



# DAC: Downtown Activity Center District

## Purpose

The purpose of the Downtown Activity Center (DAC) District is to provide lands that support Downtown Columbia as a unique regional center of culture and commerce. Principal types of development include high-density residential, civic, government, commercial, employment, and mixed-uses in a pedestrian-oriented context. The district is intended to facilitate the creation of a convenient, attractive and harmonious context of buildings and streets, pedestrian ways, parks, and open spaces. \*No minimum parking.

## Intensity and Dimensional Standards

Standard	All Uses
Lot Area, min. (sf.)	N/A
Lot Width, min. (ft.)	N/A
Lot Coverage, max. (% of site area)	N/A
Density, max. (du/acre)	N/A
Front Yard Setback, (ft.)	Min.
	Max.
Side Yard Setback, min. (ft.)	N/A
Rear Yard Setback, min. (ft.)	N/A
Building Height, max. (ft.)	N/A

Notes: ft. = feet sf. = square feet du. = dwelling unit

[1] The maximum front yard setback is the average front yard setback for buildings on the same block face and on the adjacent block faces fronting the same street. If the average front yard setback cannot be established, the maximum front yard setback is ten feet.

## Use Standards

Uses are presented below for convenience. Please refer to 17-4.2 through 17-4.4 for complete regulations for principal, accessory, and temporary uses. <sup>1</sup> Conditional Use <sup>2</sup> Special Exception

PRINCIPAL USES PERMITTED		
	Residential care facility <sup>2</sup>	Membership organization facility
Dwelling, live-work <sup>1</sup>	Rooming house or boardinghouse <sup>2</sup>	Place of worship <sup>1</sup>
Dwelling, mixed-use	Broadcasting studio	Public safety facility
Dwelling, multifamily	Newspaper or periodical publishing establishment	Social services facility
Dwelling, townhouse	Community recreation center	College or university
Continuing care retirement community (CCRC) <sup>1</sup>	Cultural facility	Elementary, middle, or high school
Dormitory, private <sup>1,2</sup>	Day care facility <sup>1</sup>	School, business or trade
Dormitory, public	Government office	Hospital
Fraternity or sorority house <sup>2</sup>	Library	Laboratory, medical or dental
		Medical or dental clinic/office

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Nursing care facility	Non-depository personal credit institution <sup>1</sup>
Arboretum or botanical garden	Repair of personal goods
Cemetery	Arena, stadium, or outdoor theater
Park or greenway <sup>1</sup>	Banquet hall
Park and ride	Performing arts center
Parking lot <sup>1</sup>	Recreation facility, indoor, not elsewhere listed
Parking structure <sup>1</sup>	Recreation facility, outdoor, not elsewhere listed
Passenger terminal, surface transportation	Consumer goods store <sup>1</sup>
Railroad facility	Convenience store <sup>2</sup>
Utility facility, major <sup>2</sup>	Smoke or Vape Shop <sup>1</sup>
Utility facility, minor	Farmers' market <sup>1</sup>
Kennel <sup>1</sup>	Grocery store or food market
Veterinary hospital or clinic <sup>1</sup>	Liquor store <sup>2</sup>
Laboratory, testing or research	Pawn shop <sup>2</sup>
Self-service storage <sup>1</sup>	Gasoline sales and service station <sup>1</sup>
Eating establishment only <sup>1</sup>	Personal vehicle repair and maintenance <sup>2</sup>
Eating and drinking establishment, Type 1 <sup>1</sup>	Personal vehicle sales and rentals <sup>1</sup>
Eating and drinking establishment, Type 2 <sup>2</sup>	Vehicle equipment supplies sales and rentals
Funeral home or mortuary	Bed and breakfast <sup>1</sup>
Business/Professional office	Hotel or motel
Contractor's office	Community garden <sup>1</sup>
Bank, retail	Crop production and processing
Beauty salon or barbershop	Manufacturing, assembly, or fabrication, light
Dry cleaning pick-up <sup>1</sup>	
Laundry, coin-operated	
Nail salon	

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