

Table 4-3 Shoreline Buffer Standards Table

Additional Use restrictions for BIMC Titles 17 and 18 may apply

SHORELINE USE	UPLAND DESIGNATION				
	Natural	Island Conservancy	Shoreline Residential Conservancy	Shoreline Residential	Urban
<p>The shoreline buffer consists of two management areas Zone 1 and Zone 2. Zone 1 is located closest to the water; it is a minimum of 30 feet in all designations, except in Natural and Island Conservancy the minimum is 50' and expands to include existing native vegetation. Zone 2 is the remaining area of the shoreline buffer. See figure XXX</p> <p>Category A: Low bank lots with 65% Canopy Area in Zone 1, OR spit/barrier/backshore, marsh lagoon, or rocky shores. Category B: Low bank with less than 65% Canopy Area in Zone 1, or lots with a depth < 200' or High Bluff. Geomorphic Class (i.e. low bank, High Bluff) shall be determined by Battelle 2004 Nearshore Characterization and Inventory.</p>					
Developed lots					
Category A	200'	150'	115'	75'	30'
Category B	200'	100'[1]	75'[1]	50'[1]	30 [1]
Undeveloped lots					
	200'	150'	150'	75/150'[2]	30'
<p>1. For High bluff properties the greater distance of 50' from the top of the bluff or the standard shoreline buffer. 2. If adjacent to the Priority Aquatic designation then 150' is required.</p>					