(C-2) Highway Commercial District

Section 308

308.1 - Intent and Purpose

This District is intended to accommodate and regulate those business and commercial uses which draw customers primarily by automobile and for which a location on a highway or arterial street is therefore desirable if not necessary. The purpose of this district is to control the impact of uses on the efficiency and safety of traffic movement, as well as on the character of adjacent commercial and residential uses.

308.2 - Permitted Uses

- (a) Retail sales and services
- (b) Offices: business, professional, medical
- (c) Private clubs, lodges, or organizations of a fraternal nature
- (d) Commercial parking lot
- (e) Financial institutions
- (f) Transportation terminal facilities except truck terminals
- (g) Places of worship
- (h) Public uses and utility substations, and other fixed above ground equipment
- (i) Cabinet shops
- (i) Pet cemeteries
- (k) Automobile service stations
- (1) Drive-in or carry-out sales of food or other goods or services including drive-in bank facilities
- (m) Mortuary
- (n) Repair, maintenance, washing or installation of accessories, tires and batteries for automobiles, trucks, recreational vehicles, or motorized farm equipment

(o) Indoor or outdoor commercial entertainment or recreational facilities including theaters,

bowling alleys, swimming pools, billiard parlors, etc

- (p) Sales, rental, leasing of motor vehicles, trailers or boats
- (q) Restaurant, tavern or cocktail lounge
- (r) Hotel or motel
- (s) Nursing home
- (t) Off-site advertising
- (u) Hospitals or veterinary clinics for animals
- (v) Warehousing as an indoor or outdoor use
- (w) Privately operated airport facilities on a minimum lot of 20 ac
- (x) Adult oriented business as a Use Permitted on Review by the Board of Zoning Appeals. The minimum requirements for adult oriented businesses in the C-2 District are: 1,000 feet minimum is required between adult-oriented business and any residential district, school, church, or a day care center. Between adult-oriented businesses, a minimum of 500 feet is required. A site plan shall be required for review before the planning commission. A planted buffer of twenty-five feet, consisting of permanent evergreens with a caliper diameter at breast height (4 and ½ feet)of three (3)inches. Tree plantings shall be staggered so as to eliminate visibility between the trees.
- (y) All uses and structures allowed in a C-1 District

308.3 - Area Regulations

Must meet Roane County Health Department for lot size. (a) Minimum Lot Area:

100 feet (b) Minimum Frontage:

100 feet Minimum Lot Width:

(d) Setbacks:

Front: (from road right-of way line to front property line)

40 feet (Arterial or Collector Street)

30 feet (All other Streets).

15 feet Side:

25 feet Rear: