

Amendment 1:

Q 2. 1 Objective. New f.

Generally, revisions to the Zoning map should not result in a downzoning of an existing use.

Amendment 2:

Q 2. 2. Code Text. New a. and c.

- a. For parcels within activity centers and on activity corridors, application of non-zoning regulations should be prioritized in a manner that allows for greater potential housing unit yields than would otherwise be achieved without prioritization.
- b. Non-zoning regulations should provide flexibility to allow for higher unit yields for parcels within activity centers and activity corridors. The code should create alternative equivalent means to ensure the balance of needs, while protecting environment and sustainability (landscaping, parkland and tree preservation), public safety, transportation, utility and right of way needs. Review non-zoning regulations related to Austin Energy and Austin Water (other than regular fees) that can significantly impact the cost of development. Review and suggest changes to non-zoning regulations that may encourage demolition rather than the redevelopment of existing structures.
- c. Should the testing and modeling of the draft code demonstrate that any non-zoning regulations significantly constrain housing capacity within activity centers and on activity corridors, staff should provide council with options for best achieving the goals of non-zoning regulations while minimizing impact on achieving our housing capacity goals.