

BY AUTHORITY

ORDINANCE NO.
SERIES OF 2025

COUNCIL BILL NO. CB25-0685
COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE:
Land Use, Transportation & Infrastructure

A BILL

For an ordinance amending Chapter 59 (Zoning) of the Denver Revised Municipal Code by repealing minimum vehicle parking requirements.

WHEREAS the City Council has determined on the basis of evidence and testimony presented at the public hearing that the amendment set forth in this ordinance is in conformance with Comprehensive Plan 2040; is reasonably necessary to promote the public health, safety, and general welfare; and will result in uniformity of zone district regulations.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER:

Section 1. That section 59-2, D.R.M.C. concerning Former Chapter 59 is amended by adding new paragraphs (c)(31) – (c)(35) to read as follows:

Sec. 59-2. – Former chapter 59.

(c) No changes shall be enacted to the text of the former chapter 59 after June 25, 2010; however, regulation of lands retaining their zoning designation under the former chapter 59 is subject to the following requirements and allowances:

(31) No minimum amount of vehicle parking is required for any land use or zone district in former chapter 59.

(32) Minimum off-street parking requirements stated in former chapter 59 shall be used for calculation of density, height, and floor area premiums/bonuses, where allowed in former chapter 59.

(33) Minimum off-street parking requirements stated in former chapter 59 shall be used for calculation of additional parking or excess parking, where regulated by former chapter 59.

(34) The manager shall not enforce any requirement for a minimum amount of vehicle parking stated in an approved regulating plan, Planned Building Group, or

zoning permit approved under former chapter 59.

(35) The manager shall not enforce any requirement for a minimum amount of vehicle parking stated in an approved Planned Unit Development (PUD) zone district, or a zone district with waivers or conditions approved under former chapter 59.

Section 2. This ordinance is effective ~~July 21~~ August 11, 2025.

COMMITTEE APPROVAL DATE: May 20, 2025

MAYOR-COUNCIL DATE: May 27, 2025

PASSED BY THE COUNCIL: 08/04/2025

Arnold P. Sandoval

- PRESIDENT

APPROVED: *Michael C. Johnston*
Michael C. Johnston (Aug 6, 2025 13:54:35 MDT)

- MAYOR 08/06/2025

ATTEST: _____ - CLERK AND RECORDER,
EX-OFFICIO CLERK OF THE
CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER

NOTICE PUBLISHED IN THE DAILY JOURNAL: _____ ; _____,

PREPARED BY: Adam C. Hernandez, Assistant City Attorney DATE: June 12, 2025

Pursuant to section 13-9, D.R.M.C., this proposed ordinance has been reviewed by the office of the City Attorney. We find no irregularity as to form, and have no legal objection to the proposed ordinance. The proposed ordinance is not submitted to the City Council for approval pursuant to § 3.2.6 of the Charter.

Katie J. McLoughlin, Interim City Attorney

BY: *Jonathan Griffin*, Assistant City Attorney DATE: _____,