

DESCRIPTION OF THE "PROPORTIONALITY RULE"

- The "Proportionality Rule" reduces the allowable floor area for houses on nonconforming parcels by a factor proportionate to the amount of the nonconformity. For example:
 - A parcel is 2/3 the minimum parcel size and the maximum floor area is 0.53
 (parcel size). Under the "Proportionality Rule," the allowable floor area would be
 reduced by 1/3 according to the formula: (2/3) 0.53 (parcel size).
 - A parcel is 3,000 sq. ft. and the minimum parcel size is 5,000 sq. ft. Under the "Proportionality Rule," the allowable floor area would be limited to 954 sq. ft., as follows:

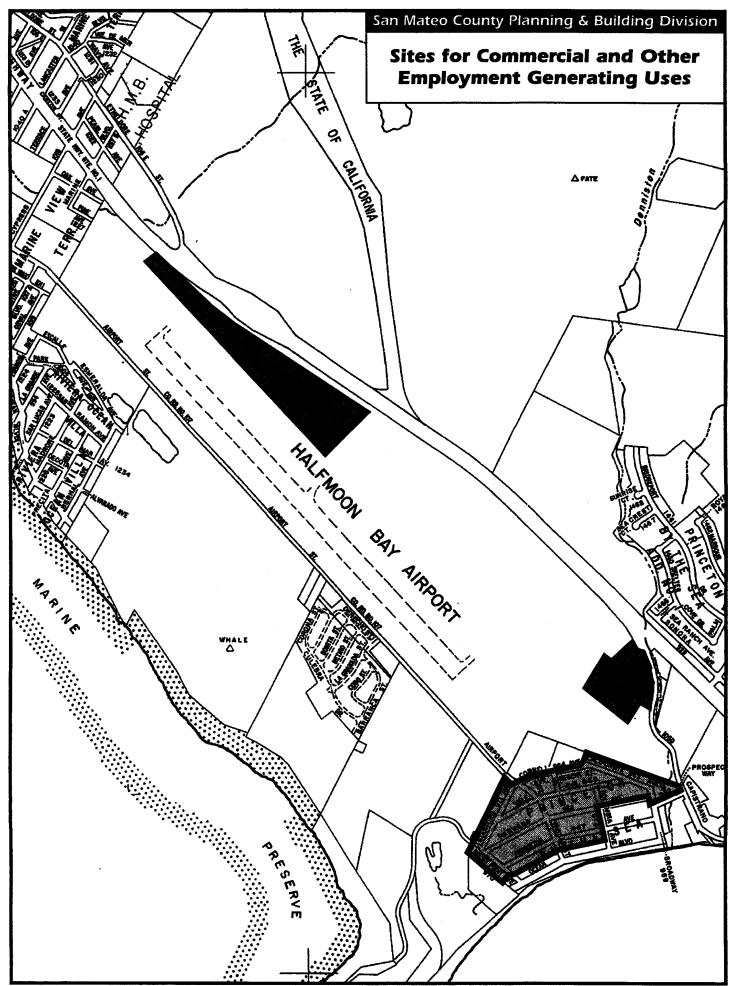
- For parcels that are 55% or less of the minimum parcel size, 200 sq. ft. of garage floor area is not included as house floor area.
- The table below shows the allowable floor area if the "Proportionality Rule" were applied in the Midcoast:

Parcel Size	Allowable Floor Area
2,500 sq. ft.	863 sq. ft.*
3,000 sq. ft.	954 sq. ft.
3,500 sq. ft.	1,299 sq. ft.
*200 sq. ft. garage inclu	ded, i.e. 663 + 200 = 863.

CABRILL 91 PUR. 08ISPO AGARIM HIGH 933/ 347

Burnham Strip

midcoast update project - burnham strip.cdr rev 2-13-06 ss



znxtrm2lp&b.cmx

San Mateo County Planning and Building Division

