

**Article 1: Separately Regulated Use Regulations**

**Division 7: Office Use Category--Separately Regulated Uses**

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**§141.0701 Real Estate Sales Offices and Model Homes**

Real estate sales offices and model homes are permitted as a limited use in the zones indicated with an “L” in the Use Regulations Tables in Chapter 13, Article 1 (Base Zones) subject to the following regulations.

- (a) Real estate sales offices and model homes are permitted within the boundaries of a *subdivision* while *lots* are offered for sale to the public for the first time.
- (b) Real estate sales offices and model homes are not permitted within 100 feet of an occupied dwelling unit that is not in the same *subdivision* as the office or model home.
- (c) Real estate sales offices and model homes shall be located within *structures* that have been built in compliance with the provisions of the applicable zone.
- (d) One *structure* within a *subdivision* may be used for a real estate sales office.
- (e) For *subdivisions* of fewer than 65 *lots*, up to 6 of the dwelling units may be used for model homes.
- (f) For *subdivisions* of 65 or more *lots*, up to 10 percent of the dwelling units, but not more than 20 units, may be used for model homes.
- (g) *Signs*, flags, and other methods of advertising shall comply with Chapter 14, Article 2, Division 12 (Sign Regulations).
- (h) Real estate sales offices shall display the *land use plan* map and the public facilities financing plan, if any, that are applicable to the area. The *land use plan* map shall be at least 2 feet by 3 feet in size. The display shall be in a prominent location and shall clearly indicate that these documents are subject to revision and that further information is available from the City of San Diego.
- (i) Real estate sales offices and model home uses shall terminate 2 years after the final *subdivision map* that includes the *lots* on which the uses are located has been filed in the office of the County Recorder or 2 years after the issuance of the last Building Permit for a building within the *subdivision*, whichever is later.

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**§141.0702 Sex Offender Treatment and Counseling Facilities**

This Section regulates medical treatment or counseling facilities that physically or psychologically treat five or more *sex offenders* in one year.

*Sex offender* treatment and counseling facilities are permitted as a limited use in the zones indicated with an “L” in the Use Regulations Tables in Chapter 13, Article 1 (Base Zones) subject to the following regulations.

(a) Exemptions

(1) Incidental treatment and counseling services offered by the following organizations operating under a Conditional Use Permit are exempt from this Section:

(A) Residential care facilities as described in Section 141.0312;

(B) Transitional housing facilities as described in Section 141.0313;

(C) Hospitals as described in Section 141.0413;

(D) Intermediate care facilities and nursing facilities as described in Section 141.0423;

(E) *Social service institutions* as described in Section 141.0417; and

(F) Correctional placement centers as described in Section 141.0406.

(2) Facilities that perform only court-ordered forensic evaluations are exempt from this Section.

(b) *Sex offender* treatment and counseling facilities are not permitted within 1,000 feet of any *school*.

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