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Words used in the present tense include the future tense; words used in the singular include the plural, and words used in the plural include the singular. The word "shall" is always mandatory. The word "person" includes a firm, association, organization, partnership, trust, company or corporation as well as an individual. The word "lot" includes the word "plot" or "parcel". The words "used" or "occupied" as applied to any land or building, shall be construed to include the words, "intended, arranged, or designed to be used or occupied."

Except as specifically defined herein, all words in this Ordinance shall carry their customary dictionary meanings. For the purposes of this Ordinance, certain words or terms used herein are to be construed or defined as follows:

"Town" or "Municipality" means the Town of Raymond.

Accessory Apartments - A separate dwelling unit of no more than 700 square feet, excluding stairways, either attached or detached, and located on the same parcel with a single family dwelling. The apartment shall contain a kitchen and bathroom which are separate from and not used in common with the principal dwelling unit. [Amended 06/03/15]

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Z. Accessory Apartments Accessory Apartments, attached or detached, shall be allowed in a residential zone provided that the existing structure and accessory apartment shall not cover the lot by more than fifteen (15) percent. The Appeals Board may grant an additional five (5) percent. If the total number of bedrooms or potential bedrooms exceeds by more than one (1) the number of bedrooms the septic system is designed for, a replacement or expanded system shall be designed and installed before occupancy. The accessory apartment shall not comprise more than 700 s.f. of living space, excluding stairways. Not more than one (1) accessory apartment shall be permitted per parcel. [Adopted 06/03/15]