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**Sec. 142-108. Provisions for the demolition of single-family homes located outside of historic districts.**

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(g) *New construction requirements for properties containing a single-family home constructed prior to 1942.*

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- (2) *Regulations for additions to architecturally significant homes which are substantially retained and preserved.* In addition to the development regulations and area requirements of section 142-105, of the land development regulations of the City Code, the following shall apply in the event an architecturally significant single-family home constructed prior to 1942 is substantially retained and preserved. In the event of a conflict between the provisions of section 142-105, 142-106 and section 118-252, and the regulations below, the provisions herein shall control:
- a. *Review criteria.* The proposed addition and modifications to the existing structure may be reviewed at the administrative level, provided that the review criteria in section 142-105 have been satisfied, as determined by the planning director or designee. The design of any addition to the existing structure shall take into consideration the scale, massing, building orientation and siting of the original structure on the subject site.
  - b. *Lot coverage.* The total lot coverage may be increased to, but shall not exceed 40 percent, and may be approved at the administrative level, provided that the review criteria in section 142-105 have been satisfied, as determined by the planning director or designee. In the event the lot coverage of the existing structure exceeds 40 percent, no variance shall be required to retain and preserve the existing lot coverage and a second level addition shall be permitted, provided it does not exceed 60 percent of the footprint of the existing structure; no lot coverage variance shall be required for such addition.
  - c. *Unit size.* The total unit size may be increased to, but shall not exceed 60 percent, and may be approved at the administrative level, provided that the review criteria in section 142-105 have been satisfied, as determined by the planning director or designee.
  - d. *Heights for RS-3 and RS-4.* For lots zoned RS-4 with a minimum lot width of 60 feet, or lots zoned RS-3, the height for ground level additions not to exceed 50 percent of the lot coverage proposed, may be increased up to 26 feet for a flat roofed structure and 29 feet for a sloped roof structure (as measured to the mid-point of the slope) above the minimum required flood elevation, and may be approved at the administrative level, provided that the review criteria in section 142-105 have been satisfied, as determined by the planning director or designee.
  - e. *Heights for RS-1 and RS-2.* For lots zoned RS-1 or RS-2, the height for ground level additions not to exceed 50 percent of the lot coverage proposed may be increased up to 30 feet for a flat roofed structure and 33 feet for a sloped roof structure (as measured to the mid-point of the slope) above the minimum required flood elevation, and may be approved at the administrative level, provided that the review criteria in section 142-105 have been satisfied, as determined by the planning director or designee.
  - f. *Courtyards.* The minimum courtyard requirements specified in subsection 142-106(2)d. may be waived at the administrative level, provided that the review criteria in section 142-105 have been satisfied, as determined by the planning director or designee.
  - g. *Front setback.* Two-story structures or the second floor may encroach forward to the 20-foot front setback line, and may be approved at the administrative level, provided that the review

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criteria in section 142-105 have been satisfied, as determined by the planning director or designee.

- h. *Second floor requirements.* The maximum second floor area of 70 percent specified in subsection 142-105(b)(3)c may be waived at the administrative level, provided that the review criteria in section 142-105 have been satisfied, as determined by the planning director or designee.
- i. *Two-story ground level additions.* The construction of a ground floor addition of more than one story shall be allowed to follow the existing interior building lines, provided a minimum side setback of five feet is met, and may be approved at the administrative level, provided that the review criteria in section 142-105 have been satisfied, as determined by the planning director or designee.
- j. *Projections.* Habitable additions to, as well as the relocation of, architecturally significant structures, may project into a required rear or side yard for a distance not to exceed 25 percent of the required yard, up to the following maximum projections:
  - 1. Interior side yard: Five feet.
  - 2. Street side yard: Seven feet six inches.
  - 3. Rear yard: Fifteen feet.
- k. *Fees.* The property owner shall not be required to pay any city planning or public works department fees associated with the renovation and restoration of the existing single-family home; except that any and all non-city impact fees and other fees shall still be required.
- l. *[Applicability.]* The above regulations shall also be applicable to:
  - 1. Any single-family home designated as an historic structure by the historic preservation board, and not located within a locally designated historic district.
  - 2. Any single-family home constructed prior to 1966, if the owner voluntarily seeks a determination of architectural significance and if such home has been determined to be architecturally significant in accordance with section 142-108(a).