



Zoning Resolution

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24-04 - Applicability of Article II, Chapter 3 Regulations

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For #community facility# #buildings# or #buildings# used partly for #community facility# #use# and partly for #residential use#, the following regulations shall apply with regard to the applicability of certain #bulk# regulations from Article II, Chapter 3.

(a) All #bulk# regulations

- (1) In all districts, the #bulk# regulations of Article II, Chapter 3 (Residential Bulk Regulations in Residence Districts) for #qualifying affordable housing# may be applied to #buildings# subject to an #affordable housing regulatory agreement# if #qualifying affordable housing# includes #community facility# #uses#.
- (2) In R3-1, R3A, R3X, R4-1, R4A, R4B or R5B Districts, the #bulk# regulations of this Chapter shall apply only to a #zoning lot# or portion of a #zoning lot# that contains a #community facility# #building#, and the #bulk# regulations of Article II, Chapter 3 (Residential Bulk Regulations in Residence Districts) shall apply to any #zoning lot# or portion of a #zoning lot# that contains any #building# that is used partly for #community facility# #use# and partly for #residential use#. In such districts, the #bulk# regulations of this Chapter may apply to the #community facility# portion of a #building# that is used partly for #community facility# #use# and partly for #residential use# only where:

- (i) such #community facility# #use# has received tax-exempt status from the New York City Department of Finance, or its successor, pursuant to Section 420 of the New York State Real Property Tax Law; or
- (ii) such #building# has received an authorization pursuant to Section [24-06](#) (Modification of Bulk Regulations in Certain Districts).

(b) Height and setback

- (1) In R6 through R12 Districts with a letter suffix, the height and setback regulations of Section [23-43](#) (Height and Setback Requirements in R6 Through R12 Districts), inclusive, shall be applied to all #buildings# in accordance with the applicable #Residence District# regulations.
- (2) In all other #Residence Districts#, the #residential# height and setback regulations may be applied as follows:
 - (i) the height and setback regulations of Section [23-42](#) (Height and Setback Requirements in R1 Through R5 Districts), inclusive, may be applied in accordance with the applicable #Residence District# regulations;
 - (ii) the height and setback regulations of Section [23-43](#), inclusive, may be applied in accordance with the applicable #Residence District# regulations.

However, for Districts subject to the #street wall# location requirements of paragraph (b) of Section [23-431](#), such regulations need not apply to houses of worship listed under Use Group III(B).

Any obstructions permitted to penetrate a maximum height limit pursuant to Section [23-41](#) (Permitted Obstructions), inclusive, shall also be permitted in addition to those set forth in Section [24-51](#) (Permitted Obstructions).

(c) Other *bulk* regulations

Where the height and setback regulations of Article II, Chapter 3 are applied, the following *residential* *bulk* regulations may also be applied to the entire *building*:

- (1) the *yard* regulations of Section [23-30](#), inclusive, applicable to a *multiple dwelling residence*;
- (2) the maximum *lot coverage* requirements of Section [23-36](#), inclusive; and
- (3) for *community facility* *uses* with sleeping accommodations:
 - (i) the special *floor area* allowances of Section [23-23](#), inclusive;
 - (ii) the *court* regulations of Section [23-35](#), inclusive; and
 - (iii) the distance between *buildings* and distance between *legally required windows* and *lot lines* regulations of Section [23-37](#).

Any obstructions permitted within a specific open area pursuant to Section [23-30](#), inclusive, shall also be permitted.

Where a particular *bulk* regulation of Article II, Chapter 3 is applied, it shall supersede the applicable regulations of Article II, Chapter 4.

For the purposes of applying such *bulk* provisions, *uses* shall be considered *residential*, and the term *dwelling unit* shall include “dwelling units” and “rooming units”, as set forth in

the Housing Maintenance Code.