5.4.3 General Standards for Accessory Uses and Structures.

- A. The combined square footage of the principal structure and accessory structure(s) shall not exceed the zoning district maximum building coverage specified in Subchapter 3: Zoning Districts.
- B. Accessory structures, with the exception of non-residential detached carports, gas station canopies, gas station car wash facilities, and security/entry booths, are prohibited in front and side yards. Accessory structures for public or private schools may be located in side yards, but shall not be located in front yards.
- C. Where permitted, accessory structures shall be set back a minimum of three feet from all property lines.
- D. No portion of an accessory structure may be located in, or encroach upon, any easement.
- E. All accessory structures that require a building permit shall be architecturally compatible with its associated principal structure and/or screened from view of abutting properties and public rights-of-way.
- F. Where permitted, accessory outdoor storage shall be located to the rear of the principal structure, shall be subject to the screening standards in Subsection 7.7.8: Walls, Fences, and Screening, and shall be limited to goods or materials sold or used on the premises as part of the principal use of the property.

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