# PART 7E PS – PUBLIC SERVICE ZONE

### **7E.1 INTENT**

- (1) The Public Service zone is established to preserve and control areas used or intended to be used by the public for active and passive recreational purposes.
- (2) The zone is confined to natural or parkland areas which are:
  - (a) environmentally sensitive; or
  - (b) represent valuable aesthetic assets to the community.

# **7E.2 APPLICATION**

- (1) The regulations, standards and requirements prescribed in part 7E apply to all land uses and developments in the Public Service zone.
- (2) The requirements of Chapter 1 apply to all proposed land uses and developments in the Public Service zone.

# 7E.3 BUILDING AND LAND USE REQUIREMENTS

### 3.1 PERMITTED OR DISCRETIONARY BUILDING TYPES

- (1) Table 7E.T1 lists building types that are permitted or discretionary in the Public Service zone.
- (2) Any building types other than those listed in Table 7E.T1 are prohibited in the Public Service zone.

TAB	TABLE 7B.T1: PUBLIC SERVICE ZONE BUILDING TYPES			
Sec.	Building Type	Permitted	Discretionary	Building Specific Regulations
T1.1	Building, Accessory	Permitted		
T1.2	Building, Detached	Permitted		
T1.3	Building, Row	Permitted where the:  (1) building does not contain a use in the dwelling land use class and meets the following conditions:  (a) maximum building height is 15 metres or less; (b) the building does not adjoin a lot zoned residential or a lot containing a use in the dwelling land use class; and  (c) the building is not on the same lot as a building containing a use in the dwelling land use class; or	Discretionary where the:  (1) building is between 11 metres and 15 metres in height does not contain a use in the dwelling land use class and;  (a) adjoins a lot zoned residential or a lot containing a use in the dwelling land use class; or  (b) is on the same lot as a building containing a use in the dwelling land use class; or  (2) building contains a use in the dwelling land use class and the maximum building height is between 11 metres and 15 metres.	
T1.4	Building, Stacked			

# 3.2 LAND USE REQUIREMENTS

- (1) Table 7E.T2 lists land uses and land use intensities that are permitted or discretionary in the Public Service zone, subject to compliance with:
  - (a) the land-use specific regulations in Table 7E.T2;
  - (b) the development standards in subpart 7E.4;
  - (c) the off-street parking and loading requirements in subpart 7E.6;
  - (d) the landscaping and visual screening requirements of subpart 7E.7; and
  - (e) the other regulations of this Bylaw.
- (2) When considering approval of a land use intensity listed as discretionary in Table 7E.T2, the City shall refer to the Review Criteria for discretionary uses listed in Chapter 1.
- (3) The following land uses are prohibited in the Public Service zone:

- (a) any land use that is not listed in Table 7E.T2;
- (b) any land use that is above the maximum intensity listed as permitted or discretionary in Table 7E.T2;
- (c) any land use that fails to meet any of the applicable requirements laid out in this Bylaw; and
- (d) any land use that produces or processes hazardous materials and/or dangerous goods.

TABLE 7E.T2: PUBLIC SERVICE ZONE LAND USES				
Sec.	Land Uses	Permitted	Discretionary	Land Use Specific Regulations
T2.1	Institution, Education     Open Space, Active     Public Use, General     Utility, General	Permitted		<ol> <li>(1) The "Institution, Education" land uses may not be established where they will be closer than 182.88 metres to a "Retail Trade, Cannabis" land use.</li> <li>(2) The measurement required in (1) shall be:         <ul> <li>(a) a straight line, measured from the nearest point of the portion of the building used for the "Retail Trade, Cannabis" land use to the nearest portion of the lot with the "Institution, Education" or "Institution, Education" or "Institution, Day Care" land use; and</li> <li>(b) assessed as of the date of receipt of a complete application as determined by the Development Officer.</li> </ul> </li> <li>(3) Only public schools are permitted in the "Institution, Education" land use.</li> </ol>
T2.2	<ul> <li>Assembly, Community</li> <li>Food and Beverage, Restaurant</li> <li>Service Trade, Clinic</li> <li>Service Trade, Personal</li> </ul>		Discretionary	These land uses are allowed only in conjunction with municipally owned or operated facility.
T2.3	Assembly, Recreation     Assembly, Religious     Institution, Day Care     Institution,     Humanitarian Service     Open Space,     Ceremonial		Discretionary	

### 7E.4 DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS

### 4.1 DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS

The development standards prescribed in Table 7E.T3 apply to all buildings and land uses in the Public Service zone.

Table	Table 7E.T3: PUBLIC SERVICE ZONE DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS			
Sec.	Development Criteria <sup>+</sup>	Standards (Per Lot)		
T3.1	Minimum Lot Area	500 square metres		
T3.2	Minimum Frontage	15 metres		
T3.3	Minimum Front Yard Setback	4.5 metres		
T3.4	Minimum Rear Yard Setback	6.0* metres		
T3.5	Minimum Side Yard Setback	3.0* metres		
T3.6	Minimum Total Side Yard Setback	6.0 metres		
T3.7	Maximum Site Coverage	75%		
T3.8	Maximum Building Height	15 metres		
T3.9	Maximum Floor Area Ratio	1.5		

<sup>+</sup> For the Assembly, Recreation land use at Parcel W, Plan No. 102254622, refer to 7B.8 Mosaic Stadium Regulations and Design Guidelines.

# **4.2** Lot Frontage

- (1) No land use or development shall take place on any lot unless that lot directly fronts a street.
- (2) Where a lot's front lot line is curved, the lot frontage shall be measured as follows, as shown in Figure 7E.F1 below:
  - (a) the midpoint of the front lot line, relative to the side lot lines, shall be determined;
  - (b) a distance line perpendicular to the tangent and six metres in length shall be measured from the midpoint determined in subclause 7E.4.2(2)(a); and
  - (c) the lot frontage shall be measured as a line perpendicular to the six metre distance line prescribed in subclause 7E.4.2(2)(b).
- (3) On a corner lot, the lot frontage shall be measured as follows, as shown in Figure 7E.F2:
  - (a) a distance line perpendicular to the front lot line and six meters in length shall be measured from the front lot line; and

<sup>\*</sup>Nil in cases where a building addition to an Institution, Education is located on the developed Institution, Education site directly adjacent to land owned by the City.

(b) the lot frontage shall be measured as a line perpendicular to the six-metre distance line prescribed in clause 7E.4.2(3)(a).

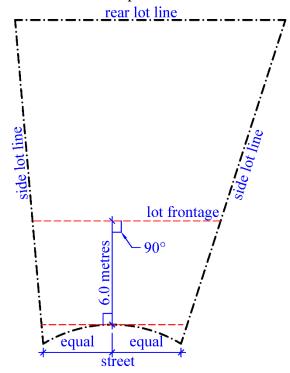


Figure 7E.F1: Minimum Lot Frontage on a Curved Front Lot

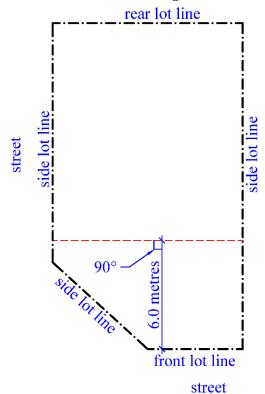


Figure 7E.F2: Minimum Lot Frontage on a Corner Lot

# 4.3 PERMITTED YARD ENCROACHMENTS

- (1) The minimum front yard, flankage side yard, interior side yard and rear yard specified by this bylaw shall remain free from any encroachment, except as permitted by Table 7E.T4.
- (2) Permitted yard encroachments are subject to section 1E.1.9 of Chapter 1.

TABLE 7E.T4: PUBLIC SERVICE ZONE PERMITTED ENCROACHMENTS				
Sec.	Structure	Permitted Yard	Maximum Projection into Permitted Yard	Minimum Setback from Lot Line
T4.1	Fire escape	<ul><li>Front Yard</li><li>Side Yards</li><li>Flankage Side Yard</li><li>Rear Yard</li></ul>	1.5 metres	150 millimetres
Uncovered Balcony, Deck or Platform				
T4.2	(1) Portion that is 600 millimetres or more in height above grade.	<ul><li>Front Yard</li><li>Side Yard</li><li>Flankage Side Yard</li><li>Rear Yard</li></ul>	1.5 metres	1.5 metres from any abutting lot zoned Residential or Mixed, otherwise unrestricted.
	(2) Portion that is less than 600 millimetres in height above grade.	<ul><li>Front Yard</li><li>Side Yards</li><li>Flankage Side Yard</li><li>Rear Yard</li></ul>	Unrestricted	Unrestricted
T4.3	Porch	• Front Yard	1.5 metres	3 metres
T4.4	Steps above or below grade, landings and wheelchair ramps	<ul><li>Front Yard</li><li>Side Yards</li><li>Flankage Side Yard</li><li>Rear Yard</li></ul>	Unrestricted	Unrestricted

# 4.4 HEIGHT EXCEPTIONS

- (1) Subject to subsection 7E.4.4(2), the maximum building height prescribed in Table 7E.T3 shall not apply to the following:
  - (a) a spire;
  - (b) a belfry;
  - (c) a cupola;
  - (d) a dome;
  - (e) a chimney;
  - (f) a ventilator;
  - (g) a skylight;

- (h) a water tank;
- (i) a bulkhead;
- (i) a communication antenna; or
- (k) a feature or mechanical appurtenance, usually situated above the roof level, that is, in the opinion of the Development Officer, similar to the above list.
- (2) The features mentioned in subsection 7E.4.4(1):
  - (a) may not include an elevator or staircase enclosure, or a mechanical penthouse;
  - (b) may not be used for human habitation; and
  - (c) shall be erected only to such minimum height or area necessary to accomplish the purpose they are to serve.

### 7E.5 ACCESSORY USES, BUILDINGS AND STRUCTURES

- (1) Unless specified otherwise, the minimum setback requirements and the maximum height of an accessory structure or building shall be the same as those of the principal building, as prescribed in Table 7E.T3.
- (2) Notwithstanding subsection 7E.5(1), an accessory structure or building may be located within a side and rear yard setback where it is:
  - (a) 10 square metres or less in area; and
  - (b) 4 metres or less in height.
- (3) All accessory structures or buildings shall be included in the calculation of the total site coverage calculation.

### 7E.6 PARKING AND LOADING

### 6.1 NO OBSTRUCTION

Parking stalls required by this Bylaw shall not be obstructed in any way by garbage receptacles, structures, equipment or materials which interfere with the ability of the parking stall to serve its function.

### 6.2 ACCESSIBLE PARKING STALLS

- (1) Notwithstanding any other provision in this Bylaw, a minimum of two per cent of the required number of parking stalls shall be provided in the form of accessible parking stalls in the Public Service zone.
- (2) Accessible parking stalls shall be clearly designated with signs above ground indicating their purpose.
- (3) Relative to the placement of non-accessible parking stalls, accessible parking stalls shall be located closest to the:
  - (a) the accessible building entrance, where one exists; or
  - (b) the building entrance with the shortest path of travel from the accessible parking stalls.

### **6.3** MOTOR VEHICLE REGULATIONS

- (1) All motor vehicle parking stalls, loading stalls and manoeuvring areas shall be located entirely on the same lot as the principal land use they serve except as provided by caveated parking, shared parking or shared maneuvering area as prescribed in subpart 1F.6 of Chapter 1.
- (2) No motor vehicle parking stall, manoeuvring area, garage door, loading stall or loading bay shall be located in:
  - (a) an area provided to meet the total site landscaped area; or
  - (b) the front yard.

# 6.4 MINIMUM MOTOR VEHICLE PARKING REQUIREMENTS

- (1) The minimum motor vehicle parking requirements prescribed in Table 7E.T5 apply to development in the Public Service zone.
- (2) If, in determining the number of required parking stalls, a fractional stall is calculated:
  - (a) any fraction up to and including one-half shall be disregarded; and
  - (b) any fraction over one-half shall be deemed to be equivalent to one full stall.

- (3) Unless otherwise specified in this Bylaw, tandem parking stalls shall not be used to meet minimum parking requirements.
- (4) Up to 30 per cent of the required parking stalls in any parking area may be designed as compact stalls.
- (5) All compact parking stalls shall be clearly designated with signs indicating their purpose.

TABLE 7E.T5: PUBLIC SERVICE ZONE PARKING REQUIREMENTS				
Sec.	Land Use	Motor Vehicle Stalls Required		
T5.4	Institution, Day Care	Individuals Under Care  1-10 10-15 16-30 31-45 46-60  More than 60  (3) Notwithstanding subsect satisfaction of the Devel adequately serve as a pare Development Officer may requirements accordingly (4) Parking stalls required publicationary use permit requirements of subsections.	In accordance with the following:  Minimum Number of Passenger Drop-off Stalls  1 stall 2 stalls 3 stalls 4 stalls 5 stalls  Two additional stalls for each increment of 15 individuals in excess of 60  ion (2), where the applicant demonstrates, to the opment Officer, that on-street parking capacity can ssenger drop-off stall without impeding traffic flow, the ay reduce the minimum passenger drop-off stall y.  ursuant to subsection (1) or as a condition of a shall not be used to satisfy the passenger drop-off stall	
T5.5	Assembly, Recreation	<ol> <li>With respect to the Assembly, Recreation land use at Parcel W, Plan No. 102254622, refer to 7B.8 Mosaic Stadium Regulations and Design Guidelines.</li> <li>For all other Assembly, Recreation land uses one stall is required per 100 square metres of the total gross floor area of all development on the lot.</li> </ol>		
T5.6	Institution, Education	One stall is required per 100 square metres of the total floor area, with portable classrooms excluded from the calculation of total floor area.		
Т5.7	All other land uses	One stall is required per 100 square metres of total floor area.		

# 6.5 MINIMUM LOADING REQUIREMENTS

- (1) On any lot containing buildings with a combined gross floor area of 1,401 to 10,000 square metres, one loading stall shall be required.
- (2) On any lot containing buildings with a combined gross floor area of 10,001 square metres or more, one loading stall shall be required in addition to the requirement mentioned in subsection 7E.6.5(1).

- (3) Dwelling Units shall not be calculated toward the combined gross floor area mentioned in subsection 7E.6.5(1) or (2).
- (4) All loading stalls shall be clearly marked to indicate their purpose.
- (5) Notwithstanding subsections 7E.6.5 (1) and (2), the Development Officer may decrease the number of required loading stalls.

# **6.6** BICYCLE PARKING REQUIREMENTS

- (1) For every 10 required motor vehicle parking stalls, whether to meet the parking requirement in Table 7E.T5 or not, there shall be either:
  - (a) One short-term bicycle parking stalls;
  - (b) 0.5 long-term bicycle parking stalls; or
  - (c) an equivalent combination of clauses 7E.6.6(1)(a) and (b).
- (2) If, in determining the number of required parking stalls, a fractional bicycle parking stall is calculated, any fraction will be rounded up to the next whole number.
- (3) Required short-term bicycle stalls shall be located closer to the building entrance than the motor vehicle parking stalls.
- (4) Required long-term bicycle stalls shall be located either:
  - (a) on the ground floor of the principal building(s) on the lot; or
  - (b) within a secure area close to the building entrance.
- (5) If the motor vehicle parking stalls are covered or located within a structure, then the bicycle parking stalls must also be covered or located within a structure.

### 7E.7 LANDSCAPING AND AESTHETIC SCREENING

# 7.1 MINIMUM TOTAL SITE LANDSCAPING REQUIREMENTS

- (1) Every residential lot in the Public Service zone requires a minimum total site landscaping area of fifteen per cent.
- (2) Every non-residential lot in the Public Service zone requires a minimum total site landscaping area of ten per cent.

- (3) Where a parking or loading area abuts a public street, a minimum 3.0 metre landscaped strip measured from the inside of the curb or the sidewalk shall be provided. The requirement of this subsection can be credited toward the fulfillment of the total site landscaping requirement prescribed in subsection 7E.7(1).
- (4) The landscaping requirements are for a principle use only.
- (5) All landscaping requirements shall be completed in accordance with the approved landscape plan by the end of the growing season in which the use of the building or site has taken place. When the use of a building has occurred after the end of the growing season, all required and approved landscaping features shall be completed by June 1 of the following growing season.

### 7.2 PLANTING REQUIREMENTS

The following planting ratios shall apply to all development in the Public Service zone:

- (a) a minimum of one tree per 40 square metres of required site landscaping is required per lot;
- (b) for every ten metres that a lot is abutting a registered road right of way, a minimum of one deciduous tree is required and for the purposes of this clause abutting also includes any portion of the lot separated from a right of way only by an easement or boulevard; and
- (c) a minimum of one shrub per 20 square metres of required site landscaping is required per lot.

### 7.3 INCLUDED LANDSCAPED AREAS

- (1) Exposed soil will only be considered toward the total site landscaping area in Open Space, Active used to grow plants or shrub beds.
- (2) The total site landscaping area, as required by subsection 7E.7.1(1), may include, but is not restricted to:
  - (a) parking area landscaping;
  - (b) major roadways landscaped design areas (see Figure 7E.F3);
  - (c) boulevard areas;
  - (d) curbing; and

- (e) any portion of required aesthetic screening.
- (3) Developments within the major roadways landscape design areas in Figure 7E.F3 may be subject to additional landscaping requirements.
- (4) Boulevard areas shall only be used to fulfil the total site landscaping requirement upon the approval of the Development Officer.

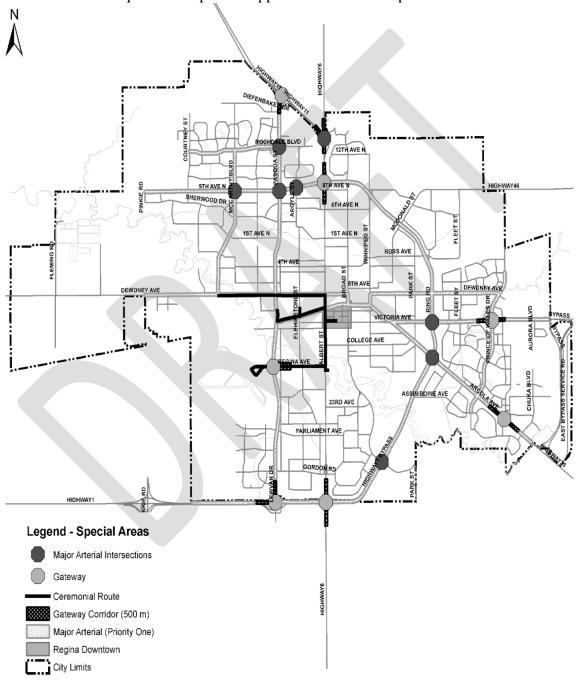


Figure 7E.F3: Major Roadways Landscape Design Map

### 7.4 Preservation of Existing Plant Material

Where existing plant material on site is retained, it may be credited toward the fulfillment of the total site landscaping requirement.

### 7.5 AESTHETIC SCREENING OF INCOMPATIBLE USES

- (1) A proposed new development or substantial addition to an existing development on a lot in the Public Service zone shall provide aesthetic screening to a height of 1.83 metres along its abutting lot lines where the proposed development abuts a lot in a residential zone or mixed-use zone.
- (2) In addition to other requirements of this Bylaw, the following activities and/or areas shall be aesthetically screened from all sides to a height of 1.83 metres or to the satisfaction of the Development Officer:
  - (a) any collection area for garbage, refuse or recycling;
  - (b) any storage area that is outdoors or partially outdoors; and
  - (c) any maneuvering area or loading/unloading bay.

### 7E.8 MOSAIC STADIUM REGULATIONS AND DESIGN STANDARDS

### 8.1 LOCATION REQUIREMENTS

- (1) Notwithstanding other relevant sections of this bylaw, the following standards and guidelines apply to development of an Assembly, Recreation land use with more than 30,000 seats located on Parcel W, Plan No. 102254622.
- (2) When considering a discretionary use at Parcel W, Plan No. 102254622, the Development Officer will consider the design guidelines in section 7E.8.5.

### 8.2 USE REGULATIONS

Notwithstanding the land use regulations in section 7E.3.2, within the building envelope, the following uses will be permitted:

- (a) Retail Trade, Shop;
- (b) Food and Beverage, Restaurant;
- (c) Office, Professional (less than 1000 square metres); and

(d) Service Trade, Personal

### 8.3 DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS

Notwithstanding development standards in section 7E.4, the following standards shall apply:

- (a) maximum height unlimited;
- (b) maximum site coverage 100%;
- (c) minimum front yard setback from Elphinstone Street 10 metres;
- (d) maximum front yard setback from Elphinstone Street 20 metres;
- (e) rear yard setback nil; and
- (f) maximum floor area ratio unlimited.

# 8.4 PARKING AND LOADING REGULATIONS

Notwithstanding the parking and loading requirements in section 7E.6, the following standards shall apply:

- (a) minimum parking requirement nil;
- (b) one bicycle parking space per 300 stadium seats shall be provided on site and located in convenient proximity and distributed evenly amongst main gateway entrances; and
- (c) loading areas shall be prohibited within 20 metres of Elphinstone Street or on the west side of the building adjacent to Confederation Park.

### 8.5 DESIGN GUIDELINES

- (1) The intent of this section is to encourage design attributes that celebrate the locale of the stadium and stand as a proud landmark in the city, province and community.
  - (a) The building should reference local character, culture, history or natural features through its external elements, and/or architectural detail, and landscape design of surroundings.

- (b) Consider incorporating historical architectural references to the former World's Grain Exhibition and Confederation Building, which prominently occupied the site from 1931 and 1927, respectively.
- (c) Where possible, the stadium should seize opportunities for viewing of prominent landscapes that define the city and surrounding area such as the downtown skyline, legislature dome, surrounding agriculture fields, dramatic skies, tree canopy, and industry to the north of the city.
- (d) The shape and massing of the stadium should consider the contribution to the city's skyline from important gateways including the airport, highway approaches, and prominent corridors and places.
- (2) The intent of this section is to encourage the stadium to engage Elphinstone Street, allowing for high usage during event days, creating amenity for the community for non-event days, and which is adaptable over time. This section will apply generally to the area between the east face of the building and Elphinstone Street.
  - (a) The area should be primarily hard-surfaced to accommodate heavy pedestrian numbers during events, but can also function as a passive amenity space for the community on non-event days.
  - (b) The location of intended gathering areas should consider environmental conditions such as wind and sunlight penetration, and include weather protection to encourage use throughout the year.
  - (c) A strong sense of place should be created through choice of furnishings, trees and other plantings, public seating, pedestrian scale lighting and opportunity for development of public art and other tributes to Saskatchewan sports culture.
  - (d) Plaza space design should follow guidelines as established in the City's Open Space Management Strategy.
  - (e) While the building massing will naturally be larger in comparison to other buildings in the vicinity, it should reference a human scale rather than dominate the public space.
  - (f) The main level of the building should provide opportunity for development of commercial uses, should demand exist.

- (g) Any commercial spaces should have a direct relationship to the public realm with ample transparent window glazing, and direct access to the street.
- (h) Parking should only be accommodated within the interface area for the purpose of supporting street-oriented commercial activity. However, its placement should not impede the function of this area primarily as a quality public amenity space. Parking should be integrated with landscape surfacing treatment, should not dominate the space, and should be easily converted to plaza space during events.
- (i) Main building gateways should be directly accessed from the street.
- (j) The southeast corner and northwest corners of the development area are gateways to an emerging sports precinct for the city, and should signify a sense of arrival through design of plaza spaces, art, and landscaping. Parking should not be accommodated in gateway areas.
- (3) The intent of this section is to encourage a complimentary relationship between the stadium and Confederation Park. This section applies to areas including Confederation Park, the building face and all area in between.
  - (a) The building should conserve and enhance the historical and visual integrity of Confederation Park.
  - (b) The character of the built form along the perimeter of the park should safeguard its visual integrity and sense of place, particularly with respect to the scale of development.
  - (c) The terminal vista along axial view corridors should be reinforced by focal points and/or key access points to the surrounding built form.
  - (d) Use of the park should be encouraged by locating main entrances and complimentary commercial uses adjacent to the park, while maintaining its ecological health.
- (4) This section is applied generally to the entire development site associated with the stadium.
  - (a) Design and implement Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design (CPTED) in the design of all surrounding spaces.
  - (b) Continuous tree canopy should be extended throughout the site, and should concentrate on demarking gateways, the access way to Evraz Place, pedestrian routes, and complimenting plaza areas.