Aggie Research Campus – Proposed Preliminary Planned Development (PPD)

AGGIE RESEARCH CAMPUS (ARC) ZONING DISTRICT

Purpose.
The purpose of the Aggie Research Campus (ARC) district is to provide an environment where leading-edge institutions and local, regional and international companies cluster and connect with start-ups, businesses incubators, and accelerators as well as the University of California, Davis to foster a creative and productive research and development center where innovators live, work and play.

Permitted uses.
The principal permitted uses of land in the ARC district are as follows:

(a) Offices: including but not limited to administrative, executive, headquarters, medical, coworking and incubator space.
(b) Laboratories: including but not limited to research, design, analysis, development and/or testing of a product
(c) Light manufacturing, assembly or packaging of products, including but not limited to electrical, pharmaceutical, biomed and food products and devices, and associated warehousing and distribution.
(d) Any other technical, research, development or light manufacturing use determined by the Planning Director to be of the same general character as the permitted uses.
(e) Residential: workforce housing with an average density at or above 30 dwelling units per acre. The anticipated density range is between 15 and 50 dwelling units per acre, or higher, depending on product type.
(f) Renewable energy generation and storage facilities.
(g) Support Retail, single users at or less than 25,000 square feet, including but not limited to food and beverage, restaurant, dry cleaners, fitness center or gym.
(h) Lodging or Hotel.
(i) Conference Space.
(j) Agriculture, including open air or greenhouse cultivation of crops and the tasting and/or sale of any products cultivated or produced on the premises, but excepting the raising of fowls or animals for commercial purposes.
(k) Higher Education: extensions or graduate programs; public, semipublic or private.
(l) Any use which handles, stores or treats in any fashion hazardous materials as defined in Section 40.01.010 of this chapter in a manner consistent with adopted ARC performance standards.

Accessory uses.
The following accessory uses are permitted in an ARC district:

(a) Home occupations subject to the provisions of Sections 40.01.010 and 40.26.150;
(b) Antenna and telecommunications;
(c) child care/day care facility;
(d) parking garage; and
(e) stand-alone corporate signage.
**Conditional uses.**
The following conditional uses may be permitted in the ARC district:

(a) Support Retail, single users larger than 25,000 square feet.

(b) Public and semipublic, including public utility uses necessary and appropriate to the ARC district.

(c) Any use which handles, stores or treats in any fashion hazardous materials as defined in Section 40.01.010 of this chapter in a manner deemed to exceed or inconsistent with the adopted ARC performance standards.

**Prohibited uses.**
The following uses are prohibited in the ARC district:

(a) Surface mining operations and mineral extraction, including but not limited to natural gas extraction. This prohibition does not apply to the importation or exportation of overburden and fill material used in grading and/or site preparation.