

CADDO PARISH PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION

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23-9-CTAP AMENDMENT DETAILS

The Caddo Parish Unified Development Code (UDC) undergoes regular review to ensure that the Code promotes sound, stable, and desirable development to correct errors in the text or to accommodate changed or changing conditions in a particular area. Periodically, revisions are required to reflect the changing nature of business in the PZC's Planning Limits. These proposed amendments will be intended to be more user-friendly, concerning various housekeeping and corrective changes due to oversight, contradictions, or missing items.

Staff is requesting the Caddo Parish UDC be amended as follows: [strikeout indicates deleted text, underline indicates added text].

- Amend TABLE 5-1: USE MATRIX in ARTICLE 5. USES, SECTION 5.2 USE MATRIX in the Caddo Parish UDC, as described below.
 - Add a new "Overnight Truck Parking (Principal Use)" row, and include in the following allowable zoning districts.
 - I-1 (P)
 - I-2 (P)

[Note (1): See Exhibit "C" for all revisions to Table 5-1]

<u>Explanation</u>: Establish a new use category for overnight truck parking (as a principal use), which previously was uncategorized within the Code. The new use category expands where overnight truck parking is allowed, and use standards added to ensure truck parking is properly addressed.

- 2. Add new definition "Overnight Truck Parking (Principal Use)" to ARTICLE 5. USES, SECTION 5.3. USE DEFINITIONS in the Caddo Parish UDC. This new definition will need to be alphabetized accordingly.
 - 5.3 USE DEFINITIONS

Overnight Truck Parking (Principal Use). An open hard surfaced (or approved alternative surfaced) area other than a public street or right of way used for the storage of operable commercial vehicles/trucks, whether for compensation or no charge for parking overnight. Such area shall include parking of commercial vehicle/truck including any vehicle that the principal use of which is the transport of commodities, merchandise, produce, and freight. A commercial vehicle/truck shall, in addition to the tractor portion of said commercial vehicle/truck, include disconnected trailers, flatbeds, or the like, which may have been disconnected or otherwise separated from a commercial vehicle/truck tractor and left overnight.

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- Add new use standard "CC. Overnight Truck Parking (Principal Use)" to ARTICLE 6. USE STANDARDS, SECTION 6.1. PRINCIPAL USE STANDARDS in the Caddo Parish UDC. Re-alphabetize all subsequent use standards accordingly.
 - 6.1 USE STANDARDS

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CC. Overnight Truck Parking (Principal Use)

- Right-of-Way Landscaping, Landscape Buffer (including required fencing) and Parking Lot Edge landscaping shall be required as outlined in this code as applicable. Interior Parking Lot Landscaping is not required for this use.
- In addition to the right-of way landscaping, one shrub a minimum of three feet in height must be planted linearly
 every three feet on-center along the right-of-way.



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- 3. Any vehicles stored on-site must be stored so that no fluids will drain into the storm sewer system.
- 4. The Executive Director shall have administrative authority to waive these screening requirements due to adjacent zoning or uses, lot topography, or lot configuration.

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