

## **ZONE CHANGE APPLICATION**

See reverse side for more information regarding the permitting process and the materials required for a complete application.

NOTE: Must be accompanied by a DEVELOPMENT PERMIT APPLICATION form.

	PROJECT SUMMARY								
	IS THIS AN EXPANSION OF AN EXISTI	NG ZONE?	Yes No	)					
	Total Land Area of Proposed Change	acres	Comprehensive Plan	n Land Use Desi	gnation				
ıt	Current Zone(s)		Comprehensive Plan Map Letter						
completed by Applicant	New Zone Requested								
	TYPE OF ZONE CHANGE REQUESTED	Regula	ar	Transition					
	Has this or a similar zone change been requested in the previous 12 months?  Yes Case # No								
	UTILITIES AVAILABLE WATER:	Public On Sit	e SEWER:	Public C	n Site				
oe	ALL REQUIRED MATERIALS ATTACHED								
То І	Complete application								
	Pre-Application Conference note	es							
	Narrative including:								
Purpose of the requested zone change									
	How the requested zone change comply with the maps and policies of the Comprehensive Plan								
	Site Plan and/or map of propose	ed zone change	(details on reverse	side)					
	DEPARTMENT USE ONLY BELOW THIS LINE								
	ZONE CHANGE FEES Fe	es Checl	k No. Receipt	Date					
	Application Fees \$								
	Admin. of Guarantee \$								
	Adjustment \$								
	Pub. Not. Sign Fee \$								
	Pub. Not. Sign Deposit \$								
	Total Fee \$								
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This form and all documents associated with it are public record once submitted.

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For assistance filling out this form, contact the Permit Center at 586-0770.

Case Number	Date Received			

## **Zone Change Application Information**

Zone changes are outlined in CBJ 49.75 article I

<u>Pre-Application Conference</u>: A pre-application conference is encouraged prior to submitting an application. The applicant shall meet with City & Borough of Juneau (CBJ) staff to discuss the Zone Change process and analysis. To schedule a pre-application conference, please contact the Permit Center at 586-0770 or via email at <u>Permits@juneau.org</u>.

<u>Application</u>: An application for a Zone Change will not be accepted by the CBJ until it is determined to be complete. **Zone Change may only be applied for during January and July.** The items needed for a complete application are:

- 1. Forms: Completed Zone Change Application and Development Permit Application.
- 2. **Fees:** The fee for Zone Change Application is \$600.00. No work can be approved with a Zone Change. All fees are subject to change.
- 3. Project Narrative: A detailed narrative describing the purpose for the requested zone change.
- 4. **Plans:** A site plan showing the following information:
  - A. The boundaries of the existing and proposed zone change and proposed buffers;
  - B. The location of existing structures (i.e. buildings, fences, signs, parking areas, etc.); and
  - C. The location of existing physical features of the site (i.e. drainage, topography, eagle trees, hazard areas, salmon streams, wetlands, etc.).
- 5. A traffic study may be required for zone changes.

**Document Format:** All materials submitted as part of an application shall be submitted in either of the following formats:

- 1. Electronic copies in the following formats: .doc, .txt, .xls, .bmp, .pdf, .jpg, .gif, .xlm, .rtf (other formats may be preapproved by the Community Development Department).
- 2. Paper copies 11" X 17" or smaller (larger paper size may be preapproved by the Community Development Department).

<u>Application Review & Hearing Procedure</u>: Once the application is determined to be complete, the Community Development Department will initiate the review and scheduling of the application. This process includes:

**Review:** The Community Development Department will evaluate the application for consistency with all applicable City & Borough of Juneau codes and adopted plans. Depending on unique characteristics of the Zone Change request, the application may be required to be reviewed by other municipal boards and committees. During this review period, the Community Development Department will coordinate the review of this application by other agencies, as necessary. **Review comments may require the applicant to provide additional information, clarification, or submit modifications/alterations for the proposed Zone Change.** 

**Hearing:** Once an application has been reviewed by all applicable parties the Community Development Department will schedule the zone change for the next appropriate Planning Commission meeting. All Zone Change Applications will be reviewed by the Planning Commission who will send a recommendation to the Assembly. Following a recommendation of approval by the Planning Commission, the Community Development Department will coordinate the zone change review by the Assembly. In order for zone changes to become effective, they must be adopted by ordinance by the CBJ Assembly.

Public Notice Responsibilities: All Zone Change requests must be given the following public notice as outlined in CBJ 49.15.230:

**Community Development Department:** Will give notice of the pending Planning Commission meeting and its agenda in the local newspaper a minimum of 10-days prior to the meeting. Furthermore, the department will mail notices to all property owners within 500-feet of the project site.

The Applicant will post a sign on the site at least 14 days prior to the meeting. The sign shall be visible from a public right-of-way or where determined appropriate by CDD. Signs may be produced by the Community Development Department for a preparation fee of \$50, and a \$100 deposit that will be refunded in full if the sign is returned within seven days of the scheduled hearing date. If the sign is returned between eight and 14 days of the scheduled hearing \$50 may be refunded. The Applicant may make and erect their own sign. Please contact the Community Development Department for more information.

## **INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED**