



## Zoning Resolution

THE CITY OF NEW YORK

Eric Adams, Mayor

CITY PLANNING COMMISSION

Daniel R. Garodnick, Chair

# 91-11 - Sign Regulations

File generated by <https://zr.planning.nyc.gov> on 8/14/2025

---

## 91-11 - Sign Regulations

---

LAST AMENDED  
6/6/2024

In the #Special Lower Manhattan District#, except as modified by the provisions of this Section, inclusive, the regulations of Section [32-60](#), et seq., pertaining to #signs#, shall apply.

---

### 91-111 - Illuminated signs in C5 Districts

---

LAST AMENDED  
6/6/2024

In all C5 Districts within the #Special Lower Manhattan District#, not more than one #illuminated#, non-#flashing sign#, other than an #advertising sign#, with a total #surface area# not exceeding eight square feet shall be permitted for each #street# frontage of the #zoning lot#. Such #sign# may be located only within a window of a #building#.

---

### 91-112 - Banner regulations

---

LAST AMENDED  
6/6/2024

In all C5 and C6 Districts within the #Special Lower Manhattan District#, in lieu of the provisions of Section [32-652](#) (Permitted projection in all other Commercial Districts), banners may project across a #street line# for a maximum distance of eight feet.

In C5-3 or C5-5 Districts within the Special District, in lieu of the provisions of Section [32-655](#) (Height of signs in all other Commercial Districts), banners may extend above #curb level# to a maximum height of 40 feet.

---

### 91-113 - Height of signs in C6-9 Districts

---

LAST AMENDED  
6/6/2024

In C6-9 Districts within the #Special Lower Manhattan District#, the regulations of Section [32-655](#) (Height of signs in all other Commercial Districts) may be modified to allow a maximum height of 50 feet above #curb level#, provided the City Planning Commission certifies that the design features of the existing #building#, as they appear on May 9, 2001, would unduly obstruct the visibility of the #sign# without such modification. An application for such certification shall be filed with detailed plans showing compliance with this Section.

---

### 91-114 - Signs on landmark buildings fronting Broadway in C5-5 Districts

---

LAST AMENDED  
6/6/2024

In addition to #signs# and banners otherwise permitted pursuant to Section [91-11](#), et seq., within 100 feet of Broadway in C5-5 Districts, on any #building# with a #street wall# fronting Broadway that is a landmark designated by the Landmarks Preservation Commission, the applicable #sign# regulations of Section [32-60](#) shall be modified according to the following provisions, provided such #signs# and any alterations to the #building# connected with such #signs# have received a certificate

of appropriateness or other permit from the Landmarks Preservation Commission.

- (a) #Illuminated# non-#flashing signs# other than #advertising signs# are permitted with a total #surface area# (in square feet) not to exceed 50 square feet along any #street# frontage.
- (b) No permitted #sign# shall extend above #curb level# at a height greater than 30 feet.
- (c) No permitted #sign# shall project across a #street line# more than 60 inches.
- (d) Permitted #signs# displayed on awnings may also include commercial copy related to the type of business, profession, commodity, service or entertainment conducted, sold or offered within such #building#.