



Zoning Resolution

THE CITY OF NEW YORK
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33-28 - Special Provisions for Through Lots

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LAST AMENDED

4/30/2008

C1 C2 C3 C4 C5 C6 C7 C8

In all districts, as indicated, the regulations of this Section shall apply to all #through lots#. In the case of a #zoning lot# occupying an entire #block#, no #rear yard# or #rear yard equivalent# shall be required.

33-281 - Excepted districts

LAST AMENDED

12/5/2024

C4-2 C4-3 C4-4 C4-5 C4-6 C4-7 C4-8 C4-9 C4-11 C4-12 C5 C6 C7 C8-4

In the districts indicated, no #rear yard# regulations shall apply to any #through lot#, except as otherwise provided in Section [33-303](#) (For zoning lots with multiple rear lot lines).

33-282 - Excepted through lots

LAST AMENDED

6/6/2024

C1 C2 C3 C4-1 C8-1 C8-2 C8-3

In the districts indicated, no #rear yard# regulations shall apply to any #through lots# which extend less than 110 feet in maximum depth from #street# to #street#.

33-283 - Required rear yard equivalents

LAST AMENDED

12/5/2024

C1 C2 C3 C4-1 C8-1 C8-2 C8-3

In the districts indicated, on any #through lot# 110 feet or more in maximum depth from #street# to #street#, one of the following #rear yard equivalents# shall be provided:

- (a) an open area with a minimum depth of 40 feet midway (or within five feet of being midway) between the two #street lines# upon which such #through lot# fronts. In C1 and C2 Districts mapped within, or with a #residential equivalent# of, R6 through R12 Districts with a letter suffix, a #rear yard equivalent# shall be provided only as set forth in this paragraph. Such limitation shall also apply to C1 or C2 Districts mapped within R5D Districts; or
- (b) two open areas, each adjoining and extending along the full length of the #street line#, and each with a minimum depth of 20 feet measured from such #street line#; except that in C1 or C2 Districts the depth of such required open area along one #street line# may be decreased provided that a corresponding increase of the depth of the open area along the other #street line# is made; or
- (c) an open area adjoining and extending along the full length of each #side lot line#, with a minimum width of 20 feet measured from each such #side lot line#.

Any such #rear yard equivalent# shall be unobstructed from its lowest level to the sky, except as provided in Section [33-23](#) (Permitted Obstructions in Required Yards or Rear Yard Equivalents).