



Objectives

- 1. From greenfield to redevelopment and infill
- 2. Incentivize economic investment
- 3. Modernize regulations
- Organize for applicant, first; regulator, second
- Reduce redundancies
- 6. Streamline and consolidate language
- 7. Less is more: graphics, tables, references
- 8. Overall user-friendly code



Organization – Chapters

- CH 134. General and Administrative Provisions
- CH 138. Zoning (Articles I X)
- CH 142. Airport Zoning
- CH 146. Historic Preservation (NO CHANGES PROPOSED)
- CH 150. Impact Fees (NO CHANGES PROPOSED)
- CH 154. Site Development, ROW Improvements, Subdivisions and Platting
- CH 158. Floodplain Management
- CH 162. Signs (REMOVED)
- CH 166. Environmental and Natural Resource Protection
- CH 170. Miscellaneous Provisions (REMOVED-RELOCATED)



Project Involvement – Throughout

- LDC Focus / Stakeholder Group
 - Residents, developers, planners, engineers
- County Departments / Agencies
 - Meetings, presentations and workshops
- Project Consultants
 - Professional planners, engineers, designers
 - New regulations 'beta tests'
- Public, Board and Committee Meetings
 - Open Pinellas, Presentations, workshops, BCC, LPA, BOA



Project Involvement – Final Draft

- County Departments and Agency Reviews
 - May 7th July 14th
 - SharePoint
- LPA and BOA Reviews
 - May 9th July 14th
 - Open Pinellas
- Project Stakeholder Reviews
 - Development community, special interest groups, HOAs, etc.
 - May 9th July 14th
 - Open Pinellas
- General Public Reviews
 - May 9th July 14th
 - Press Release, County website, Open Pinellas



Adoption Schedule

- August 9: LPA public hearing
- September 13: BCC first reading and public hearing
- October 23: BCC final public hearing and adoption
- October December: Staff training, Municode
- Go Live!: January 1st, 2019

Chapter 134 – General and Administrative Provisions

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

- General cleanup and organizational improvements
- External regulatory document references instead of rewriting
- Updated quasi judicial proceedings language



- Article I In General (Definitions)
 - General cleanup
 - Modernized language
 - Less legalese
 - Consolidation
 - Less regulation
 - moved to specific use standards, etc.



- Article II Administration and Enforcement
 - Updated and clarified
 - Added Development Review Committee (DRC)
 - Board of Adjustment and Appeals (BAA) will now hear NCU modifications and certain appeals
 - Administrative Adjustments give staff (departmental and DRC) more flexibility to make certain decisions



- Article II Administration and Enforcement
 - Review Types
 - Type 1 Administrative
 - Path A Departmental
 - Path B DRC
 - Type 2 Board of Adjustment and Appeals
 - Type 3 Board of County Commissioners (zoning-related)
 - Type 4 Board of County Commissioners (Comp Plan-related)
 - Type 5 Board of County Commissioners (plats, vacations, etc.)

Review Procedures Table (example)



- Type 2 Review (*BAA*)
 - Public hearings
 - Type 2 Uses, Variances, and Nonconforming Use Modifications / Expansions
 - DRC review and recommendation to BAA

Table 138.82.a - Type 2 Review Procedure Applications/Reviews Type 2 uses (establishment of new or major modification thereof) **Variances Nonconforming Use Modifications/Expansions** Other authority allowed by this code Pre-Application Meeting (optional) **County Staff** First Review and Recommendation Body **Development Review Committee (DRC)** Reviewing and Action Body **Board of Adjustment and Appeals (BAA)** Result Written notice of official action **Appeal Process Circuit Court**



Article II – Administration and Enforcement

- Variances & Administrative Adjustments
 - Lists what code requirements may be varied
 - Clarifies review criteria and what must be included with an application (application forms will be updated)
 - Levels
 - Up to 10% relief sought (departmental review)
 - Between 10% & 20% (DRC)
 - More than 20% (BAA)



Article III – Zoning and Land Uses

- New quick and easy-to-use 'Table of Uses for Zoning Districts' – THE MATRIX
- Modified zoning district names and descriptions
- Provides descriptions for uses identified in the matrix
- TDRs moved into the LDC from the Comp Plan

Land Use – Zoning Matrix (excerpt)



Table 138-355 – Table of Uses for Zoning Districts																																	
LEGEND: 1 = Permitted Use / Type 1 Review 2 = Community Development Board (CBD) / Type 2 Review 3 = Board of County Commissioners (BoCC) / Type 3 Review A = Accessory Use Blank = Use Not Allowed																																	
NOTES: (a) - Uses may be further defined, restricted, and/or limited in an approved Development Master Plan, regulating plan, and/or Specific Area Plan. Mixed Public/Semi-Public Detricts (a)																																	
Zoning Districts	Single-Family Districts (a)				Multi-Family Districts (a)				Office and Commercial Districts (a)					Industrial Districts (a)			Use District	Special Districts (a)		icts (a)	Institutional Districts		$\overline{}$	Environmental Districts		Recreational Districts		Specific Use					
																							OPH-D-	OPH-D-	FBC			AL	PC	P-RM	RBR	FBR	Standard s
Land Use	A-E	E-1	R-R	R-1	R-2	R-3	RMH	R-4	R-5	RM	RPD	ro	GO	C-1	C-2	CP	CR	E-1	E-2	<u>'</u>	IPD	MXD	(ESD)	(WSD)	See Adopted Regulating Plan	ш	GI	See Article VI Division 3		See Article VI Division 4		See Article IX	
RESIDENTIAL USES																																	
Accessory Dwelling Unit	А	А	А	А	А	А		А	А	А	А					А						А	А	А									Y
Accessory Dwelling Unit, Owner/Manager	А	А					А					А	А	А	А	А	А	А	А	А	А	А				А	А						Y
Affordable Housing Development (AHD)	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2			2	1	1					2	1											Y
Assisted Living Facility	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	1			2	1	1						1	1	1		1	1						Y

- 1 = Type 1 Review permitted use (staff review)
- 2 = Type 2 review BAA (special exception)
- 3 = Type 3 review BCC (conditional use)
- A = Accessory
- Blank = use not allowed

Zoning District Name Changes

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- A-E to R-A (Residential Agriculture)
- E-1 to R-E (Residential Estate)
- R-6 to RMH (Residential Mobile Home)
- Just RM and RPD (no trailing number)
- P-1A to LO (Limited Office)
- P-1 to GO (General Office)
- CP-1 and CP-2 to CP (Commercial Parkway)
- M-1 to E-1 (Employment 1)
- C-3 to E-2 (Employment 2)
- M-2 to I (Industrial)
- IL to LI (Limited Institutional)
- PSP to GI (General Institutional)
- MXD (Mixed Use) new district



- Article IV Residential Districts
- Article V Office, Commercial, Industrial, Mixed Use Districts
- Article VI Public/Semi-Public Districts
 - Institutional, Environmental and Recreational
- Article VII Overlay Districts
- Article VIII Special Districts
 - OPH-D and FBC

Zoning District Tables (example)



	R-2 – Development Parameters Table ⁽³⁾														
Density and Intensity	Max. Building		Min. Lot		Min. Setbacks (ft) (2)										
Standards	Height (ft) ⁽¹⁾	Area	Width (ft) Depth (ft)		Front - Structure	Front - porch, patio, deck	Side ⁽⁴⁾ Interior	Side Street	Rear						
See underlying Future Land Use Category	35	7,500 sf	70	80	20	10	7	10	10						

- 1. Other height requirements and allowances may be applicable pursuant to Chapter 138, Article X, Division 1, Sec. 138-3501. Measurement of height and limitations
- 2. Other setback requirements and allowance may be applicable pursuant to Chapter 138, Article X, Division 1, Sec. 138-3505. Setback Measurements, allowances and restrictions
- 3. These Development Parameters may be superseded by other requirements as part of an adopted Development Master Plan and/or Conditional Overlay.



- Article IX Specific Use Standards
 - Grouped by type of use as shown on the Matrix
 - Residential
 - Accommodations
 - Commercial & Office
 - Industrial, Manufacturing & Warehousing
 - Art, Recreation & Entertainment
 - Education, Public Administration, Health Care, & Institutional
 - Transportation, Communication & Information
 - Utilities
 - Agriculture
 - Other
 - Animals & Livestock
 - Temporary Uses & Structures
 - Performance Standards



- Article X Community Design Standards
 - General Design (height, setbacks, lighting, road frontage, dumpsters, etc.)
 - Parking & Loading
 - Landscaping, Habitat Protection & Wetland Buffers (moved from Ch. 166)
 - Fences & Walls
 - Signs (no substantial changes)
 - District Design Criteria (building orientation & design (for some districts), pedestrian connections, street & parking layout)

Chapter 142 – Airport Zoning



 Chapter updated to reflect statutory changes and new requirements

Chapter 154 – Site Development, ROW Improvements, Subdivisions and Platting

- Majority of drainage requirements (Ch. 154, Art. II)
 moved to Stormwater Manual
- New functional classification design elements and standards matrices (Ch. 154, Art. III)
- Additional roadway layout / design alternatives and guidance (Ch. 154, Art. III)
- Moved access management systems for collector and arterial roads from Ch. 170 (Ch. 154, Art. IV)

Chapter 158 – Floodplain Management



- Department of Public Works leading Chapter update
- State-specific requirements and coordination required
- Due to countywide applicability, some sections moved into County Code Chapter 58 – Environment

Chapter 166 – Environmental and Natural Resource Protection

- A number of countywide functions moved to more appropriate locations in Chapter 58
 - Water and Navigation Regulations
 - Surface Water Management
 - Mangrove Trimming and Preservation

Chapters Removed



- Chapter 162 Signs
 - Intended as a model sign ordinance for Pinellas
 County municipalities to adopt as their own
 - County's sign regulations in Chapter 138
- Chapter 170 Miscellaneous Provisions
 - Historic repository for newly adopted regulations
 - All articles moved to other, more closely associated chapters

Moving Forward



- Future ordinance to address modifications and updates
 - 12 18 months
 - What did we miss?
 - Unforeseen issues, unintended consequences, necessary clarifications
 - Suggested additions and changes outside project scope
 - Incorporate regulations highlighted in the Comprehensive Plan results neutral policy consolidation effort

Requested Action



 Conduct the second of two Public Hearings and adopted the proposed Ordinance



Thank You!

Questions?