



City of Vancouver *Land Use and Development Policies and Guidelines*

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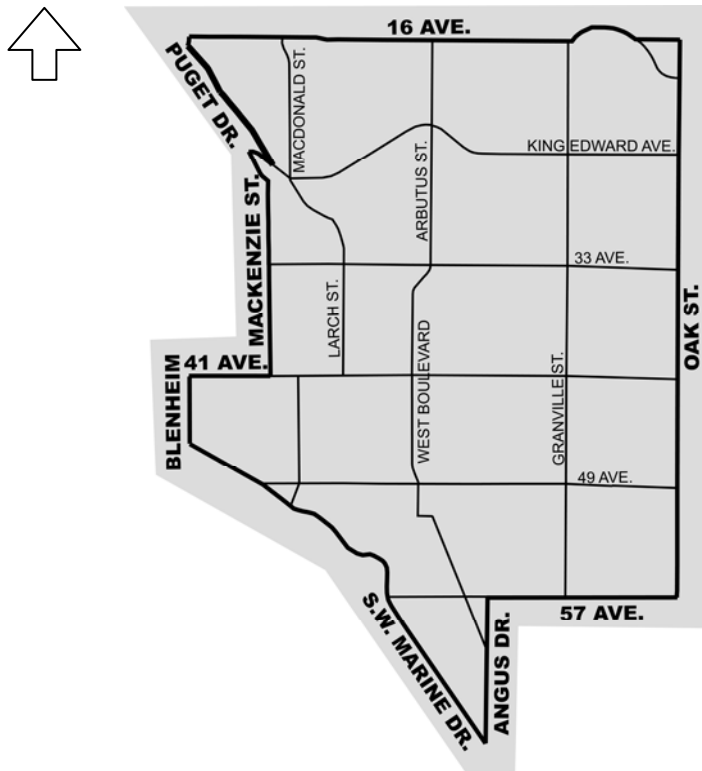
ARBUTUS RIDGE/KERRISDALE/ SHAUGHNESSY COMMUNITY VISION

Adopted by City Council November 1, 2005

The following information has been extracted from 2 sources: the Arbutus Ridge/Kerrisdale/Shaugnessy Community Vision and a report adopted by Council on July 27, 2000 on conditional use applications in visioned areas. For a complete set of Council-approved Vision Directions for Arbutus Ridge/Kerrisdale/Shaugnessy, please refer to the “Arbutus Ridge/Kerrisdale/Shaugnessy Community Vision” document which is available free from the internet at vancouver.ca/visions or from the Planning Department (604.871.6126) at a cost.

1 COMMUNITY VISION: GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The Arbutus Ridge/Kerrisdale/Shaugnessy Community Vision applies to the area outlined on the map below.



The Arbutus Ridge/Kerrisdale/Shahghnessy Community Vision describes the kind of community people want Arbutus Ridge/Kerrisdale/Shahghnessy to become over the next 10 to 20 years. The Vision illustrates how CityPlan directions (adopted by City Council in 1995), should be implemented in Arbutus Ridge/Kerrisdale/Shahghnessy. Over 90 Vision Directions cover topics like: transportation; new housing; shopping areas; safety and services; and greening and garbage.

The Arbutus Ridge/Kerrisdale/Shahghnessy Community Vision will be used by City Council and staff to help guide future planning, to set priorities for capital projects, to direct City programs and services, and to make decisions affecting the community.

2 REZONING POLICY

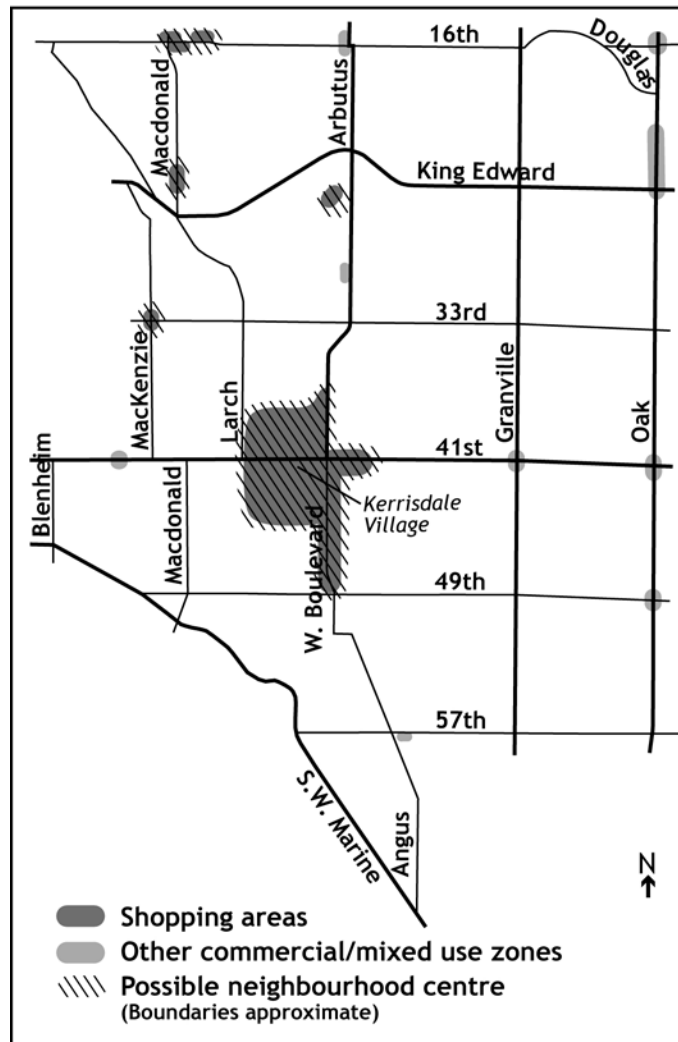
For the most part, additional area planning will be required before any zoning changes will be considered. Individual rezonings will not be considered prior to this planning, except in the following circumstances: heritage retention projects, social or affordable housing projects, institutional uses, seniors low-rise housing or small scale projects, and sites within Oakridge/Langara Policy area. Please refer to page 69 of the Arbutus Ridge/Kerrisdale/Shahghnessy Community Vision for more information.

3 DEVELOPMENT APPLICATIONS UNDER EXISTING ZONING

Generally, development is anticipated to continue under existing zoning regulations, with development applications processed as usual, since such development will not significantly contradict adopted Vision Directions.

The exceptions are some conditional uses in commercial zones located in neighbourhood shopping areas identified by the Vision as areas for active, pedestrian-friendly shops and services. (See map and notes below.) Conditional uses in these zones that provide auto access from the street frontages and/or parking facilities in front of buildings, and/or buildings without storefronts, would, if permitted at grade along the shopping area street frontages identified below, contradict these policy directions. The zoning regulations require that, in considering conditional uses, account be taken of “all applicable policies and guidelines” adopted by Council. Consequently, new proposals of conditional uses in these locations that are inconsistent with the Vision Directions, while they will be considered individually, will generally not be supported. Prospective applicants are encouraged to seek early advice from the Community Visions Implementation team.

**SHOPPING AREAS IDENTIFIED IN
THE ARBUTUS RIDGE/KERRISDALE/SHAUGHNESSY COMMUNITY VISION**



Relevant Vision Directions for these areas may be found in the Arbutus Ridge/Kerrisdale/Shaughnessy Community Vision in the following sections:

- Section 18 – Kerrisdale (“Kerrisdale Village”) Shopping Area;
- Section 19 – Arbutus Shopping Centre (“Arbutus Village”); and
- Section 20 – Small Local Shopping Areas.