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as recommended to be amended PZC Case 2015-0049 / May 18, 2015







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1. 901 Medfra Townhouses: Fairview Neighborhood



7 percent windows on street facing end facade



18 percent windows on main façade

Main façade exceeds requirement.

End facade does not fully meet the code objectives for a street oriented façade. It would need to increase window percent from 7 to 10 percent, either by adding or enlarging a window. It can then use the excess windows on the long façade as credit toward the remaining 5 percent, by-right.

2. 32nd and Spenard Townhomes

Townhouse / Multifamily Structure



15 percent windows - COMPLIES

3. Ashbury Commons 2-unit townhouses



20 percent windows and entries

View from Street

3 percent windows and entries

The end wall would need more street-facing windows.

To comply, would need to increase window percent from 3 to 10 percent on end wall. It can use the excess windows on the long façade as credit toward the remaining 5 percent, by-right.

4. Brookshire / Fire Eagle / Dove Tree 2-unit townhouses



18 to 20 percent windows and entries



3 to 5 percent windows

Main facades exceed the standard.

End wall does not fully reflect the code intent. To comply, end wall would need to increase window percent to 10 percent on end wall. Basically double the window area. It could then use the excess windows on the long façade as credit toward the remaining 5 percent, by-right.

5. Chugach Meadows 1 entry level townhouses (2011)



23 percent windows and entries

Front Facade



End Façade on side street

9 percent windows

Main facade exceeds the standard.

To comply, south facing end wall would need to increase windows just slightly, from 9 to 10 percent on end wall, such as by adding a first floor window. It could then use the excess windows on the long façade as credit toward the remaining 5 percent, byright.

6. Chugach Meadows 2 entry level townhouses (2011)



16 percent windows and entries – **EXCEEDS REQUIREMENT**

Front Facade



South Facing End Façade on Street

1 - 3 percent windows and entries

Street-facing south end façade would need to add two or three more windows of similar size to existing window, and then use excess windows on façade above as credit toward the remaining 5 percent window area on end wall required as windows.

7. Denali Park Place and Dowling-in-the-Park Townhouses





Dowling: Blank street walls

8. Eklutna Estates 2 Senior Housing (2014, as proposed)



All facades comply as proposed.

15 – 20 percent windows and entries



15 percent windows, as ground floor is exempted below street grade



19 percent windows and entries





15 percent windows and entries: complies



6 percent windows: would not comply

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10. Grass Creek North Apartments (2015)



26 percent windows and entries

West (Main Entry) Elevation



20 percent windows and entries

East (Muldoon) Elevation

11. NorthwoodApartments (2012)



COMPLIES:

Exceeds 15 percent requirement by 460 square feet.

South Façade



End façade is 56 square feet of window area short of 15 percent, if the block wall of the below grade parking level were included in the measurement of façade area. The missing 56 feet of needed window area could be transferred by right to the south façade above, which already exceeds its 15 percent requirement by 460 square feet. COMPLIES.

Under the proposed amendments, the wall area of the below grade parking level would not be included in the measurement of façade area. Therefore, the window area in fact exceeds the 15 percent requirement. COMPLIES.

12. Rock Ridge Townhouses Eagle River



23 percent windows and entries

Main Façade



Street Facing End Façade

7 percent windows and entries

Main facade exceeds the standard.

To comply, street facing facade would add or enlarge a window, to achieve10 percent. It could then use the excess windows on the long façade as credit toward the remaining 5 percent, byright.

13. Whisperwood entry level townhouses



20 percent windows and entries

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14. Zion Court Townhomes (2011)



25 percent windows and entries: exceeds requirement

Front Facade



15 percent windows and entries: complies

Rear Façade