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ORDINANCE NO. 31A-198

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
JAMES CITY COUNTY
VIRGINIA

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AND REORDAIN CHAPTER 24, ZONING, OF THE CODE OF THE COUNTY OF JAMES CITY, VIRGINIA, BY AMENDING ARTICLE I, IN GENERAL, SECTION 24-2, DEFINITIONS.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of James City, Virginia, that Chapter 24, Zoning, is hereby amended and reordained by amending Article I, In General, Section 24-2, Definitions.

Chapter 24. Zoning

Article I. In General

Sec. 24-2. Definitions.

For the purposes of this chapter, the following words and phrases shall have the meaning respectively ascribed to them by this section:

Affordable housing. Units with sales price at or below the allowable sales price for James City County as set by adjusting the 1998 Hampton Roads Regional Loan Fund Partnership sales price limit (\$90,000) as referenced in the Hampton Roads Regional Loan Fund Handbook (March 1998) by the cumulative rate of inflation as measured by the consumer price index (CPI) annual average change. The annual increase shall not exceed five percent.

Arterial streets. A street specifically designed to move high volumes of traffic from collector streets

through the county and not designed to serve abuting lots except indirectly through intersecting streets. Arterial

streets shall include all U.S. Highways, state primaries with one, two or three-digit numbers, state secondary

roads with three-digit numbers, and any other street which the subdivision agent determines is functionally

equivalent to these transportation department classifications. This definition shall not include three-digit

numbered streets which are part of a recorded subdivision or an extension thereof.

Dwelling. Any structure which is designed for use for residential purposes, except hotels, motels,

boardinghouses, lodging houses and tourist cabins,

(1) Single-family detached. A detached structure arranged or designed to be occupied by one family,

the structure having only one dwelling unit.

(2) Two-family. A structure containing two dwelling units separated from one another by a solid wall

or floor. For the purpose of this chapter, the term "two-family dwelling" shall not apply to a

single-family dwelling containing an accessory apartment.

(3) Multiple family. A structure arranged or designed to be occupied by more than two families.

Neighborhood Resource Center. A facility used primarily by residents of adjacent neighborhoods for

the sharing of information and services of a public, nonprofit, or charitable nature. Primary uses may include

resource libraries, meeting rooms, offices for neighborhood organizations or related staff, and education rooms.

Accessory uses may include food preparation areas, health areas, community gardens, and parking.

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"Neighborhood Resource Center" does not include any facility with sales or residential units, nor does it include facilities for private lodges or clubs.

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Chairman, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

Sanford B. Wanner Clerk to the Board SUPERVISOR VOTE

NERVITT AYE
SISK AYE
MCGLENNON AYE
BRADSHAW AYE
EDWARDS AYE

Adopted by the Board of Supervisors of James City County, Virginia, this 25th day of May, 1999.

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