



## **Zoning Resolution**

**THE CITY OF NEW YORK**  
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**CITY PLANNING COMMISSION**  
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# **24-11 - Maximum Floor Area Ratio and Percentage of Lot Coverage**

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LAST AMENDED

12/5/2024

R1 R2 R3 R4 R5 R6 R7 R8 R9 R10 R11 R12

In all districts, as indicated, for any #zoning lot#, the maximum #floor area ratio# and maximum percent of #lot coverage# for a #community facility# #use# shall not exceed the #floor area ratio# and #lot coverage# set forth in the table in this Section.

Any given #lot area# shall be counted only once in determining the #floor area ratio#.

### MAXIMUM FLOOR AREA AND MAXIMUM LOT COVERAGE IN R1 THROUGH R5 DISTRICTS

District	#Floor Area Ratio#	#Lot coverage# (percent of #lot area#)	
		#Corner Lot#	#Interior Lot# or #Through Lot#
R1	1.00	60	55
R2	1.00	60	55

R3	1.00	60	55
R4	2.00	60	55
R5 R5A R5B	2.00	60	55
R5D	2.00	80	60

MAXIMUM FLOOR AREA AND MAXIMUM LOT COVERAGE IN R6 THROUGH R12 DISTRICTS FOR CONTEXTUAL DISTRICTS

#Lot coverage#

(percent of #lot area#)

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District	#Floor Area Ratio#	#Corner Lot#	#Interior Lot# or #Through Lot#
R6A	3.00	80	60
R6B	2.00	80	60
R6D	2.50	80	65

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R7A	4.00	80	65
R7B	3.00	80	65
R7D	4.66	80	65
R7X	5.00	80	70
R8A	6.50	80	70
R8B	4.00	80	70
R8X	6.00	80	70
R9A	7.50	80	70
R9D	9.00	80	70
R9X	9.00	80	70
R10A	10.00	100	70
R10X	10.00	100	70
R11A	12.00	100	70

MAXIMUM FLOOR AREA AND MAXIMUM LOT COVERAGE IN R6 THROUGH R12 DISTRICTS FOR NON-CONTEXTUAL DISTRICTS

		#Lot coverage# (percent of #lot area#)	
District	#Floor Area Ratio#	#Corner Lot#	#interior Lot# or #Through Lot#
R6 R6-1	4.80	70	65
R6-2	2.50	70	65
R7-1	4.80	70	65
R7-2 R7-3	6.50	70	65
R8	6.50	75	65
R9 R9-1	10.00	75	65
R10	10.00	75	65
R11	12.00	100	70
R12	15.00	100	70

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**24-111 - Maximum floor area ratio for certain community facility uses**

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R1 R2

- (a) In the districts indicated, for any #zoning lot# containing #community facility# #uses# other than those #uses# for which a permit is required pursuant to Sections [73-11](#) (Agriculture and

Open Uses), [73-13](#) (Community Facilities) or [73-18](#) (Recreation, Entertainment and Assembly Spaces), or where #bulk# modification is permitted pursuant to Section [74-902](#) (Certain community facility uses in R1 and R2 Districts and certain Commercial Districts), the maximum #floor area ratio# shall not exceed the #floor area# permitted for #residential uses# by the applicable district regulations. The provisions of this paragraph shall not apply to #buildings# for which plans were filed with the Department of Buildings prior to November 15, 1972, including any subsequent amendments thereof.

R3 R4 R5 R6 R7 R8 R9

- (b) In R3 through R5 Districts, and in R6 through R9 Districts without a letter suffix, the maximum #floor area ratio# on a #zoning lot# for philanthropic or non-profit institutions with sleeping accommodations, and in R3-1, R3A, R3X, R4-1, R4A, R4B, R5A, R5B and R5D Districts, the maximum #floor area ratio# on a #zoning lot# for #long-term care facilities# shall be as set forth in the table in this Section, except that such maximum #floor area ratio# shall not apply to #qualifying affordable housing#. Such maximum #floor area ratio# may be modified by special permit of the City Planning Commission pursuant to Section [74-903](#) (Certain community facility uses in R3 to R9 Districts and certain Commercial Districts).

**MAXIMUM FLOOR AREA RATIO FOR CERTAIN COMMUNITY FACILITY USES**

District	Maximum #Floor Area Ratio# Permitted
R3	0.50
R4	0.75

R5 R5A R5B	1.27
R5D	2.00
R6	2.43
R7	3.44
R8	6.02
R9	7.52

- (c) In R6 through R12 Districts with a letter suffix, the maximum #floor area ratio# on a #zoning lot# for philanthropic or non-profit institutions with sleeping accommodations shall be as set forth in Section [24-11](#) (Maximum Floor Area Ratio and Percentage of Lot Coverage).

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## 24-112 - Special floor area ratio provisions for certain areas

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The #floor area ratio# provisions of Section [24-11](#) (Maximum Floor Area Ratio and Percentage of Lot Coverage), inclusive, shall be modified for certain areas as follows:

- (a) in R8B Districts within Community District 8, in the Borough of Manhattan, the maximum #floor area ratio# on a #zoning lot# containing #community facility# #uses# exclusively shall

be 5.10;

- (b) in R10 Districts, except R10A or R10X Districts, within Community District 7, in the Borough of Manhattan, all #zoning lots# shall be limited to a maximum #floor area ratio# of 10.0; and
- (c) in R9 and R10 Districts, for #zoning lots# containing a #building# that is #developed# or #enlarged# pursuant to the applicable tower regulations of Sections [23-435](#) or [23-737](#) (Tower regulations), the provisions of Section [23-242](#) (Special provisions for certain community districts) shall apply:
  - (1) to only the #residential# portion of a #building# where less than 75 percent of the total #floor area# of such #building# is allocated to #residential use#; and
  - (2) to the entire #building# where 75 percent or more of the total #floor area# of such #building# is allocated to #residential use#.

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## 24-113 - Existing public amenities for which floor area bonuses have been received

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- (a) Elimination or reduction in size of non-bonused open area on a #zoning lot# containing a bonused amenity

In all districts, any existing open area for which a #floor area# bonus has not been utilized that occupies the same #zoning lot# as an existing #publicly accessible open area# or other public amenity, open or enclosed, for which a #floor area# bonus has been utilized, may be reduced in size or eliminated only upon certification of the Chairperson of the City Planning

Commission that all bonused amenities comply with the standards under which such #floor area# bonus was granted.

(b) Nighttime closing of existing public open areas

In all #Residence Districts#, the City Planning Commission may, upon application, authorize the closing during certain nighttime hours of an existing #publicly accessible open area# for which a #floor area# bonus has been received, pursuant to Section [37-727](#) (Hours of access).

(c) Elimination or reduction in size of existing public amenities

In all districts, no existing #publicly accessible open area#, #arcade# or other public amenity, open or enclosed, for which a #floor area# bonus has been utilized, shall be eliminated or reduced in size, except by special permit of the City Planning Commission, pursuant to Section [74-761](#) (Elimination or reduction in size of bonused public amenities).