9.11 RM2: Multiple Housing Residential



9.11.1 Purpose

The purpose is to provide a **zone** for ground oriented medium **density** multiple housing on urban services.

9.11.2 Primary Uses

- apartment housing
- care centre, major
- duplex (Bylaw 5440)
- four-plex housing
- group home, major
- row housing
- semi-detached housing
- seniors assisted housing
- seniors housing
- seniors supportive housing
- single detached housing
- three-plex housing

9.11.3 Secondary Uses

- accessory dwellings (Bylaw 5978)
- boarding rooms (Bylaw 5440)
- care centres, minor
- home based businesses, minor
- secondary suites (Bylaw 5440) (Bylaw 5969)

9.11.4 Subdivision Regulations

- Minimum lot width is 18.0m, except it is 20.0m for a corner lot. For fee simple three-plex, four-plex, row housing and semi-detached dwellings, the minimum lot width is 7.5m for interior lots and 12.0m for corner lots.
- Minimum lot area is 900m², or 10,000m² if not serviced by a community sewer system.

9.11.5 Party Wall Subdivision Regulations

Lot Type	Minimum Lot Area		Minimum Lot Width	
	interior	corner	interior	corner
Semi-Detached	225m²	275m²	7.8m	9.0m
Housing				
Three-Plex Housing	150m²	200m²	6.5m	7.8m
Four-Plex Housing	150m²	200m²	6.5m	7.8m
Row Housing	150m²	200m²	6.5m	7.8m

9.11.6 Development Regulations

- With a housing agreement pursuant to Section 4.9, the maximum **density** shall be 72.0 units per gross hectare (29.0 units/gross acre).
- Where parking spaces are provided completely beneath habitable space of a primary building or beneath useable common amenity areas, providing that in all cases the parking spaces are screened from view, the maximum density shall be

75.0 units per gross hectare (30.5 units/gross acre). Where all the required parking is not accommodated completely beneath the habitable space of a primary **building** or useable common amenity areas, the additional density permitted shall be determined through multiplying the additional 15.0 units per gross hectare (6 units/gross acre) by the percentage of parking proposed to be provided beneath habitable space of a primary **building** or useable common amenity areas.

- Maximum site coverage is 50% and together with driveways, parking areas and impermeable surfaces shall not exceed 55%.
- Maximum height is 10.0m, except it is 4.5m for secondary buildings and secondary structures.
- Minimum front yard is 4.5m, except it is 6.0m from a garage or carport to the back of curb or sidewalk for vehicular entry.
- Minimum side yard is 1.2m, except it is 2.5m from a flanking street. Where there is no direct vehicular access to the rear yard or to an attached garage or carport, one side yard shall be at least 3.0m. The minimum side yard is 0.0m for fee simple three-plex, four-plex, row housing and semi-detached dwellings.
- Minimum rear yard is 7.5m, except it is 1.0m for secondary buildings.
- Maximum six dwelling units located in a building.
- Maximum density is 60.0 units per gross hectare (24.5 units/gross acre).

9.11.7 Other Regulations

- For multi-unit residential housing, one office may be operated for the sole purpose
 of the management and operation of the multi-unit residential development.
 (Bylaw 5440)
- In order for bareland strata development to be consistent with the character of the surrounding neighborhood, the strata plan shall be considered as one site for defining the overall use, density and site coverage.
- For strata developments, common recreation buildings, facilities and amenities may be included in the strata plan. Recreational buildings shall be treated as **secondary buildings** for the purpose of determining the **height** and **setbacks** of the **building**.
- A minimum area of 5.0m² of private open space shall be provided per bachelor dwelling, congregate housing bedroom or group home bedroom, 10.0m² of private open space shall be provided per 1 bedroom dwelling, and 15.0m² of private open space shall be provided per dwelling with more than 1 bedroom.
- Vehicular access to the **development** is only permitted through either a driveway shared by at least 3 units or a rear **lane**.
- For seniors assisted housing, seniors housing and seniors supportive housing, a safe drop-off area for patrons shall be provided on the site.
- In addition to the regulations listed above, other regulations may apply. These include the general **development** regulations of Section 4 (secondary **development**, **yards**, projections into **yards**, lighting, agricultural setbacks, etc.); the specific use regulations of Section 5; the **landscaping** and fencing provisions of Section 6; and, the parking and loading regulations of Section 7.
- As per Section 4.10.2 All buildings and structures, excluding perimeter fencing (garden walls and fences) on lots abutting City Roads as identified on Schedule "B" shall not be sited closer to the City Road than the setback as per the appropriate zone measured from the offset Rights of Way as illustrated on Schedule "B". (Bylaw 5440)