

ORDINANCE NO. _____
(New Series)

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AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER X, ARTICLE 1,
DIVISION 4, SECTION 101.0414 OF THE SAN DIEGO
MUNICIPAL CODE RELATING TO THE RV ZONE.

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, as
follows:

Section 1. That Chapter X, Article 1, Division 4, Section
101.0414 of the San Diego Municipal Code be, and the same is hereby
amended to read as follows:

SEC. 101.0414 RV ZONE

A. PURPOSE AND INTENT

The RV Zone is intended to designate areas for relatively
small scale hotel and motel developments and medium density,
multiple residential developments which accommodate both short
and long-term visitors to the City and permanent apartment
dwellers. The zone is expressly designed for application to
areas in the vicinity of major tourist attractions or
recreational areas where existing subdivision, ownership and
land use patterns make the assembly and development of large
parcels of land to accommodate extensive commercial recreation
facilities either extremely difficult or impossible. This
zone does not contemplate development of the full range of
visitor services and facilities provided for in the CR Zone;
therefore, it is intended that this zone be located in close
proximity to commercial zones which can meet the convenience

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and service needs of visitors and residents. The regulations of the zone are designed to minimize any adverse effects of motel and hotel facilities on multiple residential developments within or abutting this zone.

B. PERMITTED USES

No building or improvement or portion thereof shall be erected, constructed, converted, established, altered or enlarged, nor shall any lot or premises be used except for one or more of the following purposes:

1. Apartment houses.
2. Boarding and lodging houses.
3. Public parks and public playgrounds.
4. Hotels and motels.
5. Private clubs, lodges and fraternal organizations.
6. Public utility electric distribution substations, gas regulators and communication equipment buildings developed in accordance with building and landscaping plans approved by the Zoning Administrator.
7. Accessory uses customarily incidental to any of the foregoing permitted uses, including the following:
 - a. Not more than two lodgers per dwelling unit.
 - b. Recreational and health facilities which are designed, used and clearly intended for the use of residents of apartment houses, boarding

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and lodging houses, hotels and motels, including tennis courts, putting greens, exercise rooms and sauna and steam baths.

- c. Service establishments in residential complexes containing not less than 80 dwelling units which are designed, used and clearly intended for the primary convenience of the occupants of the residential complex, including the following:

- (1) Barber shops.
- (2) Beauty shops.
- (3) Communal dining facilities.
- (4) Snack bars.
- (5) Dry cleaning and laundry pickup agencies.

- d. Incidental businesses in hotels and motels may include, under the regulations presented herein, the following:

- (1) Restaurants and bars.
- (2) News and tobacco stores.
- (3) Barber shops.
- (4) Beauty shops.
- (5) Valet services (agency for laundering, cleaning and pressing of clothing).
- (6) Travel, ticket and car rental agencies.
- (7) Gift shops.
- (8) Florists.

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e. Signs.

- (1) Wall signs as defined in Section 95.0101 designating the permitted uses of the premises, provided that no such sign shall project above the parapet or eaves of the building to which affixed. In addition, one single or double-faced freestanding sign designating the permitted uses of the premises facing or adjacent to each street abutting the property. The height of any freestanding sign shall not exceed eight feet measured vertically from the base at ground level to the apex of the sign.
- (2) For parking lots - one single or double-faced freestanding, directional sign located at each driveway. Said directional sign shall not exceed two square feet in total face area and four feet in height measured vertically from the base at ground level to the apex of the sign.
- (3) The combined total face area of all wall and freestanding signs on the premises, excluding signs designating the premises for sale, rent or lease, shall not exceed one-fifth of a square foot for each linear foot of street frontage.

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(4) For all premises - one single or double-faced freestanding sign with a maximum area of eight square feet offering the premises for sale, rent or lease. Said sign shall not exceed a height of four feet measured vertically from the base at ground level to the apex of the sign. Such sign may be located anywhere on the premises.

(5) Signs permitted herein may be lighted; however, none shall contain visibly moving parts or be illuminated by flashing lights.

8. Any other uses, including accessory uses, which the Planning Commission may find to be similar in character to the uses enumerated in "B." above and consistent with the purpose and intent of this zone. The adopted resolution embodying such findings shall be filed in the office of the City Clerk.

C. SPECIAL REGULATIONS

1. All accessory uses shall be located in the same building as the permitted uses which they serve. There shall be no entrance to any such accessory uses except through a foyer, court, lobby, hall, patio or other similar interior area. However, neither of

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the foregoing regulations shall be applicable to accessory uses exclusively serving outdoor recreational activities. No signs, displays or advertising relating to accessory uses shall be visible from any street. The combined gross floor area of all accessory uses, excluding outdoor recreational facilities, on any premises shall occupy not more than 20 percent of the gross floor area of the permitted uses.

2. No mechanical equipment, tank duct, elevator enclosure, cooling tower or mechanical ventilator shall be erected, constructed, maintained or altered anywhere on the premises unless all such equipment and appurtenances are contained within a completely enclosed penthouse or other portion of a building having walls and roofs with construction and appearance similar to the main building.

D. DENSITY REGULATIONS

No lot shall be occupied by more than one dwelling unit or two guest rooms for each 1,000 square feet of lot area.

E. PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS

No building or portion thereof shall be erected, constructed, converted, established, altered, enlarged, nor shall any lot or premises be used unless the lot or premises and building or

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portion thereof shall comply with the following requirements and special regulations:

1. Minimum Lot Dimensions.

- a. Area - 10,000 square feet.
- b. Street frontage - 100 feet, except that for any lot which fronts principally on a turnaround or on a curving street having a radius of curvature of less than 100 feet, the minimum frontage shall be 60 feet.
- c. Width.
 - (1) Interior lot - 100 feet.
 - (2) Corner lot - 100 feet.
- d. Depth - 100 feet.
- e. Exception. Any lot which qualifies under the definition of a lot as set forth in this Code and which does not comply in all respects with the minimum lot dimensions specified herein may nevertheless be used as permitted and otherwise regulated by the provisions applicable to this zone.

2. Minimum Yards.

- a. Front - 15 feet, except that for any portion of a lot which fronts on a turnaround or on a curving street having a radius of curvature of less than 100 feet, the minimum front yard shall be ten feet.

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b. Side.

(1) Interior - four feet, except that for a lot having a width of 50 feet or less, the minimum interior side yards shall be three feet. The required minimum interior side yards shall be increased two feet for each story above two.

(2) Street - ten feet.

c. Rear - 15 feet, except that the rear yard specified herein shall be increased two feet for each story above eight.

d. Exception. Two adjoining lots which have a common side lot line and which are developed concurrently may be developed with zero side yards on the said common side lot line, provided that each opposite interior side yard is not less than eight feet, which shall be increased two feet for each story above two.

3. Maximum Coverage.

a. Interior lot - 50 percent.

b. Corner lot - 60 percent.

4. Landscaping.

Prior to the use and occupancy of any premises, a strip of land within said premises abutting public

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street rights-of-way, except for approved ways of ingress and egress, shall be suitably landscaped with shrubs, trees and ornamental ground cover. Said strip shall have a minimum depth of five feet and an area equal in square feet to ten times the length of the property line abutting public street rights-of-way, except for approved ways of ingress and egress. Any portion of said landscaped strip which exceeds 25 feet in depth shall not be included in calculating the required area. Prior to the issuance of any building permits, a complete landscaping plan shall be submitted to the Zoning Administrator for approval; said landscaping plan shall be in substantial conformance with standards and specifications adopted by the Planning Commission as set forth in the document entitled "Developmental Standards and Operational Standards - Landscaped Strips" on file in the office of the Planning Department. Substantial conformance shall be determined by the Zoning Administrator; said determination shall be subject to appeal in the manner set forth in Sections 101.0504 and 101.0505. Landscaping and required watering system shall be installed prior to the use of the premises.

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5. Outdoor Storage.

Outdoor storage of merchandise, material or equipment shall be permitted only when incidental to a permitted use located on the same premises and provided that:

- a. The storage area shall be completely enclosed by walls, fences or buildings or a combination thereof. Any walls or fences shall be solid and not less than six feet in height.
- b. There shall be no outdoor storage of merchandise, materials, equipment or other goods to a height greater than that of any enclosing wall, fence or building.

6. Other Applicable Regulations.

Other applicable property development regulations are contained in Division 6 of this Article.

F. OFF-STREET PARKING REGULATIONS

1. Every premises used for one or more of the permitted uses listed in "B." above shall be provided with a minimum of permanently maintained off-street parking spaces in a parking area or private garage on the same premises as follows:

- a. For apartments - one space for each dwelling unit containing one bedroom or less and 1.5 spaces for each dwelling unit containing two or more bedrooms.

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- b. For boarding and lodging houses - one space for each lodger.
 - c. For hotels and motels - one space for each guest room, and one space for each 500 square feet of gross floor area used for incidental business.
 - d. For private clubs and similar establishments - one space for each guest room or one space for each 400 square feet of gross floor area, whichever is greater.
 - e. For areas used for dining, dancing or the serving of drinks - one space for each 60 square feet of floor area.
 - f. For accessory uses permitted under provisions of "B.7.c." and "B.7.d." above, except restaurants and bars - one space for each 400 square feet of gross floor area.
2. Where ambiguity exists in the application of these off-street parking requirements or when any use not specified in "B." above is found by the Planning Commission to be a permitted use in accordance with "B.8." above, the off-street parking requirements shall be determined by the Planning Commission.

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3. Off-street parking facilities shall be constructed, maintained and operated in compliance with Division 8 of this Article.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on the thirtieth day from and after its passage, and no permits for construction, alteration or repair of any building or structure which does not conform with this ordinance shall be issued unless the application and all plans therefor have been filed prior to the effective date.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

By 
Frederick C. Conrad, Deputy

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Passed and adopted by the Council of The City of San Diego on _____
by the following vote:

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	Leon L. Williams	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Floyd L. Morrow	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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	Allen Hitch	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Mike Schaefer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Mayor Frank Curran	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AUTHENTICATED BY:

FRANK CURRAN
Mayor of The City of San Diego, California.
EDWARD NIELSEN
~~JOHN LOCKWOOD~~
City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.

(Seal)

By Elfa D. Hamel, Deputy.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing ordinance was not finally passed until twelve calendar days had elapsed between the day of its introduction and the day of its final passage, to wit, on

JUL 1 1971

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, and on _____

~~I FURTHER CERTIFY that said ordinance was read in full prior to its final passage.~~

I FURTHER CERTIFY that the reading of said ordinance in full was dispensed with by a vote of not less than a majority of the members elected to the Council, and that there was available for the consideration of each member of the Council and the public prior to the day of its passage a written or printed copy of said ordinance.

EDWARD NIELSEN
~~JOHN LOCKWOOD~~
City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.

(Seal)

By Elfa D. Hamel, Deputy.

Office of the City Clerk, San Diego, California	
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ATTORNEY (S)

- City of San Diego
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San Diego, California 92101

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION

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RELATING TO THE RV ZONE

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I, Patricia M. Applestill hereby certify that The Daily Transcript is a daily newspaper of general circulation within the provisions of the Government Code of the State of California, printed and published in the City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California; that I am the principal clerk of said newspaper; that the

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I certify under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct, at San Diego, California, on

July 23, 1971

Patricia M. Applestill
(Signature)

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c. Width.

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2. Minimum Yards

a. Front - 15 feet, except that for any portion of a lot which fronts on a turnaround or on a curving street having a radius of curvature of less than 100 feet, the minimum front yard shall be 10 feet.

b. Side.

(1) Interior - four feet, except that for a lot having a width of 50 feet or less, the minimum interior side yards shall be three feet. The required minimum interior side yards shall be increased two feet for each story above two.

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Prior to the use and occupancy of any premises, a strip of land within said premises abutting public street rights-of-way, except for approved ways of ingress and egress, shall be suitably landscaped with shrubs, trees and ornamental ground cover. Said strip shall have a minimum depth of five feet and an area equal in square feet to ten times the length of the property line abutting public street rights-of-way, except for approved ways of ingress and egress. Any portion of said landscaped strip which exceeds 25 feet in depth shall not be included in calculating the required area. Prior to the issuance of any building permits, a complete landscaping plan shall be submitted to the Zoning Administrator for approval; said landscaping plan shall be in substantial conformance with standards and specifications adopted by the Planning Commission as set forth in the document entitled "Developmental Standards and Operational Standards - Landscaped Strips" on file in the office of the Planning Department. Substantial conformance shall be determined by the Zoning Administrator; said determination shall be subject to appeal in the manner set forth in Sections 101.0504 and 101.0505. Landscaping and required watering system shall be installed prior to the use of the premises.

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Passed and adopted by the Council of The City of San Diego on July 18,
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AUTHENTICATED BY: FRANK CURRAN,
Mayor of The City of San Diego, California.
EDWARD NIELSEN,
City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.
Passed July 22, 1971.