

Development Review Board (DRB)

Development Application Checklist



Digital Submittal:

Please follow the plan and document submittal requirements below. **All files shall be uploaded in PDF format.** Provide one (1) full-size copy of each required plan document file. Application forms and other written documents or reports should be formatted to 8.5 x 11. A digital submittal Key Code is required to upload your documents and will be provided by your coordinator. Files should be uploaded **individually** and in **order** of how they are listed on this checklist.

Project No.: _____ -PA- _____ Key Code: _____

Submit digitally at: <https://eservices.scottsdaleaz.gov/bldgresources/Cases/DigitalMenu>

Minimum Submittal Requirements:

At your pre-application meeting, your project coordinator will identify which items indicated on this Development Application checklist are required to be submitted. A Development Application that does not include all items indicated on this checklist may be deemed incomplete until all items have been submitted. A Development Application is not complete until it is verified that the application meets the minimum submittal requirements for review and the application fee has been processed.

In addition to the items on this checklist, to avoid delays in the review of your application, all Plans, Graphics, Reports and other additional information that is to be submitted shall be provided in accordance with the:

- Requirements specified in the Plan & Report Requirements for Development Applications Checklist; and
- Design Standards & Policies Manual; and
- Requirements of Scottsdale Revised Code (including the Zoning Ordinance); and
- Stipulations, including any additional submittal requirements identified in the stipulations, of any Development Application approved that this application is reliant upon; and
- The city's design guidelines.

If you have any questions regarding the information above, or items indicated on this application checklist, please contact your project coordinator.

Name: _____ Phone Number: 480-312- _____ Coordinator e-mail: _____@scottsdaleaz.gov

Prior to application submittal, please research original zoning case history to find the original adopted ordinance(s) and exhibit(s) to confirm the zoning for the property. This will help to define your application accurately. Visit the city's Planning & Development Services Records Department for assistance: <https://www.scottsdaleaz.gov/planning-development/records>.

PART I -- GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

Req'd	Rec'd	Description of Documents Required for Complete Application. No application shall be accepted without all items marked below.
☒		1. Development Review Application Checklist (this list)
☒		2. Application Fee \$ _____ (subject to change every July)
☒		3. Completed Development Application Form (form provided) • The applicant/agent shall select a review methodology on the application form (Enhanced Application Review or Standard Application Review). • If a review methodology is not selected, the application will be reviewed under the Standard Application Review methodology.
		4. Request to Submit Concurrent Development Applications (form provided)
		5. Letter of Authorization (from property owner(s) if property owner did not sign the application form)
		6. Affidavit of Authorization to Act for Property Owner (required if the property owner is a corporation, trust, partnership, etc. and/or the property owner(s) will be represented by an applicant that will act on behalf of the property owner. (form provided)

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		7. Appeals of Required Dedications or Exactions (form provided)
		8. Commitment for Title Insurance – No older than 30 days from the submittal date (information provided) • Include complete Schedule A and Schedule B.
		9. Legal Description (if not provided in Commitment for Title Insurance)
		10. Results of ALTA Survey (The ALTA Survey shall not be more than 30 days old)
		11. Request for Site Visits and/or Inspections Form (form provided)
		12. Addressing Requirements (form provided)
		13. Design Guidelines Sensitive Design Program Design Standards and Policies Manual Commercial Retail Guidelines Gas Station & Convenience Store Guidelines Environmentally Sensitive Land Ordinance Old Town Scottsdale Urban Design and Architectural Guidelines Greater Phoenix Metro Green Infrastructure Handbook Golf Course Guidelines MAG Supplements Scenic Corridors Design Guidelines Office Design Guidelines Restaurants Guidelines Lighting Design Guidelines Shading Guidelines Self-Storage Facilities Design Guidelines Desert Park Guidelines Canal Design Guidelines The above reference design guidelines, standards, policies, and additional information may be found on the city's website at: http://www.scottsdaleaz.gov/design
		14. Public Participation Process Requirements (see Attachment A)
		15. Request for Neighborhood Group Contact information (form provided)
		16. Photo Exhibit of Existing Conditions (form provided) See attached Existing Conditions Photo Exhibit graphic showing required photograph locations and numbers. • 8-1/2" x 11" - ⑥ copies of the set of prints (Delayed submittal). At the time your project coordinator is preparing the public hearing report(s), he/she will request these items, and they are to be submitted by the date indicated in the Determination Letter.
		17. Archaeological Resources (information packet provided) Cultural Resources Survey & Report Archaeology 'Records Check' Report Only Copies of Previous Archaeological Research
		18. Completed Airport Vicinity Development Checklist – Your property is located within the vicinity of the Scottsdale Municipal Airport (within 20,000-foot radius of the runway; information packet provided) Short Form Long Form (including full-size site plan at a 1"= 20' scale and elevation plan submitted to Aviation Staff for review) Height Analysis (search "Notice Criteria Tool" on the FAA web page: https://oeaaa.faa.gov/oeaaa/external/portal.jsp) Aviation Fuel Dispensing Application Form
		19. ESLO Wash Modifications Development Application (application provided) The ESLO Wash Modifications Development Application is to be submitted concurrently with this Development Review Application.

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		20. International Green Construction Code (IgCC) and Energy Compliance Report The above referenced requirements may be found on the city's website at: https://www.scottsdaleaz.gov/green-building-program/green-codes
PART II -- REQUIRED PLANS & RELATED DATA		
Req'd	Rec'd	Description of Documents Required for Complete Application. All Plans, Building Elevations, Perspectives, and Details shall be black-line drawings of suitable quality for reproduction and without gray-tones or shading, except as otherwise noted. No application shall be accepted without all items marked below.
		21. Plan & Report Requirements for Development Applications Checklist (form provided)
		22. Application Narrative - The application narrative shall specify how the proposal separately addresses each of the applicable Development Review Board criteria. (form provided) - Historic Property. If the property is an existing or potential historic property, describe how the proposal preserves the historic character or compliance with property's existing Historic Preservation Plan. - Design Guideline Conformance. The application narrative shall specify through narrative and/or graphical exhibits how the proposal addresses the Design Guidelines marked on DRB Development Application Checklist item number 13 (above).
		23. Context Aerial with the proposed site improvements superimposed Aerial shall not be more than 1 year old and shall include an overlay of the site plan showing lot lines, tracts, easements, street locations/names and surrounding zoning districts for a radius from the site of: 750-foot radius from site ¼-mile radius from site (lots greater than 1 acre) Other: _____
		24. Site Plan
		25. Preliminary Grading and Drainage Plan
		26. Refuse Plan
		27. Site Details (Elevations of screen walls, site walls, refuse enclosure, carport, lot light pole, trellis, etc.)
		28. Open Space Plan (Site Plan Worksheet) (Example Provided)
		29. Site Cross Sections
		30. Natural Area Open Space Plan (ESLO Areas)
		31. Topography and slope analysis plan (ESLO Areas)
		32. Phasing Plan
		33. Landscape Plan (a gray-tone copy of the color Landscape Plan will not be accepted)
		34. Hardscape Plan (a gray-tone copy of the color Hardscape Plan will not be accepted)
		35. Transitions Plan
		36. Parking Plan
		37. Parking Master Plan See the city's <u>Zoning Ordinance, Article IX</u> for specific submittal and content requirements for Parking Master Plan. The report must include all required exhibits.
		38. Pedestrian and Vehicular Circulation
		39. Bikeways & Trails Plan
		40. Building Elevations (a gray-tone copy of the color Elevations will not be accepted)

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		41. Building Elevations Worksheet(s) Required for all Development applications to zoned Planned Unit Development (PUD) and in the Downtown Area.
		42. Perspectives
		43. Streetscape Elevation(s)
		44. Wall Elevations and Details and/or Entry Feature Elevations and Details
		45. Floor Plans
		46. Floor Plan Worksheet(s) Required for restaurants, bars or development containing there-of, and multi-family developments.
		47. Roof Plan Worksheet(s)
		48. Demolition Plan
		49. Sign Details
		50. Exterior Lighting Site Plan (including exterior building mounted fixtures)
		51. Exterior Lighting Photometric Analysis (policy provided)
		52. Manufacturer Cut Sheets of All Proposed Lighting
		53. Cultural Improvement Program Plan Conceptual design of location Approval letter for the artwork design from Scottsdale Cultural Council (Scottsdale Public Art) Narrative explanation of the methodology to comply with the requirement/contribution.
		54. Sensitive Design Concept Plan and Proposed Design Guidelines (Architectural, landscape, hardscape, exterior lighting, community features, common structures, etc.)
		55. Master Thematic Architectural Character Plan
		56. Drainage Report See Chapter 4 of the city's <u>Design Standards & Policies Manual</u> for specific submittal and content requirements for drainage reports. The report must include all required exhibits, full color aerial, and topography maps. Any advanced hydraulic or hydrologic models shall be included (see handout submittal instructions)
		57. Master Drainage Plan See the city's <u>Design Standards & Policies Manual</u> for specific submittal and content requirements for Master Drainage Report. The report must include all required exhibits, full color aerial, topography maps and preliminary grading and drainage plans.
		58. Final Basis of Design Report for Water See the city's <u>Design Standards & Policies Manual</u> for specific submittal and content requirements for Basis of Design Report for Water. Must include detailed design parameters of special infrastructure, such as PRV and/or booster pump station if required to serve the development. The report must include all required exhibits and plans.
		59. Final Basis of Design Report for Wastewater See the city's <u>Design Standards & Policies Manual</u> for specific submittal and content requirements for Design Report for Wastewater. Must include detailed design parameters of special infrastructure, such as sewer lift station if required to serve the development. The report shall be bound and must include all required exhibits and plans.

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		60. Fire Flow Test
		61. Water Sampling Station Show location of sample stations on the site plan.
		62. Approval For Fountains Or Water Features from the Water Conservation Office Please contact Water Resources at 480-312-5650, waterconservation@scottsdaleaz.gov Approval from the Water Conservation Office
		63. Native Plant Submittal: Aerial with site plan overlay to show spatial relationships of existing protected plants and significant concentrations on vegetation to proposed development.
		64. Transportation Impact & Mitigation Analysis (TIMA) (information provided) Please review the city's Design Standards & Policies Manual and Transportation Impact and Mitigation Analysis Requirements provided with the application material for the specific requirements. The report must include all required exhibits, and plans. Category 1 Study Category 2 Study Category 3 Study
		65. Revegetation Site Plan, including Methodology and Techniques
		66. Cuts and Fills Site Plan
		67. Cuts and Fills Site Cross Sections
		68. Environmental Features Map
		69. Geotechnical Report
		70. Unstable Slopes / Boulders Rolling Map
		71. Bedrock & Soils Map
		72. Conservation Area, Scenic Corridor, Vista Corridor Plan
		73. Other: _____

PART III – SAMPLES & MODELS

Req'd	Rec'd	Description of Documents Required for Complete Application. No application shall be accepted without all items marked below.
		74. Color Cards or Paint Color Drawdowns (digital images) 1 set of 5" x 7" (min. size) of each paint color and material identification names and numbers.
		75. Exterior Building Color & Material Sample Board(s): - A digital photo of the sample drawdowns is required for 1st submittal. Actual sample board must be submitted prior to DRB Hearing. 8-1/2" x 14" material sample board(s) The material sample board shall include the following: - A color elevation of one side of the building 3" x 3" Glass samples mounted on the board with reflectivity identify 3" x 3" of each the building materials mounted on the board (i.e. split face CMU, Stucco, EIFS, etc.) 2"x 2" of proposed paint colors - All material manufacture names and material identification names and numbers shall be keynoted on the individual materials and the elevation.

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		76. Electronic Massing Model: Scaled model indicating building masses on the site plan and the mass of any building within: 750-foot radius from site Other: _____ (The electronic model shall be a computer-generated Sketch-up® model or other electronic modeling media acceptable to the Current Planning Services department.)
		77. Electronic Detail Model: Scaled model indicating building masses on the site plan and the mass of any building within: 750-foot radius from site Other: _____ (The electronic model shall be a computer-generated Sketch-up® model or other electronic modeling media acceptable to the Current Planning Services department.)
PART IV – SUBMITTAL OF THE DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION		
Req'd	Rec'd	Description of Documents Required for Complete Application. No application shall be accepted without all items marked below.
		78. Notify your coordinator by e-mail after you have completed your submittal.
☒		79. Submit all items indicated on this checklist pursuant to the submittal requirements.
☒		80. Submit all additional items that are required pursuant to the stipulations of any other Development Application that this application is reliant upon.
☒		81. Delayed Submittal. Additional copies of all or certain required submittal indicated items above will be require at the time your project coordinator is preparing the public hearing report(s). Your project coordinator will request these items at that time, and they are to be submitted by the date indicated in the request.
		82. Other _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____
		83. If you have any questions regarding this application checklist, please contact your Project Coordinator. Coordinator Name (print): _____ Phone Number: 480-312- _____ Coordinator e-mail: _____@scottsdaleaz.gov Date: _____ Coordinator Signature: _____ If the Project Coordinator is no-longer available, please contact the Current Planning Director at the phone number in the footer of this page if you have any question regarding this application checklist. This application needs a: _____ New Project Number, or A New Phase to an old Project Number: _____

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Required Notice

Pursuant to A.R.S. §9-836, an applicant/agent may request a clarification from the city regarding an interpretation or application of a statute, ordinance, code or authorized substantive policy, or policy statement. Requests to clarify an interpretation or application of a statute, ordinance, code, policy statement administered by the Planning and Development Services, including a request for an interpretation of the Zoning Ordinance, shall be submitted in writing to the One Stop Shop to the attention of the Planning and Development Services Director. All such requests must be submitted in accordance with the A.R.S. §9-839 and the city's applicable administrative policies available at the Planning and Development Services' One Stop Shop, or from the city's website:

<http://www.scottsdaleaz.gov/planning-development/forms>

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One Stop Shop
Planning and Development Services Director
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Development Application Process

Enhanced Application Review Development Review (DR & PP)

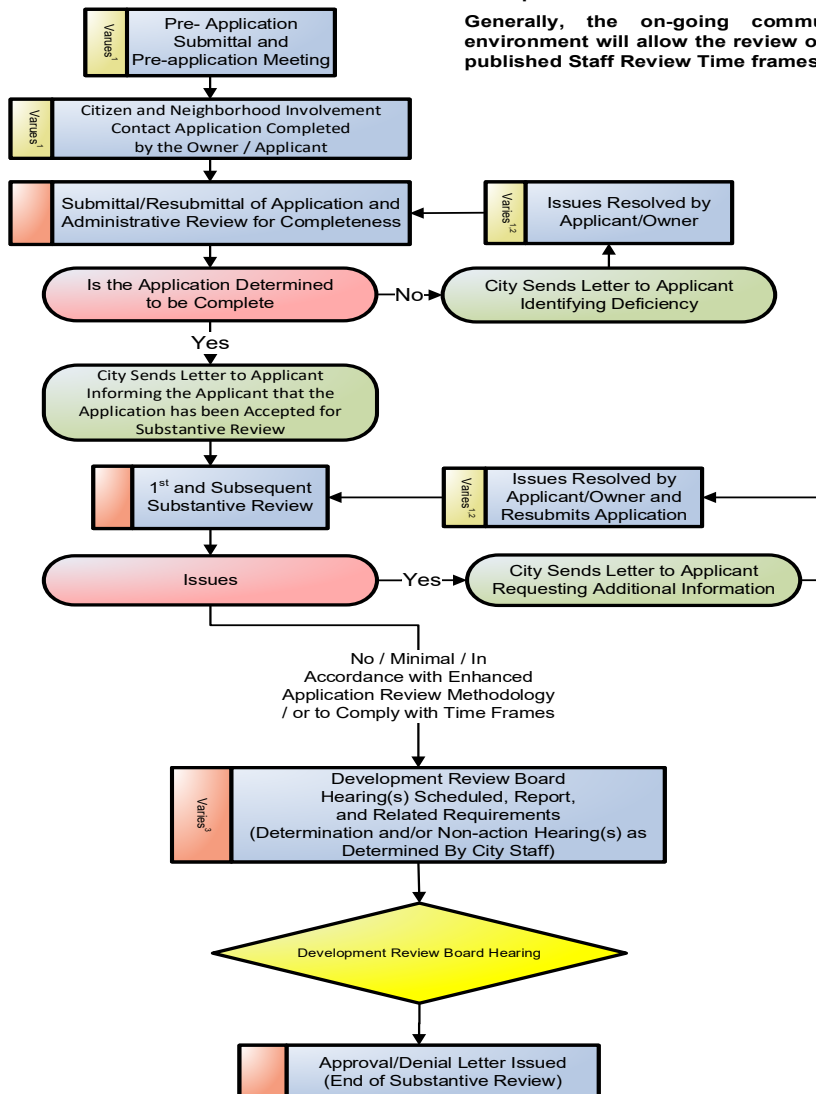


Enhanced Application Review Methodology

Within the parameters of the Regulatory Bill-of-Rights of the Arizona Revised Statutes, the Enhanced Application Review method is intended to increase the likelihood that the applicant will obtain an earlier favorable written decision or recommendation upon completion of the city's reviews. To accomplish this objective, the Enhanced Application Review allows:

- the applicant and City staff to maintain open and frequent communication (written, electronic, telephone, meeting, etc.) during the application review;
- City staff and the applicant to collaboratively work together regarding an application; and
- City staff to make requests for additional information and the applicant to submit revisions to address code, ordinance, or policy deficiencies in an expeditious manner.

Generally, the on-going communication and the collaborative work environment will allow the review of an application to be expedited within the published Staff Review Time frames.



Note:

1. Time period determined by owner/applicant.
2. All reviews and time frames are suspended from the date a the letter is issued requesting additional information until the date the City receives the resubmittal from the owner/applicant.
3. The substantive review, and the overall time frame time is suspended during the public hearing processes.
4. Owner/applicant may agree to extend the time frame by 50 percent

Time Line

Administrative Review	Substantive Review	Public Hearing Process	Approval/Denial
15 Staff Working Days Per Review	95 Total Staff Working Days, Multiple Reviews in This Time Frame ^{2,3,4}	Time Frames Vary ³	Letter Issued

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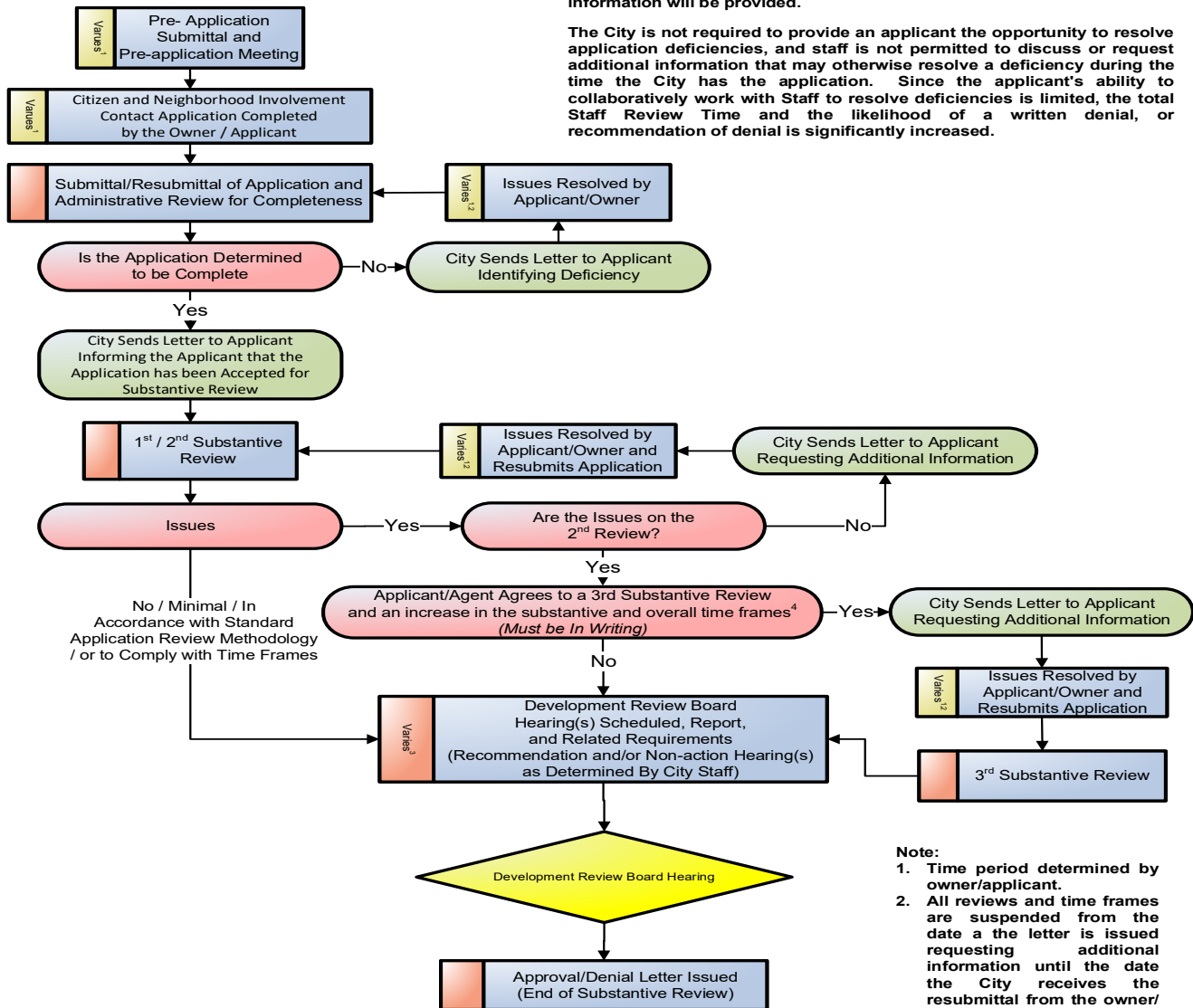
Standard Application Review Development Review (DR & PP)



Standard Application Review Methodology:

Under the Standard Application Review, the application is processed in accordance with the Regulatory Bill-of-Rights of the Arizona Revised Statutes. These provisions significantly minimize the applicant's ability to collaboratively work with City Staff to resolve application code, ordinance, or policy deficiencies during the review of an application. After the completion the city's review, a written approval or denial, recommendation of approval or denial, or a written request for additional information will be provided.

The City is not required to provide an applicant the opportunity to resolve application deficiencies, and staff is not permitted to discuss or request additional information that may otherwise resolve a deficiency during the time the City has the application. Since the applicant's ability to collaboratively work with Staff to resolve deficiencies is limited, the total Staff Review Time and the likelihood of a written denial, or recommendation of denial is significantly increased.



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Public Participation

- DR
- PP



Public participation ensures early notification and involvement prior to formal application submittal, which is an integral component of Scottsdale's public hearing process.

☒ Step 1: Complete Neighborhood Involvement Outreach

Hold a minimum of 1 Open House Meeting prior to formal application submittal

- Send open house invite via 1st Class Letter to property owners & HOAs within 750', to the city's interested parties list, and to the city project coordinator. Invitations need to be sent at least 10 calendar days prior to the open house meeting, and include the following information:
 - Project request and description
 - Pre-application number (xx-PA-xxxx)
 - Project location (street address)
 - Size (e.g. Number of Acres of project, Square Footage of Lot)
 - Zoning
 - Applicant and city contact names, phone numbers, and e-mail addresses
 - Scheduled open house(s) - including time, date, and location
- Post **Project Under Consideration** sign at least 10 calendar days prior to your Open House Meeting (See Project Under Consideration (White Sign) posting requirements)
- E-mail open house information to the project coordinator and to: planninginfo@scottsdaleaz.gov
- Provide sign-in sheets and comment sheets at the open house meeting
- Avoid holidays, weekends, and working hours
- Maintain contact with neighbors during the process and make as many contacts that are warranted to achieve productive neighborhood involvement
- Hold additional open house meetings as necessary to ensure public participation

- OR -

Complete Neighborhood Notification Outreach

- Mail Neighborhood Notification 1st Class Letter to property owners & HOAs within 750', the city's standard interested parties list, and to the city project coordinator at least 10 calendar days prior to formal application submittal (include the following information):
 - Project request and description
 - Pre-application number (xx-PA-xxxx)
 - Project location (street address)
 - Size (e.g. Number of Acres of project, Square Footage of Lot)
 - Zoning
 - Conceptual site plan/elevations
 - Applicant and city contact names and phone numbers

☒ Step 2: Document your Project Notification efforts as follows:

- Provide a list of names, phone numbers/addresses of contacted parties
- Provide a map showing where notified neighbors are located
- Provide the dates contacted, and the number of times contacted
- Indicate how they were contacted (e.g. letter, phone call). If certified mail was used, provide receipts of delivery
- Provide copies of letters or other means used to contact parties
- Provide originals of all comments, letters, and correspondence received

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City will post public hearing sign notices and provide other public notification

- Mailing out postcards to property owners within 750 feet
- Posting case information on the city website
- Posting on social media
- Sending to e-mail subscribers



Open House Sign-In Sheet

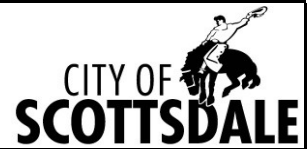
Date: _____

Location: _____

This Sign-In Sheet is a Public Record

Name		Business Name	
Address & Zip	Phone	E-mail	
Name		Business Name	
Address & Zip	Phone	E-mail	
Name		Business Name	
Address & Zip	Phone	E-mail	
Name		Business Name	
Address & Zip	Phone	E-mail	
Name		Business Name	
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Application Fee Schedule



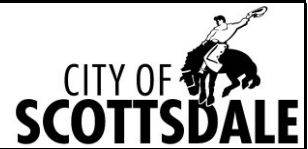
Official Schedule of City of Scottsdale Rates and Fees at: www.ScottsdaleAZ.gov - keyword "Fees".

Pre-Application	\$100
Records Packet	\$24
Abandonment of Right of Way	
Single Family Lot	\$1,880
All Other Abandonments, including Subdivisions	\$2,675
Annexation / De-annexation	\$2,320
Board of Adjustment	
Appeal	\$180
Residential Variance (Single Family Lot)	\$180
All Other Variances	\$1,460
Building Advisory Board of Appeals	
Commercial	\$370
Residential	No charge
Conditional Use Permit	
Major	\$2,860
Minor	\$730
Development Agreement Application	\$2,120
Development Review (DRB)	
Land Division	
Major Subdivision (Preliminary Plat)	\$2,860 + \$20 per lot
Minor Subdivision	\$1,430 + \$20 per lot
New Construction	\$1,800
Revision (includes Replat)	\$545
Time extension	\$360
Development Review (Minor) – Staff Approval	
Master Plan	\$1,060 per set
Major (includes new Master Sign Program/Community Sign District)	\$365
Minor	\$100
Amendment to Master Sign Program	\$100
Cuts/Fills	\$545
Wash Modification	\$545
Time extension	\$100
General Plan Amendments	
Major	\$4,635
Non-major	\$2,320
Hardship Exemption	\$180
In-lieu Parking	\$180
Minor Amendment	\$180
Reasonable Accommodation	
Residential	\$730
All Other Reasonable Accommodations	\$1,460

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Records Changes

Street Name Change	\$295
Address Change - Residential	\$58
Address Change - Commercial	\$115
Special Exception	\$180

Zoning District Map Amendment

Residential District	\$1,350 + per acre fee
Commercial District	\$2,540 + per acre fee
Industrial District	\$2,540 + per acre fee
Mixed-use District	\$6,570 + per acre fee
Historic Property	No fee
Supplementary District	
Parking P-1	\$2,540 + per acre fee
Parking P-2	\$2,540 + per acre fee
Western Theme Park	\$2,540 + per acre fee
Open Space	\$1,350 + per acre fee
Conservation Open Space	\$1,350 + per acre fee
ESL Amendments to Map	\$435
ESL Density Transfer	\$2,540 + per acre fee
ESL Density Incentive	\$1,350 + per acre fee
All other	Underlying district fees only
Time extension/revision	\$870

Rezoning per acre

0 - 20	No additional fees
21 - 100	\$80
101 - 600	\$63
601+ acres	\$58

Zoning Text Amendment

Major	\$2,860
Minor	\$1,040

Note: This fee schedule is not all-inclusive and other fees may apply.

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Development Application



Development Application Type:

Please check the appropriate box of the Type(s) of Application(s) you are requesting

Zoning		Development Review		Signs	
☐	Text Amendment (TA)	☐	Development Review (Major) (DR)	☐	Master Sign Program (MS)
☐	Rezoning (ZN)	☐	Development Review (Minor) (SA)	☐	Community Sign District (MS)
☐	In-fill Incentive (II)	☐	Wash Modification (WM)	Other:	
☐	Conditional Use Permit (UP)	☐	Historic Property (HP)	☐	Annexation/De-annexation (AN)
Exemptions to the Zoning Ordinance		Land Divisions (PP)		☐	General Plan Amendment (GP)
☐	Hardship Exemption (HE)	☐	Subdivisions	☐	In-Lieu Parking (IP)
☐	Special Exception (SX)	☐	Condominium Conversion	☐	Abandonment (AB)
☐	Variance (BA)	☐	Perimeter Exceptions	Other Application Type Not Listed	
☐	Minor Amendment (MA)	☐	Plat Correction/Revision	☐	

Project Name: _____

Property's Address: _____

Property's Current Zoning District Designation: _____

The property owner shall designate an agent/applicant for the Development Application. This person shall be the owner's contact for the City regarding this Development Application. The agent/applicant shall be responsible for communicating all City information to the owner and the owner application team.

Owner:	Agent/Applicant:
Company:	Company:
Address:	Address:
Phone: Fax:	Phone: Fax:
E-mail:	E-mail:
Designer:	Engineer:
Company:	Company:
Address:	Address:
Phone: Fax:	Phone: Fax:
E-mail:	E-mail:

Please indicate in the checkbox below the requested review methodology (please see the descriptions on page 2).

- This is not required for the following Development Application types: AN, AB, BA, II, GP, TA, PE and ZN. These applications¹ will be reviewed in a format similar to the Enhanced Application Review methodology.

☐	Enhanced Application Review:	I hereby authorize the City of Scottsdale to review this application utilizing the Enhanced Application Review methodology.
☐	Standard Application Review:	I hereby authorize the City of Scottsdale to review this application utilizing the Standard Application Review methodology.

Owner Signature _____ Agent/Applicant Signature _____

Official Use Only Submittal Date: _____ Development Application No.: _____

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Development Application Review Methodologies



Review Methodologies

The City of Scottsdale maintains a business and resident friendly approach to new development and improvements to existing developments. In order to provide for flexibility in the review of Development Applications, and Applications for Permitting, the City of Scottsdale provides two methodologies from which an owner or agent may choose to have the City process the application. The methodologies are:

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Under the Standard Application Review, the application is processed in accordance with the Regulatory Bill-of-Rights of the Arizona Revised Statutes. These provisions significantly minimize the applicant's ability to collaboratively work with City Staff to resolve application code, ordinance, or policy deficiencies during the review of an application. After the completion the city's review, a written approval or denial, recommendation of approval or denial, or a written request for additional information will be provided.

The City is not required to provide an applicant the opportunity to resolve application deficiencies, and staff is not permitted to discuss or request additional information that may otherwise resolve a deficiency during the time the City has the application. Since the applicant's ability to collaboratively work with Staff's to resolve deficiencies is limited, the total Staff Review Time and the likelihood of a written denial, or recommendation of denial is significantly increased.

In addition to the information above, please review the Development Application, and/or the Application for Permitting flow charts. These flow charts provide a step-by-step graphic representation of the application processes for the associated review methodologies.

Note:

1. Please see the Current Planning Services and Long Range Planning Services Substantive Policy Statements and Staff Review Timeframes for Development Applications, number III.

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Development Application

Arizona Revised Statutes Notice



§9-834. Prohibited acts by municipalities and employees; enforcement; notice

- A. A municipality shall not base a licensing decision in whole or in part on a licensing requirement or condition that is not specifically authorized by statute, rule, ordinance or code. A general grant of authority does not constitute a basis for imposing a licensing requirement or condition unless the authority specifically authorizes the requirement or condition.
- B. Unless specifically authorized, a municipality shall avoid duplication of other laws that do not enhance regulatory clarity and shall avoid dual permitting to the maximum extent practicable.
- C. This section does not prohibit municipal flexibility to issue licenses or adopt ordinances or codes.
- D. A municipality shall not request or initiate discussions with a person about waiving that person's rights.
- E. This section may be enforced in a private civil action and relief may be awarded against a municipality. The court may award reasonable attorney fees, damages and all fees associated with the license application to a party that prevails in an action against a municipality for a violation of this section.
- F. A municipal employee may not intentionally or knowingly violate this section. A violation of this section is cause for disciplinary action or dismissal pursuant to the municipality's adopted personnel policy.
- G. This section does not abrogate the immunity provided by section 12-820.01 or 12-820.02.

Request To Submit Concurrent Development Applications

Acknowledgment and Agreement



The City of Scottsdale recognizes that a property owner may desire to submit concurrent development applications for separate purposes where one or more of the development applications are related to another development application. City Staff may agree to process concurrently where one or more the development applications related to the approval of another development application upon receipt of a complete form signed by the property owner.

Development Application Types		
Please check the appropriate box of the types of applications that you are requesting to submit concurrently		
Zoning	Development Review	Signs
☐ Text Amendment (TA)	☐ Development Review (Major) (DR)	☐ Master Sign Program (MS)
☐ Rezoning (ZN)	☐ Development Review (Minor) (SA)	☐ Community Sign District (MS)
☐ In-fill Incentive (II)	☐ Wash Modification (WM)	Other
☐ Conditional Use Permit (UP)	☐ Historic Property (HP)	☐ Annexation/De-annexation (AN)
Exemptions to the Zoning Ordinance	Land Divisions (PP)	☐ General Plan Amendment (GP)
☐ Hardship Exemption (HE)	☐ Subdivisions	☐ In-Lieu Parking (IP)
☐ Special Exception (SX)	☐ Condominium Conversion	☐ Abandonment (AB)
☐ Variance (BA)	☐ Perimeter Exceptions	Other Application Type Not Listed
☐ Minor Amendment (MA)	☐ Plat Correction/Revision	☐

Owner: _____

Company: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

E-mail: _____

As the property owner, by providing my signature below, I acknowledge and agree: 1) that the concurrent development applications are processed at the property owner's risk; 2) to hold the City harmless of all cost, expense, claims, or other liability arising in connection with the concurrent development applications; 3) to the City of Scottsdale's Substantive Policy Statement pertaining to Concurrent Applications; 4) to placing a development application on hold in order to continue processing a concurrent development application that is related to an another development application; and 5) that upon completion of the City review(s) of the development applications, one or more of the development application(s) may not be approved.

Property owner (Print Name): _____ Title: _____

Signature

Date: _____

Official Use Only: Request: ☐ Approved or ☐ Denied Staff Name (Print): _____ _____ Staff Signature: _____ Date: _____	Submittal Date: _____
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Affidavit of Authorization to Act for Property Owner



1. This affidavit concerns the following parcel of land:

- a. Street Address: _____
- b. County Tax Assessor's Parcel Number: _____
- c. General Location: _____
- d. Parcel Size: _____
- e. Legal Description: _____

(If the land is a platted lot, then write the lot number, subdivision name, and the plat's recording number and date. Otherwise, write "see attached legal description" and attach a legal description.)

- 2. I am the owner of the land or I am the duly and lawfully appointed agent of the owner of the land and have authority from the owner to sign this affidavit on the owner's behalf. If the land has more than one owner, then I am the agent for all of the owners, and the word "owner" in this affidavit refers to all of them.
- 3. I have authority from the owner to act for the owner before the City of Scottsdale with regard to any and all reviews, zoning map amendments, general plan amendments, development variances, abandonments, plats, lot splits, lot ties, use permits, building permits and other land use regulatory or related matters of every description involving the land, or involving adjacent or nearby lands in which the owner has (or may acquire) an interest, and all applications, dedications, payments, assurances, decisions, agreements, legal documents, commitments, waivers and other matters relating to any of them.
- 4. The City of Scottsdale is authorized to rely on my authority as described in this affidavit until three work days after the day the owner delivers to the Director of the Scottsdale Planning & Development Services Department a written statement revoking my authority.
- 5. I will immediately deliver to the Director of the City of Scottsdale Planning & Development Services Department written notice of any change in the ownership of the land or in my authority to act for the owner.
- 6. If more than one person signs this affidavit, each of them, acting alone, shall have the authority described in this affidavit, and each of them warrant to the City of Scottsdale the authority of the others.
- 7. Under penalty of perjury, I warrant and represent to the City of Scottsdale that this affidavit is true and complete. I understand that any error or incomplete information in this affidavit or any applications may invalidate approvals or other actions taken by the City of Scottsdale, may otherwise delay or prevent development of the land, and may expose me and the owner to other liability. I understand that people who have not signed this form may be prohibited from speaking for the owner at public meetings or in other city processes.

Name (printed)

Date

Signature

_____	_____, 20__	_____
_____	_____, 20__	_____
_____	_____, 20__	_____
_____	_____, 20__	_____

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Appeals of Dedication, Exactions or Zoning Regulations



Rights of Property Owner

In addition to the other rights granted to you by the U.S. and Arizona Constitution, federal and state law and city ordinances or regulations, you are hereby notified of your right to appeal the following City actions relating to your property:

- 1) Any dedication of exaction which is required of you by an administrative agency or official of the city as a condition of granting approval of your request to use, improve or develop your real property. This appeal right does not apply to a dedication or exaction required as part of a city legislative act (for example a zoning ordinance) when an administrative agency or official has no discretion to determine the dedication or exaction.
- 2) The adoption or amendment of a zoning regulation that creates a taking of property in violations of Arizona and federal court decision.

Appeal Procedure

The appeal must be in writing and specify the City action appealed and the date final action was taken, and must be filed with or mailed to the hearing officer designated by the city within 30 days after the final action is taken

- No fee will be charged for filing
- The city Attorney's Office will review the appeal for compliance with the above requirements, and will notify you if your appeal does not comply
- Eligible appeals will be forwarded to the hearing officer, and a hearing will be scheduled within 30 days of receipt by the hearing officer of your request. Ten days notice will be given to you of the date, time and place of the hearing unless you indicate that less notice is acceptable to you.
- The City will submit a takings impact report to the hearing officer.
- In an appeal from a dedication or exaction, the City will bear the burden of proving that the dedication or exaction to be imposed on your property bears an essential nexus between the requirement and a legitimate governmental interest and that the proposed dedication or exaction is roughly proportional to the impact of the use, improvement or development you proposed.
- In an appeal from the adoption or amendment of a zoning regulation, the City will bear the burden of proving that any dedication of exaction requirement in the zoning regulation is roughly proportional to the impact of the proposed use, improvement, or development, and that the zoning regulation does not create a taking of property in violation of Arizona and federal court cases.
- The hearing officer must render his decision within five working days after the appeal is heard.
- The hearing officer can modify or delete a dedication or exaction or, in the case of an appeal from a zoning regulation, transmit a recommendation to the City Council.
- If you are dissatisfied with the decision of the hearing officer, you may file a complaint for a trial nevo with the Superior Court within 30 days of the hearing officer's decision.

For questions, you may contact:

City's Attorney's Office
3939 Drinkwater Blvd.
Scottsdale, AZ 85251
480-312-2405

Address your appeal to:

Hearing Officer, C/O City Clerk
3939 Drinkwater Blvd
Scottsdale, AZ 85251

Please be aware that City Staff cannot give you legal advice. You may wish, but are not required, to hire an attorney to represent you in an appeal.

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**Owner Certification
Acknowledging Receipt
Of
Notice Of Right To Appeal
Exactions And Dedications**

I hereby certify that I am the owner of property located at:

(address where development approval, building permits, or city required improvements and dedications are being required)

and hereby certify that I have received a notice that explains my right to appeal all exactions and/or dedications required by the City of Scottsdale as part of my property development on the parcel listed in the above address.

Signature of Property Owner

Date

Requirements for Submitting Evidence of Title to the City of Scottsdale Planning Department



The City of Scottsdale planning department requires applicants for various zoning applications, building permits and other approvals to provide evidence of land ownership. Unless city staff directs otherwise, the required evidence shall be a title insurance commitment meeting the following requirements:

1. The applicant shall instruct the title insurance company to prepare a normal title insurance commitment.
2. The title commitment must cover the whole project site, just as if the city were a commercial real estate developer who was going to buy the whole site from whoever owns it today.
3. The title insurance commitment must be in the same form and have the same wording that the title insurer usually uses when a sophisticated real estate purchaser is buying land from a sophisticated seller. For example, it must not have any extra notes, disclaimers or other language that is not in a normal title insurance commitment for a straightforward land purchase.
4. The City of Scottsdale must be listed as the proposed insured.
5. The proposed insurance amount must be a reasonable estimate of the actual dollar value of the whole site. (The price for the most recent arms-length sale of the whole site is usually an acceptable amount.)
6. The Schedule B requirements must call for:
 - a. A deed from the current owner to the city.
 - b. Releases of all liens, as if the city were going to pay cash for the land and not assume any liens or take subject to any liens.
 - c. Termination of all leases. (Leases with 24 or fewer months remaining in their term may be listed in the Schedule B exceptions instead.)
 - d. Any other specific payments or specific document recordings that the title insurer would normally call for (such as payment of delinquent property taxes).
7. The Schedule B exceptions must show any other specific title matters that may exist.
8. Title companies sometimes state in their title commitments that they will update the title search before issuing a title insurance policy. That's o.k. if the language is clear that the update will only include new title documents that are recorded after the title commitment date. For example, it is o.k. to have wording that says: "Additional items may be added based on new documents recorded before closing." But there must not be vague wording such as this: "Check with title examiner for additional items before closing."
9. The title search date on the title commitment must be less than 30 days old.
10. Both "standard coverage" and "extended coverage" title commitments are acceptable. (The title information on an extended coverage commitment must be identical to the title information that would be on a standard coverage commitment. The only difference is that the Schedule B requirements for an "extended coverage" commitment will call for a survey and will allow the title company to add Schedule B exceptions or requirements for any problems the survey reveals.)
11. There is no need to open an escrow to make a routine dedication. The city will record the dedication directly without sending it through the title company. Often, the city will not actually buy the title insurance described in the commitment or require the applicant to buy it. But, if the city decides to do it (or require the applicant to do it), then the city or the applicant will follow up with the title insurer to pay the insurance premium and satisfy the Schedule B requirements so that the title insurer will issue the policy.
12. The applicant shall inform city staff in writing of any and all title changes that occur after the title commitment is issued.
13. The city reserves the right for city staff to require additional evidence of title, including but not limited to an extended title insurance policy in favor of the city.

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Request for Site Visits and/or Inspections

Construction Document Application



This request concerns all property identified in the construction document (plan review) application.

Project Name: _____

Project Address: _____

STATEMENT OF AUTHORITY:

1. I am the owner of the property, or I am the duly and lawfully appointed agent of the property and have the authority from the owner to sign this request on the owner's behalf. If the land has more than one owner, then I am the agent for all owners, and the word "owner" refer to them all.
2. I have the authority from the owner to act for the owner before the City of Scottsdale regarding any and all development application regulatory or related matter of every description involving all property identified in the construction document.

STATEMENT OF REQUEST FOR SITE VISITS AND/OR INSPECTIONS

1. I hereby request that the City of Scottsdale's staff conduct site visits and/or inspections of the property identified in the construction document in order to efficiently process the application.
2. I understand that even though I have requested the City of Scottsdale's staff conduct site visits and/or inspections, city staff may determine that a site visit and/or an inspection is not necessary, and may opt not to perform the site visit and/or an inspection.

Property owner /Property owner's agent: _____
Print Name

Signature

City Use Only:

Submittal Date: _____ Plan review number: _____

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Current Planning Services
Long Range Planning Services

NOTICE OF INSPECTION RIGHTS
A.R.S. § 9-833

You have the right to:

- Have the City staff member present a photo ID.
- Have the City staff member state the purpose for the planning inspection and legal authority to conduct it.
- Know the amount of inspection fees if applicable.
- An on-site representative may accompany the City staff member during the inspection except during confidential interviews and may:
 - Receive copies of any documents taken during the inspection.
 - Receive a split of any samples taken during the inspection.
 - Receive copies of any analysis of the samples taken when available.
- Be informed if statements are being recorded.
- Be given notice that any statements may be used in an inspection report.
- Be presented with a copy of your inspection rights.
- Be notified of the due process rights pertaining to an appeal

You are hereby notified and informed of the following:

- The inspection is conducted pursuant to the authority of A.R.S § 9-462.05. and/or Scottsdale Revised Code, Appendix B, Article I. Section 1.203.
- Any statements made by anyone interviewed during this inspection may be included in the inspection report.
- Information on appeal rights related to this inspection is found under Scottsdale Revised Code, Appendix B, Article I. Section 1.801.
- There is no inspection fee associated with this inspection.

I acknowledge I have been informed of my inspection rights. If I decline to sign this form, the inspector(s) may still proceed with the inspection.

If I have any questions, I may contact the City staff member, _____
at the following number _____.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Printed Name: _____

☐ Check box if signature refused

Copy of Bill of Rights left at: _____

A.R.S § 9-833. Inspections; applicability

- A. A municipal inspector or regulator who enters any premises of a regulated person for the purpose of conducting an inspection shall:
1. Present photo identification on entry of the premises.
 2. On initiation of the inspection, state the purpose of the inspection and the legal authority for conducting the inspection.
 3. Disclose any applicable inspection fees.
 4. Except for a food and swimming pool inspection, afford an opportunity to have an authorized on-site representative of the regulated person accompany the municipal inspector or regulator on the premises, except during confidential interviews.
 5. Provide notice of the right to have:
 - (a) Copies of any original documents taken from the premises by the municipality during the inspection if the municipality is permitted by law to take original documents.
 - (b) A split or duplicate of any samples taken during the inspection if the split or duplicate of any samples, where appropriate, would not prohibit an analysis from being conducted or render an analysis inconclusive.
 - (c) Copies of any analysis performed on samples taken during the inspection.
 6. Inform each person whose conversation with the municipal inspector or regulator during the inspection is tape recorded that the conversation is being tape recorded.
 7. Inform each person interviewed during the inspection that statements made by the person may be included in the inspection report.
- B. On initiation of, or two working days before, an inspection of any premises of a regulated person, except for a food and swimming pool inspection that has up to one working day after an inspection, a municipal inspector or regulator shall provide the following in writing or electronically:
1. The rights described in subsection A of this section.
 2. The name and telephone number of a municipal contact person available to answer questions regarding the inspection.
 3. The due process rights relating to an appeal of a final decision of a municipality based on the results of the inspection, including the name and telephone number of a person to contact within the municipality and any appropriate municipality, county or state government ombudsman.
- C. A municipal inspector or regulator shall obtain the signature of the regulated person or on-site representative of the regulated person on the writing prescribed in subsection B of this section indicating that the regulated person or on-site representative of the regulated person has read the writing prescribed in subsection B of this section and is notified of the regulated person's or on-site representative of the regulated person's inspection and due process rights. The municipality shall maintain a copy of this signature with the inspection report. Unless the regulated person at the time of the inspection is informed how the report can be located electronically, the municipality shall leave a copy with the regulated person or on-site representative of the regulated person. If a regulated person or on-site representative of the regulated person is not at the site or refuses to sign the writing prescribed in subsection B of this section, the municipal inspector or regulator shall note that fact on the writing prescribed in subsection B of this section.
- D. A municipality that conducts an inspection shall give a copy of, or provide electronic access to, the inspection report to the regulated person or on-site representative of the regulated person either:
1. At the time of the inspection.
 2. Notwithstanding any other state law, within thirty working days after the inspection.
 3. As otherwise required by federal law.

- E. The inspection report shall contain deficiencies identified during an inspection. Unless otherwise provided by law, the municipality may provide the regulated person an opportunity to correct the deficiencies unless the municipality determines that the deficiencies are:
 - 1. Committed intentionally.
 - 2. Not correctable within a reasonable period of time as determined by the municipality.
 - 3. Evidence of a pattern of noncompliance.
 - 4. A risk to any person, the public health, safety or welfare or the environment.
- F. If the municipality allows the regulated person an opportunity to correct the deficiencies pursuant to subsection E of this section, the regulated person shall notify the municipality when the deficiencies have been corrected. Within thirty working days of receipt of notification from the regulated person that the deficiencies have been corrected, the municipality shall determine if the regulated person is in substantial compliance and notify the regulated person whether or not the regulated person is in substantial compliance, unless the determination is not possible due to conditions of normal operations at the premises. If the regulated person fails to correct the deficiencies or the municipality determines the deficiencies have not been corrected within a reasonable period of time, the municipality may take any enforcement action authorized by law for the deficiencies.
- G. A municipality's decision pursuant to subsection E or F of this section is not an appealable municipal action.
- H. At least once every month after the commencement of the inspection, a municipality shall provide the regulated person with an update, in writing or electronically, on the status of any municipal action resulting from an inspection of the regulated person. A municipality is not required to provide an update after the regulated person is notified that no municipal action will result from the municipality's inspection or after the completion of municipal action resulting from the municipality's inspection.
- I. This section does not authorize an inspection or any other act that is not otherwise authorized by law.
- J. This section applies only to inspections necessary for the issuance of a license or to determine compliance with licensure requirements. This section does not apply:
 - 1. To criminal investigations and undercover investigations that are generally or specifically authorized by law.
 - 2. If the municipal inspector or regulator has reasonable suspicion to believe that the regulated person may be or has been engaged in criminal activity.
 - 3. Inspections by a county board of health or a local health department pursuant to section 36-603.
- K. If a municipal inspector or regulator gathers evidence in violation of this section, the violation shall not be a basis to exclude the evidence in a civil or administrative proceeding, if the penalty sought is the denial, suspension or revocation of the regulated person's license or a civil penalty of more than one thousand dollars.
- L. Failure of a municipal employee to comply with this section:
 - 1. Constitutes cause for disciplinary action or dismissal pursuant to adopted municipal personnel policy.
 - 2. Shall be considered by the judge and administrative law judge as grounds for reduction of any fine or civil penalty.
- M. A municipality may adopt rules or ordinances to implement this section.
- N. This section:
 - 1. Shall not be used to exclude evidence in a criminal proceeding.
 - 2. Does not apply to a municipal inspection that is requested by the regulated person.

Addressing Requirements



Make all addressing requests using the city's online application form online:
www.ScottsdaleAZ.gov and search: address request form

Prior to your application submittal to Current Planning for your entitlement approval (Development Review Board, Planning Commission, City Council) the City will need to assign an address to your property. This will be used for all future submittals and permit issuance. Prior to final plan submittal the records department will work with applicants on assigning suite, units, or apartment numbers and any additional addresses.

The City is responsible for assigning addresses/suite, and apartment numbers. If any developer/builder or owner performs this, it is subject to change by the City. Any and all costs associated with these changes will be the responsibility of the developer/builder or owner.

The City of Scottsdale utilizes the Maricopa Association of Government Standards (MAG) for all addressing. This policy was developed to aid emergency and first responders. We have a Mutual Aid agreement with the City of Phoenix Fire Department, it is essential that we maintain this policy.

To provide the commercial suite assignments please provide the records department with a floor plan showing the different suites within your building. The second floor being in the 200 range, and the third floor 300 range, etc. Suite numbering for commercial suites will be provided in a sequence of fives to allow for future suite division. For example: if you had 5 suites on the first floor we would assign them as 100, 105, 110, 115 & 120.

Individual living spaces (Condominiums and Apartments) are designated as units and numbered in the thousand ranges (4 digits). First floor units get 1000 numbers; second floor units get 2000 numbers, etc.

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Request for Neighborhood Group/ Homeowners Association



For Staff Use Only

Time/Date Received _____

Time/Date Completed _____

REQUESTOR'S INFORMATION

Requestor's Name: _____

Date of request: _____ Requestor's Phone #: (_____) _____ - _____

Method to receive Group/Homeowner information (select one)

E-mail _____

Mail Address: _____, _____, AZ, _____

SITE LOCATION/PROJECT INFORMATION

Project Name: _____

Project Address: _____

Project Parcel Number(s): _____

Radius around parcel(s) requested: ☐ 300' ☐ 750'

City Pre-application/Case#: _____ City Project Coordinator: _____

Notification Type? ☐ Citizen Review Plan ☐ Neighborhood Involvement

Any additional information that may be helpful to collect data: _____

Please note:

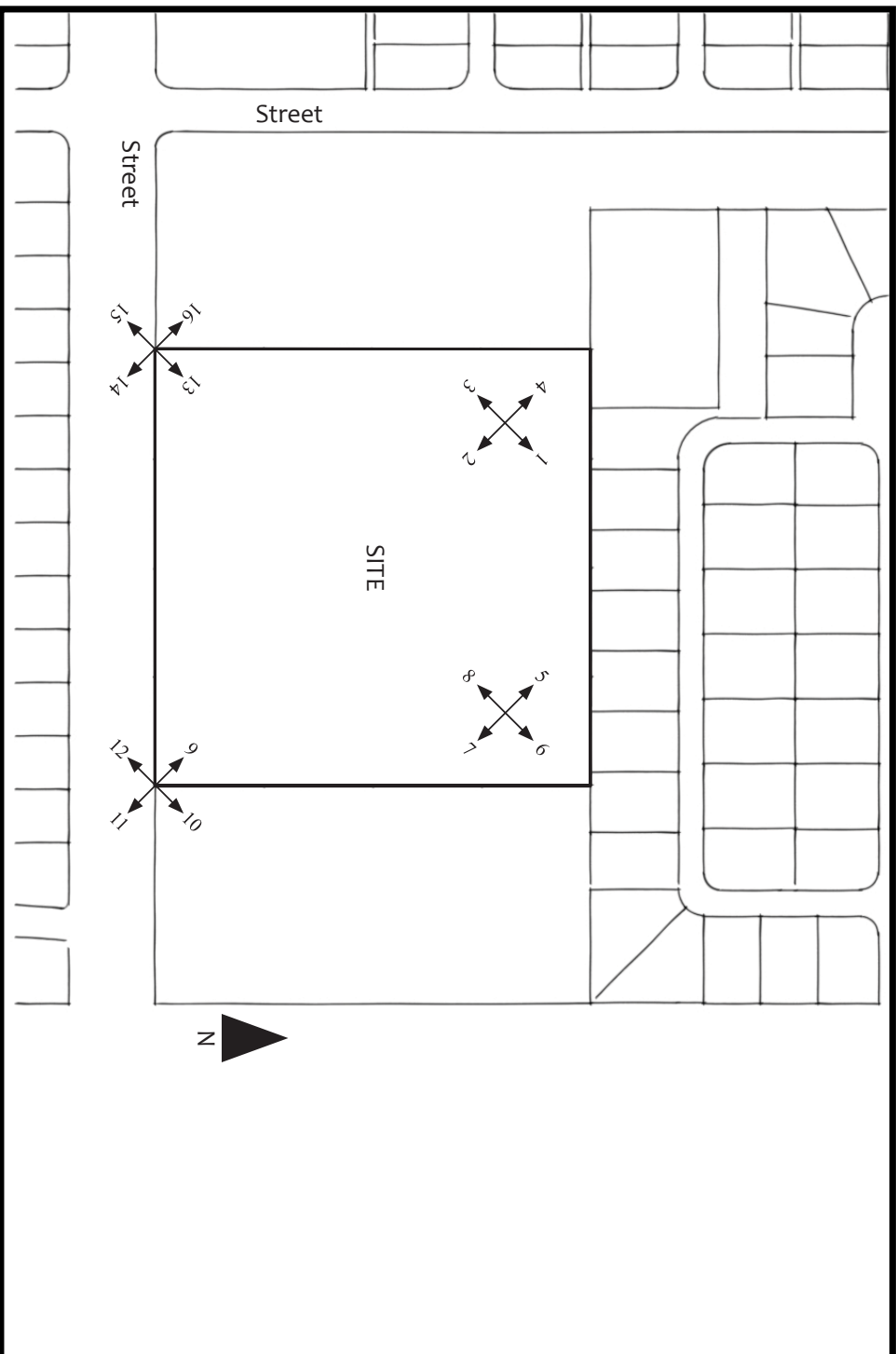
This list is provided as a one-time use only for preparing a City Planning and Development Service Department application. Currently there is no charge for this service, however, this may change based on demand. Results provided are based only on registered neighborhood groups or associations with the City. All requests will be processed and returned to your attention as soon as possible; in most cases within two business days.

To Submit your request, or for additional information, please contact:

Current Planning Services
7447 E. Indian School Rd Suite 105
Scottsdale, AZ 85251

Phone: (480) 312-7000
e-mail: planninginfo@scottsdaleaz.gov

Photos of Existing Conditions



Please Note:



= Photograph
Number and
Direction of
View

Please Note:
Color photographs are to be taken indicating site conditions and adjacent property.
Color photographs are also to be taken of newly developed properties within 1/4 mile - Please provide street address on photographs.

Project Narrative

Development Review Board



While preparing the project narrative, please refer to the Development Review Board Criteria (Attachment A), which serve as the basis for the review and approval of your proposal. Provide information, descriptions, and explanations that are indicated by the Project Coordinator.

☐ **Ordinances, Master Plans, General Plan, and Standards**

Describe how the proposed development will comply with the design and character elements of the General Plan, the appropriate character area plan, all applicable city-wide master plans, the zoning ordinance development standards, the Design Standards and Policies Manual, all applicable city-wide design guidelines, and the appropriate Master Environmental Design Concept Plan.

☐ **Architectural Character, Landscaping, and Site Design**

Explain how the proposed development has been designed so that it:

- Promotes a desirable relationship of structures to one another, to open spaces and topography, both on the site and in the surrounding neighborhood;
- Avoids excessive variety and monotonous repetition;
- Recognizes the unique climatic and other environmental factors of this region to respond to the Sonoran Desert environment, as specified in the Sensitive Design Principles;
- Conforms to the recommendations and guidelines in the Environmentally Sensitive Lands (ESL) Ordinance, in the ESL Overlay District; and
- Incorporates unique or characteristic architectural features, including building height, size, shape, color, texture, setback, or architectural details, in the Historic Property Overlay District.

☐ **Ingress, Egress, On-Site Circulation, Parking, and Pedestrians**

Describe how the site layout of the proposed development has been designed to promote safety and convenience, relative to ingress, egress, internal traffic circulation, off-street parking facilities, loading and service areas, and pedestrian ways.

☐ **Mechanical and Utility Equipment**

Describe how the proposed development will locate mechanical equipment, appurtenances, and utilities so that these elements will not conflict with street frontage open space, pedestrian amenities, resident amenities, landscape features, or on-site circulation, and has utilized screening devices that are integral to the design of the building, in order to screen mechanical equipment, appurtenances and utilities.

☐ **Old Town Scottsdale**

If the development proposal is within Old Town Scottsdale, specify through narrative and graphical exhibits how the proposal is in conformance with the Old Town Scottsdale Urban Design and Architectural Guidelines.

☐ **Location of Artwork** (refer to Zoning Ordinance Sections 1.905 and 7.1010)

If the development proposal is required to participate in the Cultural Improvement Program or Public Art Program, then determine whether or not the proposed location of artwork complies with the following criteria:

- Accessible by the public;
- Location near pedestrian circulation routes consistent with existing or future development or natural features;
- Location near the primary pedestrian or vehicular entrance of a development;
- Location in conformance with the Design Standards and Policies Manual for locations affecting existing utilities, public utility easements, and vehicular sight distance requirements; and
- Location in conformance to standards for public safety.

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Development Review Board Criteria

(Scottsdale Zoning Ordinance Sec. 1.904) (December 14, 2012)

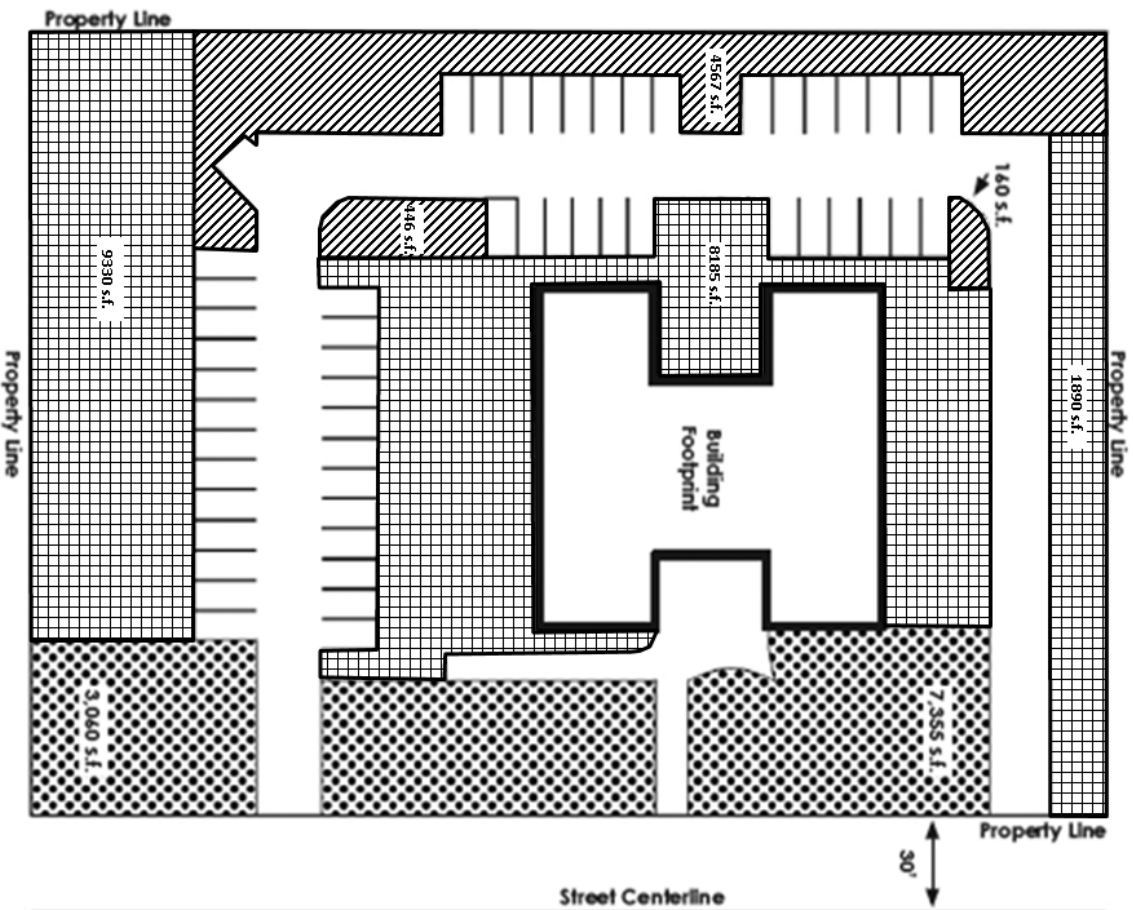


- A. In considering any application for development, the Development Review Board shall be guided by the following criteria:
1. The Board shall examine the design and theme of the application for consistency with the design and character components of the applicable guidelines, development standards, Design Standards and Policies Manual, master plans, character plan and General Plan.
 2. The architectural character, landscaping and site design of the proposed development shall:
 - a. Promote a desirable relationship of structures to one another, to open spaces and topography, both on the site and in the surrounding neighborhood;
 - b. Avoid excessive variety and monotonous repetition;
 - c. Recognize the unique climatic and other environmental factors of this region to respond to the Sonoran Desert environment, as specified in the Sensitive Design Principles;
 - d. Conform to the recommendations and guidelines in the Environmentally Sensitive Lands (ESL) Ordinance, in the ESL Overlay District; and
 - e. Incorporate unique or characteristic architectural features, including building height, size, shape, color, texture, setback or architectural details, in the Historic Property Overlay District.
 3. Ingress, egress, internal traffic circulation, off-street parking facilities, loading and service areas and pedestrian ways shall be so designed as to promote safety and convenience.
 4. If provided, mechanical equipment, appurtenances and utilities, and their associated screening shall be integral to the building design.
 5. Within the Downtown Area, building and site design shall:
 - a. Demonstrate conformance with the Downtown Plan Urban Design & Architectural Guidelines;
 - b. Incorporate urban and architectural design that address human scale and incorporate pedestrian-oriented environment at the street level;
 - c. Reflect contemporary and historic interpretations of Sonoran Desert architectural traditions, by subdividing the overall massing into smaller elements, expressing small scale details, and recessing fenestrations;
 - d. Reflect the design features and materials of the urban neighborhoods in which the development is located; and
 - e. Address building mass, height, materials, and intensity transitions between adjacent/abutting Type 1 and Type 2 Areas, and adjacent/abutting Type 2 Areas and existing development outside the Downtown Area.
 6. The location of artwork provided in accordance with the Cultural Improvement Program or Public Art Program shall address the following criteria:
 - a. Accessibility to the public;
 - b. Location near pedestrian circulation routes consistent with existing or future development or natural features;
 - c. Location near the primary pedestrian or vehicular entrance of a development;
 - d. Location in conformance with the Design Standards and Policies Manual for locations affecting existing utilities, public utility easements, and vehicular sight distance requirements; and
 - e. Location in conformance to standards for public safety.
- B. The burden is on the applicant to address all applicable criteria in this section.

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Open Space Plan (Site Plan Worksheet)



Project Data Zoning: I-1
Net Lot Area: 79,008 s.f.
Building Height: 22'

(SEE ZONING ORDINANCE FOR ZONING DISTRICT REQUIREMENTS)

Open Space Calculations

Required Open Space:
maximum building height = 22' proposed (36' allowed)
first 12' of height = 10% x net lot area
= .10 x 79,008 = 7,900.8 s.f.
next 10' of height = 10' x .004 x 79,008 = 3,160.32 s.f.

Open Space Required (not including parking lot landscaping)
= 7,900.8 + 3,160.32 = 11,061.12 s.f. (14%)
Open Space Provided = 27,668 s.f.

Parking Lot Landscaping Required
parking lot area x 15%
18,037 s.f. x .15 = 2,706 s.f.
Parking Lot Landscape Provided = 5,596 s.f.

NOTE: PARKING LOT LANDSCAPING REQUIREMENTS IN ADDITION TO REQUIRED OPEN SPACE

-  Denotes Front Open Space
10,927 s.f. total
-  Denotes Open Space other than Frontal Open Space
15,982 s.f. total
-  Denotes Parking Lot Landscaping
5,595 s.f. total

NOTE: COLORS MAY BE SUBSTITUTED FOR PATTERNS

Section 404 Certification Form



Before the City issues development permits for a project, the developer's Engineer or the property owner must certify that it complies with or is exempt from Section 404 of the Clean Water Act of the United States. Section 404 regulates the discharge of dredged or fill material into a wetland, lake (including dry lakes), river, stream (including intermittent streams, ephemeral washes and arroyos) or other waters of the United States.

Prior to submittal of improvement plans to Project Review, this form must be completed (and submitted with the improvement plans) as evidence of compliance.

Certification of Section 404 Permit Status:

Owner's Name: _____ Phone No.: _____

Project Name/Description: _____ Case No.: _____

Project Location/Address: _____

A registered Engineer or the property owner must check the applicable condition and certify by signing below that:

1. Section 404 does apply to the project because there will be a discharge of dredged or fill material to waters of the U.S., and:

☐ A Section 404 Permit has already been obtained for this project.

or

☐ This project qualifies for a "Nationwide Permit," and this project will meet all terms and conditions of the applicable nationwide permit.

2. Section 404 does not apply to the project because:

☐ No watercourse waters of the U.S. exist on the property.

☐ No jurisdictional waters of the U.S. exist on property. Attached is a copy of the COE's Jurisdictional Determination.

☐ Watercourses or other waters of the U.S. do exist on the property, but the project will not involve the discharge of dredged or fill material into any of these waters.

I certify that the above statement is true.

Engineer's Signature and Seal, or Owner's Signature

Date

Title/ Company

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