



## Zoning Resolution

THE CITY OF NEW YORK

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# **115-23 - Height and Setback Regulations**

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The underlying height and setback regulations shall apply except as modified by the provisions of this Section, inclusive.

For #zoning lot# subject to the sidewalk widening requirements of Section [115-31](#), the boundary of the sidewalk widening furthest from the #street line# shall be considered the #street line# for the purposes of applying all height and setback regulations.

All heights shall be measured from the #base plane#.

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### 115-231 - Permitted obstructions

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The provisions of Section [33-42](#) (Permitted Obstructions) shall apply to all #buildings# within the #Special Downtown Jamaica District#, except that dormers may penetrate a maximum base height in accordance with the provisions of paragraph (b)(1) of Section [23-413](#) (Permitted obstructions in certain districts).

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### 115-232 - Street wall location

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In the districts indicated, #street walls# shall be provided in accordance with the provisions of this Section.

- (a) For #zoning lot# frontages designated on Map 3 (Street Wall Location) in Appendix A of this Chapter the #street wall# location provisions of paragraph (a) of Section [35-631](#) shall apply; and
- (b) For all other #zoning lot# frontages, the #street wall# location provisions of paragraph (b) of Section [35-631](#) shall apply.

However, such #street walls# need only extend to a minimum base height of 40 feet.

No #street wall# location requirements shall apply to any open space fronting on Sutphin Boulevard between 94th and 95th Avenues provided pursuant to the Jamaica Gateway Urban Renewal Plan, as shown on Map 3.

For #building# walls facing Archer Avenue on Blocks 9988 and 9994, the #street walls# required pursuant to this paragraph (b) shall not be located along the Archer Avenue #street line#, but shall instead be located along the northern boundary of the Public Place mapped on each such block. However, if the Public Place is not mapped on Block 9994, then the #street wall# shall be located on a line perpendicular to 147th Place and passing through a point 51.77 feet distant (as measured along the southwesterly #street line# of 147th Place) from the corner of the northeasterly #street line# of Archer Avenue and the

southwesterly #street line# of 147th Place. To accommodate the #development# of a one #story# #building# which may be located within each Public Place, such #street walls# shall have no #building# entrances or windows up to a height of 30 feet within 100 feet of 147th Place on Block 9994 and within 100 feet of 146th Street on Block 9988.

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## **115-233 - Maximum building height**

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The maximum base height for #buildings# shall be provided in accordance with the provisions of Section [23-43](#), inclusive, for the applicable #residential equivalent#, except that the minimum base height shall be 40 feet. At a height not lower than the minimum base height or higher than the maximum base height specified for the applicable district, a setback shall be provided in accordance with the provisions of Section [23-433](#) (Standard setback regulations).

After setback, the maximum #building# heights shall as set forth in Section [23-43](#), inclusive, for the applicable #residential equivalent#, except that:

- (a) in C6-2 and C6-3 Districts, no #building or other structure# shall exceed a height of 250 feet. However, no maximum #building# height limitation shall apply on Block 9993, shown on Map 4 (Maximum Building Height) in Appendix A of this Chapter, if such #block# is #developed# or if a #building# on such #block# is #enlarged#, pursuant to the Jamaica Gateway Urban Renewal Plan; and
- (b) in C6-4 Districts, no #building or other structure# shall exceed a height of 290 feet.