



## Zoning Resolution

THE CITY OF NEW YORK

Eric Adams, Mayor

CITY PLANNING COMMISSION

Daniel R. Garodnick, Chair

# **62-341 - Height and setback regulations in lower density districts**

File generated by <https://zr.planning.nyc.gov> on 8/15/2025

62-341 - Height and setback regulations in lower density districts

LAST AMENDED  
12/5/2024

R1 R2 R3 R4 R5 C3 C4-1 C8-1 M1-1

In the districts indicated, and for C1 or C2 Districts mapped within an R1 through an R5 District, all #developments# on portions of a #zoning lot# landward of the #shoreline# or on #platforms# shall be subject to the underlying height and setback regulations, except as modified by the provisions of this Section.

(a) Modified base height and #building# heights in certain districts

The maximum base height and maximum #building# height for #buildings# on #waterfront blocks# for certain districts shall be as set forth in the following table:

MAXIMUM BASE HEIGHT AND MAXIMUM #BUILDING# HEIGHT FOR #RESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS# ON #WATERFRONT BLOCKS#

District	Maximum Base Height (Maximum Height of #Buildings or other Structures# (in feet)	Maximum Height of #Buildings or other Structures# (in feet)
R1 R2 C1 or C2 mapped within R1 or R2 C8-1 M1-1	35	35
R3 C1 or C2 mapped within R3 C3	35	45
R4 C1 or C2 mapped within R4	45	55
R5 C1 or C2 mapped within R5 C4-1	55	65

(b) Additional regulations

- (1) Above the maximum base height, a #building# shall be set back at least:
  - (i) 15 feet from a #narrow# #street line#;
  - (ii) 10 feet from a #wide# #street line#; or
  - (iii) 30 feet from the boundary of a #shore public walkway#. Wherever a #supplemental public access area# is provided as a widened #shore public walkway#, such widened area shall be included in the #initial setback distance#.

Dormers provided in accordance with Section [23-413](#) shall be permitted within any setback area, provided that the depth of encroachment of a dormer facing the #shore public walkway# shall not exceed 15 feet;

- (2) Any portion of a #predominantly# #community facility# #building# that exceeds a height of 35 feet shall be set back at least 25 feet from a #front yard line# or #street line#, where applicable, and no portion of such #building# shall exceed a height of 60 feet. However, within a #large-scale community facility development#, for portions of a #building# that are located at least 100 feet from a #street line# and, on a #waterfront zoning lot#, 100 feet from a #waterfront yard#, the maximum height shall not exceed 100 feet.
- (3) All structures other than #buildings# shall be limited to a height of 35 feet, except that in C4-1, C8-1 and M1-1 Districts, freestanding wind energy systems shall be permitted to a height of 85 feet, as measured from the base plane to the highest point of the wind turbine assembly.