P	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Restaurant, carry-out</i>	X	X	X	X	P	X	X	P	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Convenience store with gasoline sales</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	P	X	X	X	X	X

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<i>Craft shop with accessory production</i>	X	X	X	X	P	X	P	P	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Gallery</i>	P	X	X	P	P	X	P	P	CU	X	X	X	X
Retail store, medium <i>size</i>	X	X	X	X	P	X	CU	P	X	X	X	X	X
Retail store, small	X	X	X	X	P	X	P	P	X	X	X	X	X
Financial institution	X	X	X	X	P	P	CUA	P	X	X	X	CU	CU
<i>Business services</i>	X	X	X	X	P	P	CUA	P	CU	P	P	P	P
Funeral homes	X	X	X	X	X	P	X	P	CU	X	X	X	X
<i>Medical clinic</i>	X	X	X	X	P	P	CUA	P	CU	P	P	P	P
<i>Cinema</i>	X	X	X	X	P	P	X	CU	X	X	X	X	X
Theater	X	X	X	X	P	P	X	CU	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Personal services</i>	X	X	X	X	P	X	CUA	P	CU	X	X	X	X
<i>Veterinary clinic/grooming</i> <i>Animal care</i>	CU	X	X	CU	X	X	X	X	X	CU	CU	CU	CU
Office, <i>business</i>	X	X	X	X	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
<i>Office, professional</i>	X	X	X	X	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
<i>Repair services</i>	X	X	X	X	P	X	CUA	P	X	CU	CU	CU	CU

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<i>Automotive service</i> Motor vehicle gas station	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	P	X	X	X	X	X
Motor vehicle service facility	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	P	X	X	X	X	X
Motor vehicle sales <i>and-service facility</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	P	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Automobile/ear</i> Car wash	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	P	X	X	X	X	X
Marine sales and service	X	X	X	CU	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	P
Boatyard/ <i>Boat club</i>	X	X	X	CU	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	P
<i>Research facilities and labs</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	P	P	P	P
Manufacturing, light	X	X	X	X	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Warehouse	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	CU	X	CU	CU
<i>Self storage facility</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Wholesale sales</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	CU	X	CU	CU
Mixed Use with residential (office/retail down, multiunit residential up) (See Note 1)	X	X	X	X	CU	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Mixed Use with parking (parking and-office/retail)</i>	X	X	X	X	CU	CU	CU	CU	CU	X	CU	CU	CU
<i>Mixed Use with parking (parking and-office)</i>	X	X	X	X	CU	CU	CU	CU	CU	CU	CU	CU	CU

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VIII. USES ACCESSORY TO AN ALLOWED NON-RESIDENTIAL USE													
Drive through facility accessory to a financial institution	X	X	X	X	CU	CU	X	CU	X	X	X	CU	CU
<i>Caretaker apartment within a non-residential use</i>	X	X	X	X	X	P	P	P	CU	CU	CU	CU	CU
Accessory buildings and structures	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
Restaurant or cafeteria accessory to a nonresidential use	X	X	X	X	CU	CU	CU	CU	CU	CU	CU	CU	CU
IX. USES ACCESSORY TO ANY ALLOWED USE													
Off street parking on the lot to serve the allowed use	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
<i>Structured parking</i> Parking garage	X	X	X	X	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
<i>Surface parking</i> Parking lot	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
<i>Caretaker apartment</i>	X	X	X	X	X	P	P	P	CU	CU	CU	CU	CU