## Development Services Department

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Back of Curb-This is not the property line.

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## Specific Requirements

In addition to the setback requirements shown on the first page, the following are requirements in the City of Brenham:
The Residential Plan Review / Permit Checklist can be found here.
$\checkmark$ Lot Size

- Minimum lot size for a single-family dwelling is $60^{\prime}$ wide by $115^{\prime}$ deep, with a minimum area of 7000 square feet.
- Where an existing lot is less than $50^{\prime}$ in width, the required side yard may be reduced to provide a minimum buildable width of $30^{\prime}$; provided, however, that no side yard shall be less than $5^{\prime}$.
$\diamond$ Lot Coverage
- $45 \%$ of property shall remain permeable
$\checkmark$ Driveways
- Two off-street parking spaces required (a garage is considered one space)
- Must be concrete, asphalt or another approved allweather (dust free) surface.
- Minimum size is $12^{\prime}$ wide $\times 19^{\prime}$ deep (measured from property line)
- Slab/approach shall be located at least $5^{\prime}$ from the side property line
- 5' approach radius required
- Slab/approach shall be located a minimum of $50^{\prime}$ from an intersection of a collector street
$\diamond$ Dwelling Size
- Minimum of 750 square feet
$\diamond$ Accessory Buildings
- Includes garages, carports, sheds, gazebos, etc.
- Shall be subordinate to and supportive of the principle use and structure
- Shall be located behind the closest point of the primary structure to the front property line and shall have a side and rear yard of not less than 5'
- On a lot having an area of less than one (1) acre, no accessory structure shall exceed the height of the principle structure.
- Location of accessory buildings shall not interfere with utility easements and electric service lines
- If a carport is located in the front yard, it must be attached to the principle structure and maintain the same setback requirements as the principle structure.
- Standards pertaining to accessory dwelling units (ADUs) can be found here.

