

Sec. 5.1.15 - Sawmill, temporary or permanent, planing mills and wood yards.

Each temporary or permanent sawmill, planing mill and wood yard shall be subject to the following:

- a. No structure and no storage of lumber, logs, chips or timber shall be located closer than 100 feet to any lot line. Trees and vegetation within the 100 foot setback shall be maintained as a buffer to abutting properties and uses, provided that during the last three months of operation the trees may be removed.
- b. No saw, planer, chipper, conveyor, chute or other similar machinery shall be located closer than 600 feet from any dwelling on any lot other than the lot on which the sawmill, planing mill or wood yard is located.
- c. No machinery used for sawing, planing, chipping or other wood processing shall operate between 7:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. No wood or wood products shall be loaded or unloaded between 12:00 midnight and 7:00 a.m.
- d. All timbering and milling operations, including reforestation/restoration and the disposal of snags, sawdust and other debris, shall be conducted in accordance with Title 10.1 of the Virginia Code and the regulations of the Virginia Department of Forestry.

(§ 5.1.15, 12-10-80; Ord. 01-18(6), 10-3-01; Ord. 13-18(1), 4-3-13)