

ARTICLE 18  
OFF-STREET LOADING REGULATIONS

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18-101 Requirements: Except as otherwise provided in this Ordinance, when any building or structure is hereafter erected or structurally altered to the extent of increasing floor area by 50 percent or more, or any building is hereafter converted for the uses listed in Column 1 of the chart below, when such buildings contain the floor areas specified in Column 2, accessory off-street loading spaces shall be provided as required in Column 3, or as required in subsequent sections of this Article.

Column 1 Use or Use Category	Column 2 Floor Area as Defined in Article 1 in Square Feet	Column 3 Loading Spaces Required
Retail Store,	2,000 - 10,000	One
Department Store,	10,000 - 20,000	Two
Restaurant, Wholesale House, Warehouse	20,000 - 40,000	Three
Repair, General	40,000 - 60,000	Four
Service, Manufacturing or Industrial Establishment	Each 50,000 over 60,000	One Additional
Apartment Building,	5,000 - 10,000	One
Motel, Offices or	10,000 - 100,000	Two
Office Building,	100,000 - 200,000	Three
Hospital or Similar Institution, Places of Public Assembly	Each 100,000 over 200,000	One Additional
Funeral Home or	2,500 - 4,000	One Mortuary
	4,000 - 6,000	Two
	Each 10,000 over 6,000	One Additional

18-102 Interpretation of the Chart:

1. The loading space requirements apply to all Districts.
2. The loading space requirements in this Article do not limit special requirements which may be imposed in connection with Conditional Uses, Article 22.

**18-103 Mixed Use of One Building:**

1. Where a building is used for more than one use or for different uses and where the floor area used for each use for which loading space is required is below the minimum for required loading spaces, but the aggregate floor area used is greater than such minimum, then off-street loading space shall be provided as if the entire building were used for that use in the building for which the most spaces are required.

**18-104 Design Standards:**

1. Loading spaces shall have minimum dimensions of 12 feet by 35 feet and vertical clearance of at least 14 feet.
2. Loading spaces for a funeral home or mortuary may be reduced in size to 10 feet by 25 feet and vertical clearance reduced to 8 feet.