

the provisions of this Code, is prohibited by D.R.M.C., Chapter 6 Licenses, due to proximity to a school. See Section 1.1.3.3.A, Conflicting Provisions.

#### **12.4.1.5 Review Criteria**

The Zoning Administrator shall use the following criteria in making a decision on an application for zoning permit review:

- A. The zoning permit is consistent with all prior approvals that are regulatory and controlling for the subject property, as applicable. For example, all zoning permits shall be consistent with a previously approved General Development Plan, Regulating Plan, or Site Development Plan.
- B. The zoning permit complies with all applicable regulations in this Code.

#### **12.4.1.6 Requirements and Limitations After Zoning Permit Issuance**

##### **A. Expiration**

- 1. Except as otherwise allowed in subsection C. below, all approved zoning permits authorizing construction shall expire after 180 days after the date of issuance if a building permit has not been issued within the 180-day time period and is not thereafter cancelled.
- 2. Except as otherwise allowed in subsection C. below, an approved zoning permit authorizing a permitted use shall expire if a building permit has not been issued within the 180-day time period or if the permitted use is not established within the 180-day time period. After the use is validly established, an approved zoning use permit shall run with the land except as otherwise restricted by this Code.
- 3. If a zoning permit is granted upon review and approval of a Site Development Plan according to Section 12.4.3 of this Code, then the zoning permit authorizing construction or a permitted use shall expire at the same time as the approved Site Development Plan.

##### **B. Modification and Rescission**

The Zoning Administrator may change, modify, or rescind any zoning permit decision, whether or not the decision has been appealed to the Board of Adjustment. Rescission of a permit is allowed according to the procedure and criteria stated in Section 12.11.6 of this Code.

##### **C. Modifications and Amendments to an Approved Zoning Permit**

Modifications and amendments to an approved zoning permit are allowed according to Section 12.3.7 of this Code.

### **SECTION 12.4.2 ZONING PERMIT REVIEW WITH INFORMATIONAL NOTICE**

#### **12.4.2.1 Purpose**

The purpose of the zoning permit review with informational notice process is to ensure compliance with the standards and provisions of this Code, while encouraging quality development in Denver reflective of the goals, policies, and strategies found in the Comprehensive Plan. Zoning permit review with informational notice is intended for specific types of development or establishment of specific permitted uses that are consistent with the intent of the zone district and generally compatible with surrounding building forms and uses, but which have the potential for adverse off-site impacts. Zoning permit review with informational notice provides an opportunity for potentially affected parties to be notified of the city's receipt of the application, the process for making comments, the final decision, and appeal opportunities.

#### **12.4.2.2 Applicability**

Zoning permit review with informational notice is required for the following types of development:

- A. Establishment, expansion or enlargement of a primary, accessory, or temporary use permitted subject to informational notice, as indicated by the designation "ZPIN" (Zoning Permit with

Informational Notice) in the applicable Use and Parking Tables found in Articles 3 through 9 of this Code.

- B. Establishment, expansion or enlargement of a primary, accessory, or temporary use permitted in a zone district under Articles 3 through 9 or under any other provision in this Code, where such provision explicitly requires zoning permit review with informational notice and approval prior to establishment of the use.
- C. Deviations from the Sign Code permitted with a Comprehensive Sign Plan for Large Facilities authorized under Division 10.10, Signs.
- D. Construction of any new building on a Small Zone Lot that includes a request for a parking exemption in accordance with Section 10.4.5.1.A.

#### **12.4.2.3 Prohibitions and Requirements Prior to Zoning Permit Issuance**

##### **A. Prohibitions on Activities Prior to Zoning Permit**

No development shall occur on property subject to these requirements for zoning permit review until a zoning permit has been approved, unless the Zoning Administrator allows an exception in writing.

##### **B. Payment of Gateway Regional Systems Development Fee**

No zoning permit for an applicable zone lot, except a zoning permit only for a sign or fence and wall, shall be issued until the regional systems development fee established by the Gateway Regional Metropolitan District on land within the Gateway Regional Metropolitan District has been paid for the subject zone lot.

##### **C. Denver International Airport (DIA) Review of Uses and Development in the DIA Influence Area Overlay District (AIO)**

No zoning permit shall be issued for any use, development, or structure in the DIA Influence Area Overlay District until the Manager of Aviation, or designee, has found that the proposed use, development, or structure complies with the DIA Influence Area Overlay District standards in Article 9 of this Code. The Manager of Aviation shall comment within 14 days from the referral of the complete application. Non-response by the Manager of Aviation within the 14-day time period, or any extension agreed to by the Zoning Administrator, shall be deemed a recommendation of approval.

#### **12.4.2.4 Review Process**

##### **A. Initiation**

The owner[s] of the subject property or the owner's or owners' authorized agent may initiate an application for zoning permit review with informational notice.

##### **B. Pre-Application Meeting**

A pre-application meeting is mandatory before submittal of an application for zoning permit review with informational notice. See Section 12.3.2, Pre-Application Meetings.

##### **C. Application and Fees**

###### **1. Submittal in Writing**

All applications for zoning permit review with informational notice shall be filed in writing with Community Planning and Development. The applicant shall pay all required fees at the same time the application is submitted. See Section 12.3.3, Submission of Applications.

###### **2. Concurrent Applications**

The applicant may submit a zoning permit review with informational notice application concurrent with other required applications according to Section 12.3.3.9, Concurrent Applications. In no case, however, shall a building permit, as applicable, be issued until