

### SECTION 27

# Conservation C District

#### 27.0 Purpose

To develop nature-based uses in configurations suitable to conserve natural or cultural resources such as, but not limited to, unusual topography, wetlands, watercourses, stormwater basins; aquifers; agricultural land or aquaculture activity; wildlife habitat; historic landscapes, visual corridors or scenic vistas.

### 27.1 Permitted Uses

- 27.1.1 Activities conducted for the specific purpose of conserving or preserving *soil*, vegetation, water, fish, shellfish, wildlife or other land or water resources
- 27.1.2 Public walkway, park or fishing pier
- 27.1.3 Off-street parking accessory to a permitted use
- 27.1.4 [Reserved]
- 27.1.5 [Reserved]
- 27.1.6 Park, playground or open space land
- 27.1.7 Keeping of livestock or poultry
- 27.1.8 Farm, including a *roadside stand*, agricultural nursery or greenhouse
- 27.1.9 Signs
- 27.1.10 Accessory uses customary with and incidental to any previously mentioned permitted use

#### 27.2 Special Exception Uses

- 27.2.1 Research laboratory for the study of aquatic and marine environment, ecology or resources
- 27.2.2 Shoreline flood & erosion control structure
- 27.2.3 Summer day camp, if there is no furnishing of rooms
- 27.2.4 Any one of the following *uses* when not conducted as a business or for profit: place of worship, schools, cemetery; or educational, religious, philanthropic or charitable institution
- 27.2.5 Building, use or facility of the Town of Old Saybrook not listed as a permitted use
- 27.2.6 Building, use or facility of the State of Connecticut or Federal Government
- 27.2.7 Any one of the following *uses* when not conducted as a business for profit: or nature preserve or wildlife sanctuary; or golf, tennis, swimming, boating or similar club

- 27.2.8 Commercial tree cutting
- 27.2.9 Public utility substation or telephone equipment building provided that there is no outside service yard or *outside storage* of supplies
- 27.2.10 Water supply reservoir, wells, tower or treatment facility or pump station
- 27.2.11 Accessory use customary with and incidental to any Special Exception Use, except where specifically prohibited

## 27.3 Lot Area, Shape and Frontage

27.3.4 Minimum width along Building Line

C. From Other Property Line

D. Maximum Height

| 27.3.1 | Minimum Lot Area                     |                    |  |  |
|--------|--------------------------------------|--------------------|--|--|
|        | A. Not served by public water supply | 60,000 square feet |  |  |
|        | B. Served by public water supply     | 40,000 square feet |  |  |
| 27.3.2 | 2 Minimum Dimension of Square        |                    |  |  |
|        | A. Served by public water supply     | 150 feet           |  |  |
|        | B. Not served by public water supply | 200 feet           |  |  |
| 27.3.3 | Minimum Frontage                     | 20 feet            |  |  |

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## **27.4 Н**ЕІ**G**HT

| 27.4.1 | Maximum number of stories | 21/2 stories |
|--------|---------------------------|--------------|
| 27.4.2 | Maximum Height            | 35 feet      |

### 27.5 **S**ETBACKS

| 27.5.1 | From Street Line                      | 50 feet |
|--------|---------------------------------------|---------|
| 27.5.2 | From Rear Property Line               | 20 feet |
| 27.5.3 | From Other Property Line              | 20 feet |
| 27.5.4 | Projection into Setback Area          | 3 feet  |
| 27.5.5 | Minor Accessory Building or Structure |         |
|        | A. From Street Line                   | 50 feet |
|        | B. From Rear Property Line            | 20 feet |



### 27.6 BUILDING BULK AND COVERAGE

27.6.1 Maximum Building/Structure Coverage 10%

27.6.2 Maximum Gross Floor Area 20%

### 27.7 PLOT PLAN

Prior to approval of any application for Certificate of Zoning Compliance for a permitted *use* under this Section, a Plot Plan will be submitted to and approved by the Enforcement Officer.

### 27.8 **SITE PLAN**

Prior to approval of any application for Certificate of Zoning Compliance for a permitted *use* under this Section, a Site Plan will be submitted to and approved by the *Commission*.

### 27.9 Special Exception

Prior to the approval of any application for Certificate of Zoning Compliance for a Special Exception *use* permitted under this Section, a Site Plan and Special Exception application will be submitted to and approved by the *Commission*.