

Town of Warrenton Zoning Ordinance

3-4.9 PSP Public-Semi-Public Institutional District

3-4.9.1. Legislative Intent

This district is intended to provide for major public, semi-public, and institutional uses, to facilitate future growth of such uses within the district in accordance with the objectives, policies, and proposals of the Comprehensive Plan, including the encouragement of convenient and safe nearby residential neighborhoods, and to provide evidence on the Zoning map of the nature of land use planned for this district.

3-4.9.2. Permitted Uses (by-right)

- Accessory buildings and uses, including dwellings accessory to a permitted use
- Cemeteries
- Child care center, day care center, or nursery school
- Churches
- Community buildings
- Fairgrounds, showgrounds, or exhibition center
- Family care homes, foster homes, or group homes
- Hospitals, nursing homes, and clinics
- Institutional uses
- Offices for business or professional use
- Off-street parking for permitted uses subject to Article 7
- Open space subject to Article 9
- Parks and playgrounds
- Public or governmental buildings
- Rescue squad or volunteer fire company
- Schools
- Senior citizen center
- Signs subject to Article 6
- Utilities related to and necessary for service within the Town, including poles, wires, transformers, telephone booths, and the like for electrical power distribution or communication service, and underground pipelines or conduits for local electrical, gas, sewer, or water service, but not those facilities listed as requiring a special use permit
- Yard sale or other special sale or event conducted on the premises of and for the benefit of a permitted use in the district

3-4.9.3. Permissible Uses (by special use permit upon approval of the Town Council)

- Emergency housing
- Gift Shops
- Health and Fitness Facilities
- Museums
- Single Family Dwellings
- Visitor Centers
- Active and passive recreation and recreational facilities.
- Treatment plants, water storage tanks, major transmission lines or pipelines, pumping or regulator stations, communications towers, storage yards and substations, and cable television facilities and accessory buildings

3-4.9.4. Lot and Yard Regulations

Use	Minimum	Minimum	Maximum	Minimum Setbacks		
	Lot Size (sq. ft.)	Lot Frontage (at front setback)	Lot Coverage (impervious surfaces)	Front	Side	Rear
All Permitted and Permissible Uses	6,000	60 ft.	65%	25 ft.	15 ft.	35 ft.

3-4.9.5. Building Regulations

Use	Maximum Height*
All buildings	35 feet
Accessory buildings	Within 20 feet of any lot line shall not exceed 15 feet in height. All accessory buildings shall be less than the main building in height.

*A public or institutional building or church may be erected to a height of sixty (60) feet from grade provided that required front, side, and rear yards shall be increased one (1) foot for each foot in height over thirty-five (35) feet.