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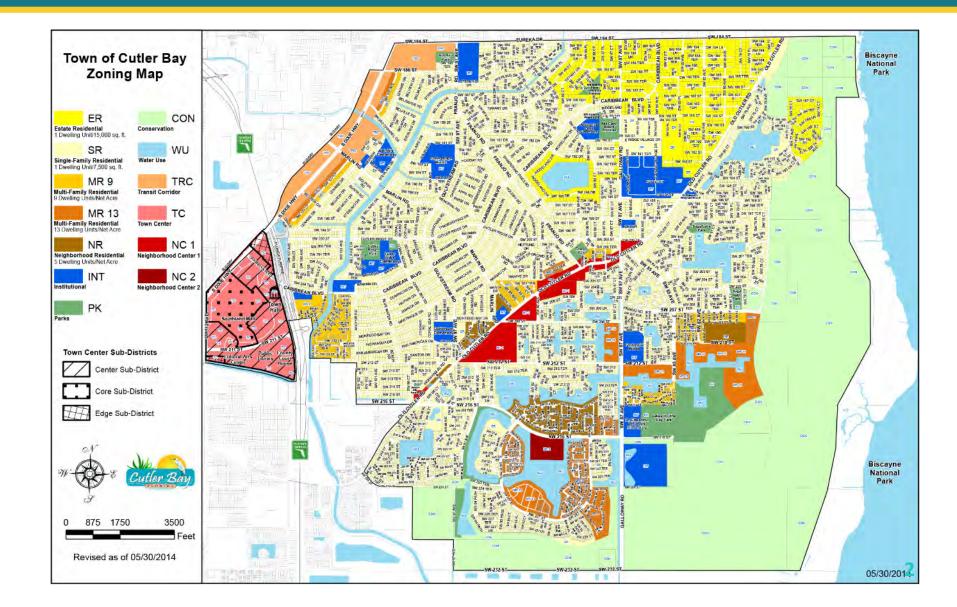
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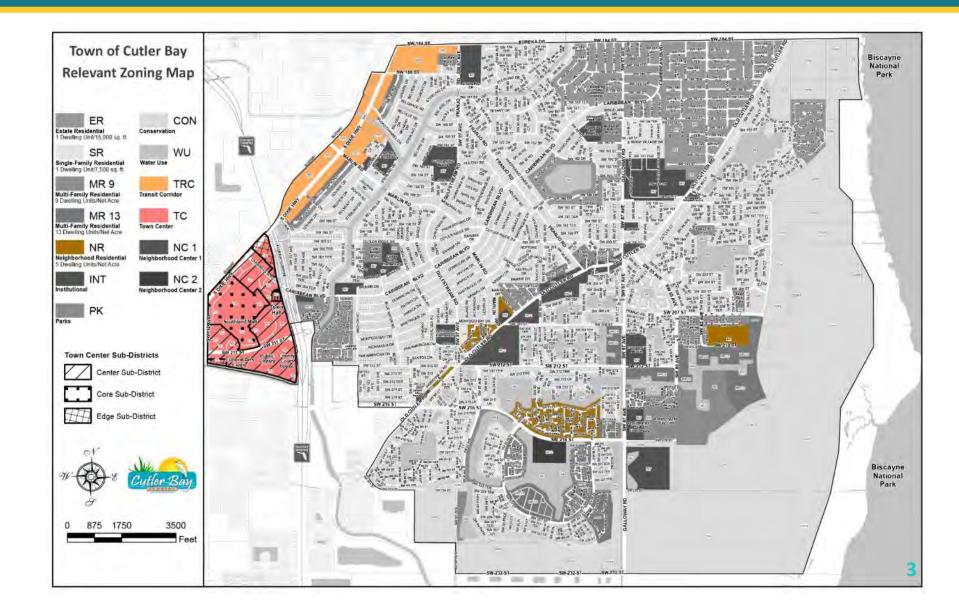
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Relevant Zoning Map



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General Observations

- Requirements are repetitive
- Restricts architectural style
- Urban form but has many suburban elements
- Site constraints may prompt variance requests
- Functionality for certain uses may be limited, may reduce marketability
- Design requirements are not applicable to multi-family buildings that do not have a mixed-use component
- Design Requirements for renovation of existing/non-conforming buildings is not addressed

Visual Preference Survey Architectural Form + Standards

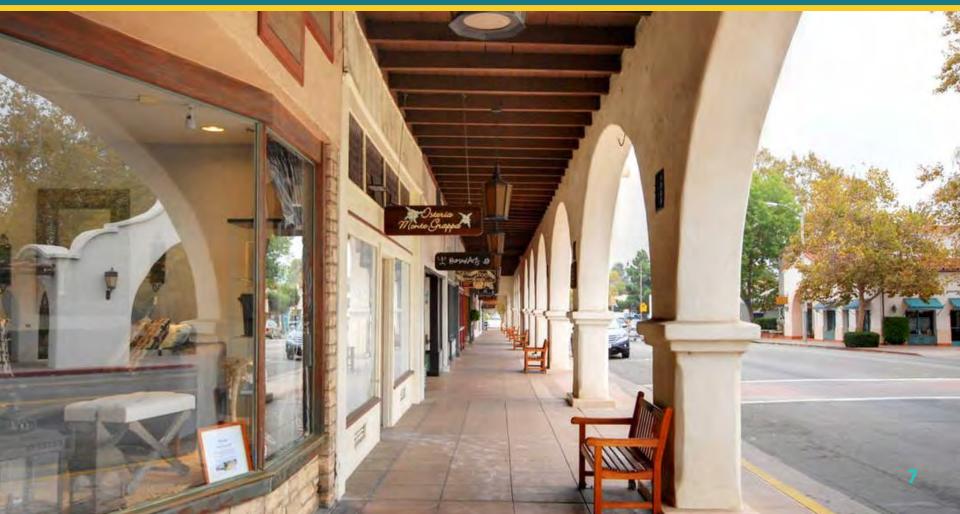
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(b) Drive-thru customer services, if permitted in the district, must be located at the rear of the building or on a side which does not abut a street.



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(c) Parking shall be located to the rear and/or side of the building. Sideyard parking may occupy no more than 45 percent of the principal frontage line. Parking shall not be placed in any sideyard abutting an intersecting street.



(d) Trash containers and mechanical equipment shall be located in a side parking area, if no rear parking is available. Trash containers and mechanical equipment shall be screened from view from the public right-of-way.



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(e) Building walls shall be brick, sandstone, other native stone, tinted/textured masonry, stucco, or other materials similar in appearance and durability. Decorative concrete block may be used on building walls not visible from a public street or as an accent material only. Manmade substances such as plastic wood, foam, or false stone are prohibited, unless approved as part of a LEED or alternative green certification program. All accessory structures shall be clad in materials matching the building facade.



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(f) The first floor of street level building facades shall be a minimum of 50 percent and a maximum of 70 percent in windows or doorways. Faux or display casements are not permitted in lieu of exterior window treatments for the frontage elevation. No frontage wall shall remain unpierced by a window or functional general access doorway for more than 16 feet.



(g) No more than 45 percent of the total area of the facade may be comprised of glass area or other openings.



(h) Mirrored or reflected glass is not permitted in any location.



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(i) A change in design, doors, window rhythm and articulation, and building materials and textures shall be required at least every 100 feet along a building's street frontage. Minimum spacing between the similar architectural compositions shall be 300 feet. Development in the town center is exempt from this provision.



(j) Building facades shall have a maximum width of 70 feet before new facade articulation is required.



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(k) No exterior wall facing a street or pedestrian walkway shall have a blank, uninterrupted length exceeding 30 feet without including at least two of the following: change in plane, change in texture or masonry pattern, windows, lattice work with vines, or an equivalent element that subdivides the wall into human scale proportions.



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(I) Side and rear walls adjoining pedestrian walkways shall include windows and door openings defined by frames (false windows and doors may be allowed in certain situations), sills and lintels; or similarly proportioned modulations of the wall. All sides of the building shall include materials and design characteristics consistent with those on the front of the building.



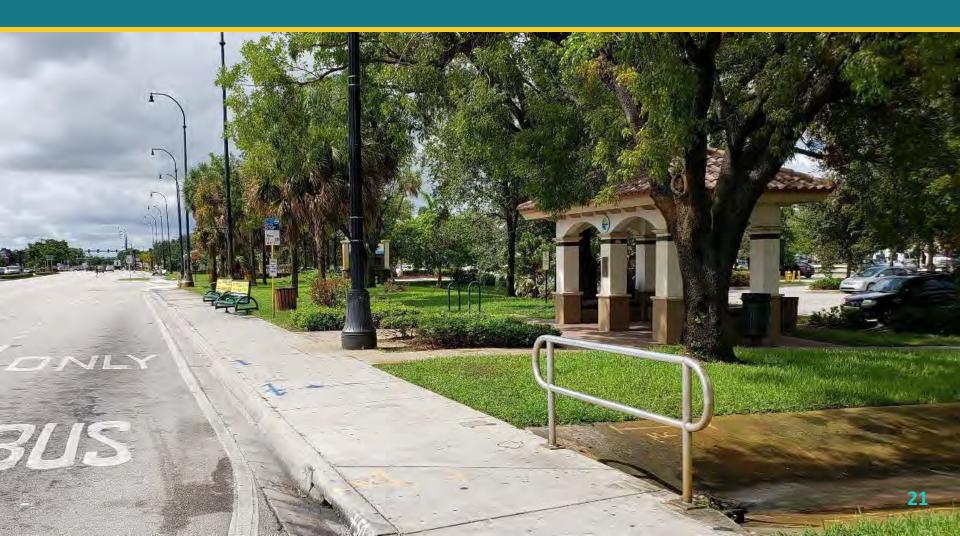
(m) Building facades shall have a recognizable "base," including, but not limited to, thicker walls, ledges and sills using integrally textured materials such as stone or other masonry or inclusion of planters.



(n)



(o) Development located along designated transit routes shall provide on-site accommodations for public transit access, such as pedestrian walkways, a bus pullout and shelters where applicable following transit plans.



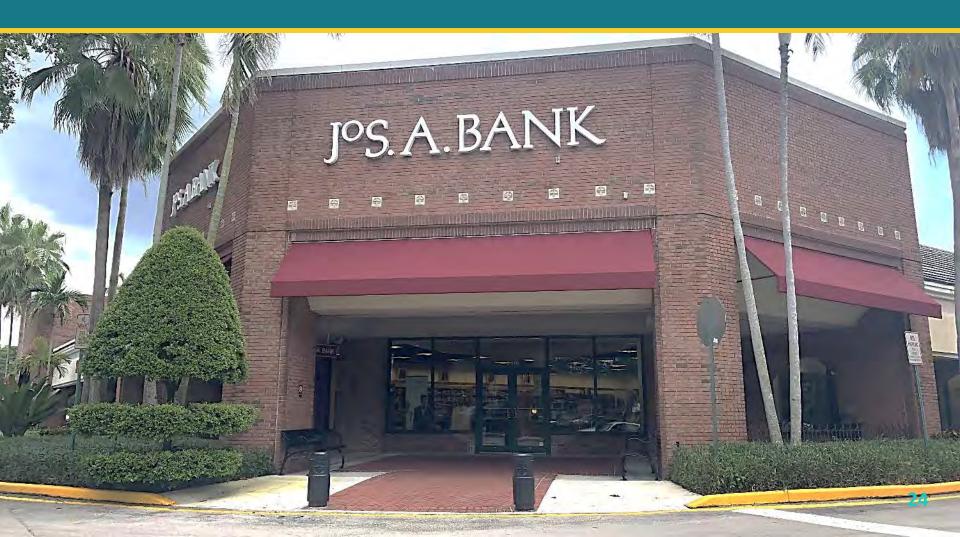
(p) Where multiple stores are located within a larger retail development, each such store shall have a separate exterior customer entrance.



(q) Pedestrian sidewalks shall be provided from building entries to surrounding streets, parking spaces, external sidewalks, and outparcels.



(r) Entrance canopies shall face the street. Bays and garage entrances may not face the fronting street.



(s) The use of exterior colors that are of high-intensity, metallic, or fluorescent tones shall be prohibited.



- (t) Development over five acres in area shall provide at least four of the following:
 - (1) Patio with a minimum of 1,000 square feet in area with shaded seating;



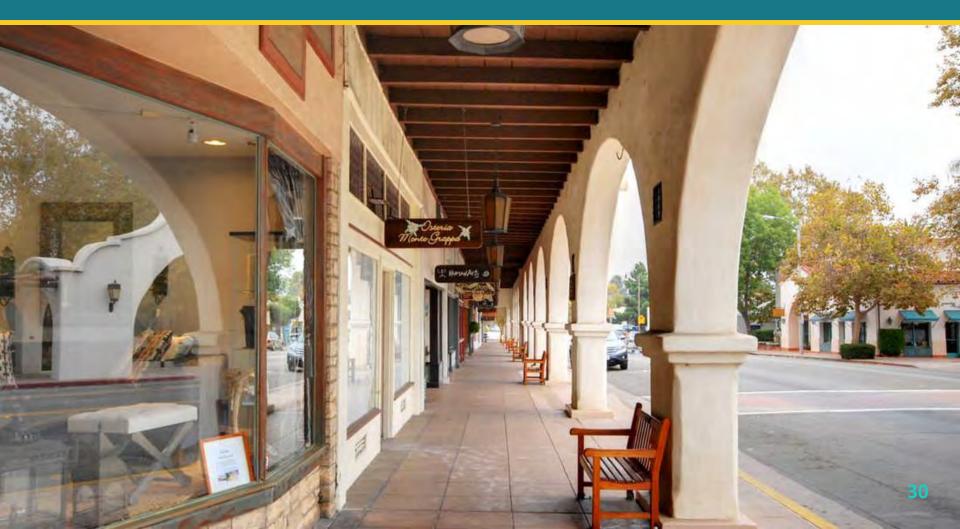
(2) Pedestrian plaza with a minimum of 1,000 square feet in area with benches and shade structures;



(3) Green roof, rooftop garden or a green wall covering a minimum of 75 percent of the area;



(4) Window shopping covered arcade with a minimum of 1,000 linear feet in length;



(5) Outdoor shaded playground area with a minimum of 1,000 square feet in area;



- (t) Development over five acres in area shall provide at least four of the following:
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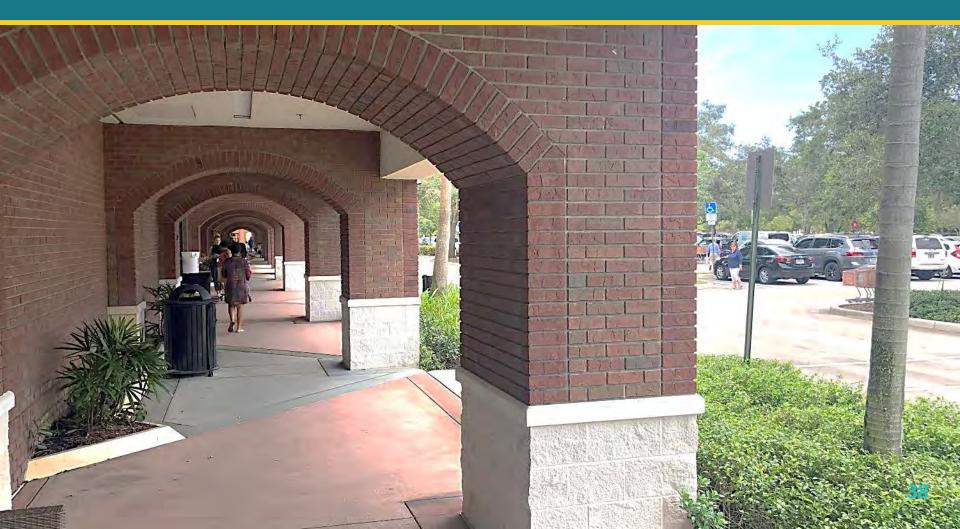
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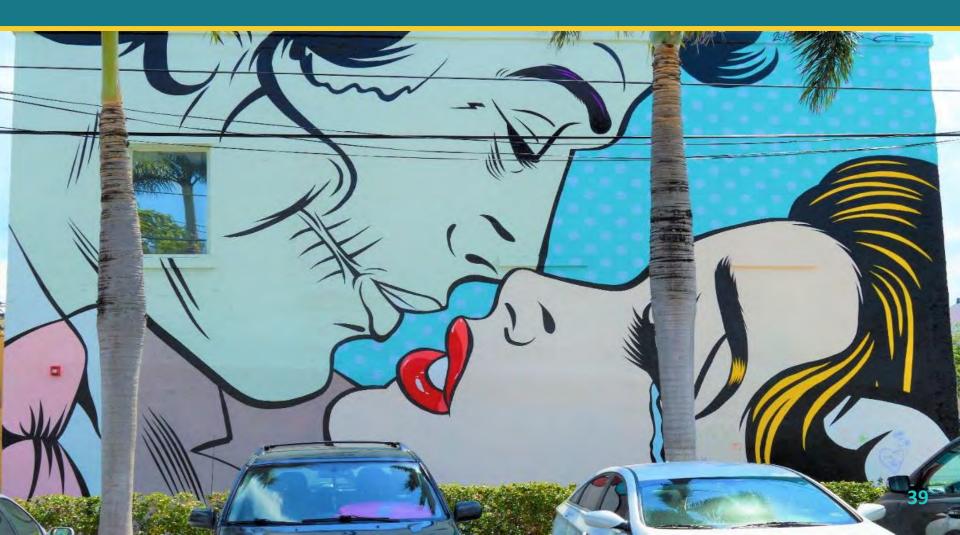
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(7) Consistent pattern of arches across the street level primary building facade;



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(9) Ornamental and structural architectural details, other than cornices, which are integrated into the building structure and overall design;



(10) Projected and covered entry a minimum of five feet in width;



(11) Metal or tile roof as the dominant roof material;



(12) Decorative landscape planters, a minimum of five feet wide, and areas for shaded seating consisting of a minimum of 100 square feet;



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(u) Buildings shall incorporate a minimum of eight of the following design treatments:

(13) Integration of specialty pavers, or stamped concrete along the building's walkway. Said treatment shall constitute a minimum of 60 percent of walkway area;



(14) Water elements, such as a decorative fountain or similar water feature, a minimum of 300 square feet in area;



(15) Integration of porous surfaces over at least 1,000 square feet or 25 percent of a pervious area, whichever is greater.



Sec. 3-80 Nonresidential and Mixed-Use

(u) In Action:



Visual Preference Survey **Plant Materials**

General Observations

- Height requirement of "at least 16 to 18 feet in height" is not realistic for current nursery availability
- No reference for palm trees
- Minimum Standards -- lack of incentives
- Per code, the Town does encourage Florida-Friendly Landscaping
- Does not encourage Cutler Bay specific native species such as rockland and pineland
- Tree species mix is reasonable
 - Opportunity to refine to clarify how species are mix
 - i.e. every other tree, not one species per side of property

PLANT MATERIALS

LARGE NATIVE TREES







SWIETENIA MAHAGON!



SLASH PINE





GREEN BUTTONWOOD BALD CYPRESS





WILD TAMARIND SATIN

SATINLEAF CHRYSOPHYLLUM OLIVIFORME

SMALL NATIVE TREES



BAHAMA STRONGBARK



SPICEWOOD



MYRTLE OF THE RIVER



JAMAICA CAPER



SILVER BUTTONWOOD





ORANGE GEIGER TREE

FLOWERING TREES



ROYAL POINCIANA



PINK TABEBUIA



GOLDEN TRUMPET



CRAPE MYRTLE



COPPERPOD PELTOPHORUM PTEROCARPUM



WHITE GEIGER

PLANT MATERIALS

PALM TREES



ROYAL PALM



SABAL PALMETTO



SYLVESTER PALM



CANARY DATE PALM



VEITCHIA PALM



FOXTAIL PALM



THATCH PALM

SHRUBS



COCOPLUM CHRYSOBALANUS ICACO



FIREBUSH



FAKAHATCHEE GRASS



PINK MUHLY GRASS



FICUS GREEN ISLAND



SAW PALMETTO

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- (10) Incorporating rockland and pineland species (10% above required amount of trees)
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Incentives Through Landscaping

Development Standard	Suggestion	Example
Height	One additional story for exceeding required amount of trees by 20%	City of Miami Gardens: Provision of plazas, greens, and pocket parks for an additional 2 stories
Parking	Installation of additional native landscaping allows for a parking reduction or increase of 15%	Many cities waive or alter parking requirements in exchange for amenities or workforce housing
Density	2 dwelling units per acre for adding rockland and pineland species at a minimum of 20%over the required tree count	 City of Oakland Park: Inclusion of plazas, open spaces, greenways for an additional 2 dwelling units per acre Use of signature trees as street trees for an additional 1 dwelling unit per acre (Mixed Use Land Development District)
FAR	0.10% additional FAR for adding rockland and pineland species at a minimum of 20% over the required tree count	 City of Miami Beach: Additional Planting or Landscaping for an additional 0.10% to 0.35% of floor area (Hospital Zoning District)

Next Steps

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- Review feedback
- Land Development Regulations Amendments
- Public Hearings



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