## Proposed DDC Amendment: Limitation 34

**Planning Division** 

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## Request

Give staff guidance on a proposed amendment to the Denton Development Code to remove a limitation on the square footage and number of truck bays for the Distribution Center/Warehouse, General and Warehouse, Retail uses in the Employment Center Districts.

# Background

- Staff is proposing to remove L(34) from the DDC for all affected uses and districts.
- ▶ **L(34)** = Permitted with no more than one hundred fifty thousand (150,000) gross square feet and eight (8) truck docks. All docks or loading bays shall be to the rear or side of the structure and not viewable from the street. The buffering standards for outdoor storage shall apply, both to any outdoor storage activity and to the loading docks.

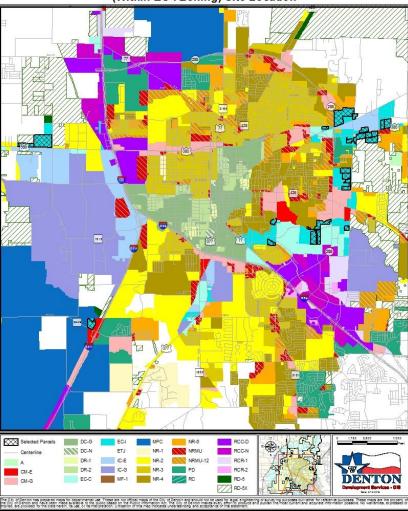


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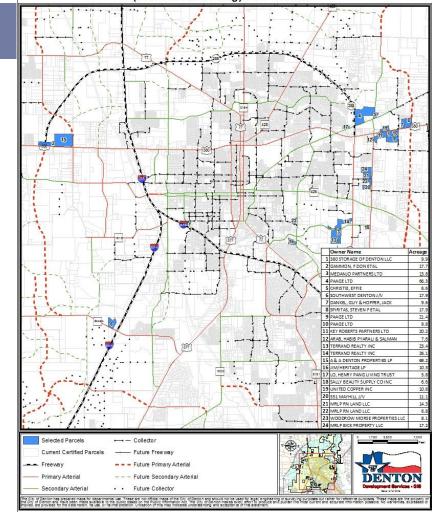
### Distribution/Warehouse Uses in the Employment Center Districts

Use	Prior to Ordinance 2012- 155	Current DDC
Wholesale Storage and Distribution	EC-I: L(34) applied EC-C: Not Permitted	Use removed by 2012- 155
Distribution Center	EC-I: Permitted by Right EC-C: Not Permitted	Use removed by 2012- 155
Wholesale Sales	EC-I: Permitted by Right EC-C: Permitted by Right	EC-I: Permitted by Right EC-C: Permitted by Right
Distribution Center/Warehouse, General	Use added by 2012-155	EC-I: L(34) applies EC-C: Not Permitted
Warehouse, Retail	Use added by 2012-155	EC-I: L(34) applies EC-C: L(34) applies

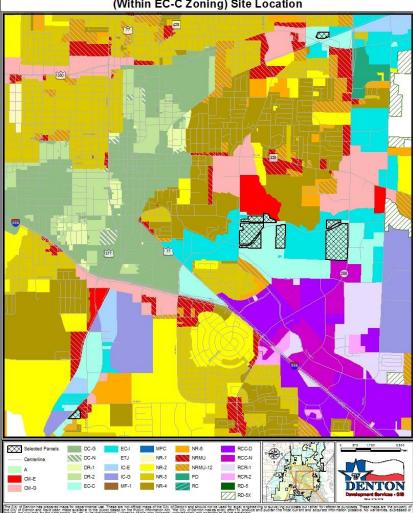
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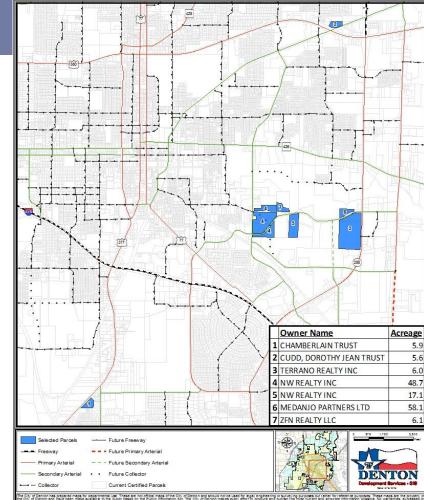
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## Recommendations

- Remove L(34) from the Employment Center Districts by proceeding with a DDC text amendment in advance of the overall code update.
- As a part of the overall DDC update further clarify the warehouse/distribution center use types.