

# City of Raymore, Missouri Unified Development Code

## Planned Unit District

### Section 415.060 PUD, Planned Unit Development District

#### A. General Purpose and Description

The PUD, Planned Unit Development District is a special purpose district that is intended to encourage the unified design of residential, commercial, office, professional services, retail and institutional uses and facilities or combinations thereof in accordance with an approved comprehensive development plan. This district provides for flexibility in the design of buildings, yards, courts and circulation in exchange for the provision of platted common open space, amenities and design excellence.

#### B. Review Procedure

The procedure for review of applications for planned unit developments will be as set forth in Section 470.050.

#### C. Allowable Uses

The Planned Unit Development District may be established exclusively for residential, commercial or industrial development or any combination of these uses. Each use category must be listed on the PUD plans and approved by the Planning and Zoning Commission and the City Council.

#### D. District-Specific Design Standards

##### 1. Maintenance of Overall Density

The Planning and Zoning Commission and City Council may designate divisible geographic sections of the entire parcel to be developed as a unit, and may, in such a case, specify reasonable periods within which developments of such unit must be commenced. In the case of residential planned unit developments, the Planning and Zoning Commission may permit in each unit deviations from the number of dwelling units per acre established for the entire planned development, provided such deviation will be adjusted for in other sections of the development so that the number of dwelling units per acre authorized for the entire planned development is not increased.

##### 2. Adequate Circulation System

- a. The site must be accessible from public roads that are adequate to carry the traffic that will be imposed upon them by the proposed development, and the streets and driveways on the site of the proposed development must be adequate to serve the residents or occupants of the proposed development.
- b. A traffic study shall be submitted with the rezoning application in order to determine impacts of the proposed development and necessary improvements to the transportation system. The traffic study shall take into consideration the Transportation Plan of the City of Raymore. The Director of Public Works shall review the traffic study and make a recommendation to the Planning and Zoning Commission and City Council regarding necessary improvements to the transportation system.

**3. Adequate Public Services**

The development must not impose an undue burden upon public services and facilities, such as fire and police protection and public infrastructure. The development must make adequate provisions for resulting additional system demands imposed by the development upon roads and streets, water supply and storage, storm sewerage, sanitary sewerage and wastewater treatment. The developer must make arrangements and will furnish such performance bonds, escrow deposits or other guarantees as may be determined by the City to be reasonably required to assure consistency of the development with the City's Growth Management Plan and with this subsection.

**4. Additional Buffering**

When a commercial or industrial use within a Planned Unit Development district abuts a residential zoning district, a landscape buffer in compliance with Section 430.080C1 shall be provided. If the residential zoning district and the commercial or industrial use are separated by a street right-of-way, a 10 foot wide landscaped buffer containing trees, shrubs and evergreens must be provided along the residential side of the right-of-way line. The applicant must provide for perpetual maintenance of the landscape buffer containing trees, shrubs and evergreens.

**E. Additional Requirements**

**1. Operational Performance Standards**

All uses in the planned unit development district must comply with the operational performance standards in Section 440.020.

**2. Outdoor Storage, Display and Work Areas**

- a.** All residential uses allowed in the PUD must comply with the requirements of Section 405.040E.
- b.** All business, commercial or industrial uses allowed in the PUD must comply with the requirements of Section 410.040B.

**3. Bulk and Dimensional Standards**

Bulk and dimensional standards shall be established by the Planning and Zoning Commission and City Council as part of the zoning map amendment process.