

Zoning Resolution

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In all districts, as indicated, #accessory# off-street parking spaces, open or enclosed, shall be provided in conformity with the requirements set forth in the table in this Section for all #development# after December 15, 1961, for the #manufacturing#, #commercial# or #community facility# #uses# listed in the table. In addition, all other applicable requirements of this Chapter shall apply as a condition precedent to the #use# of such #development#.

After December 15, 1961, if an #enlargement# results in a net increase in the #floor area# or other applicable unit of measurement specified in the table in this Section, the same requirements set forth in the table shall apply to such net increase in the #floor area# or other specified unit of measurement.

A parking space is required for a portion of a unit of measurement one-half or more of the amount set forth in the table.

For the purposes of this Section, a tract of land on which a group of such #uses# is #developed# under single ownership or control shall be considered a single #zoning lot#.

For those #uses# for which rated capacity is specified as the unit of measurement, the Commissioner of Buildings shall determine the rated capacity as the number of persons which may be accommodated by such #uses#.

The requirements of this Section shall be waived in the following situations:

- (a) when, as the result of the application of such requirements, a smaller number of spaces would be required than is specified by the provisions of Section 44-232 (Waiver of Requirements for Spaces Below Minimum Number) or, for certain #uses#, below the #lot area# or establishment size thresholds set forth in Section 44-233 (Waiver of requirements for certain small zoning lots or establishments);
- (b) when the Commissioner of Buildings has certified, in accordance with the provisions of Section 44-24 (Waiver of Requirements for All Zoning Lots Where Access Would Be Forbidden), that there is no way to arrange the spaces with access to the #street# to conform to the provisions of Section 44-43 (Location of Access to the Street).

For the purposes of applying the loading requirements of this Chapter, #uses# are grouped into the following Parking Requirement Categories (PRC) based on how requirements are measured. The specific designations for #uses# are set forth in the Use Group tables.

Type of Requirement
square feet of #floor area#
person-rated capacity
square feet of #lot area#
square feet of #floor area#, or number of employees
number of beds
guest rooms or suites

PRC-G	other
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REQUIRED OFF-STREET PARKING SPACES FOR MANUFACTURING, COMMERCIAL OR COMMUNITY FACILITY USES

Parking		PRO) - A					
Requirement Category	A 1	A2	А3	A 4	B1	B2	В3	С
Unit of Measurement	per :	square feet (of #floor are	a# ¹	per persons-rated capacity			per square feet of #lot area# 3,4
M1-1 M1-2 M1-3 M2-1 M2-2 M3-1 Districts without an A suffix M1, M2 M3 Districts with an A suffix outside the #Greater Transit Zone#	1 per 200	1 per 300	1 per 300 2	1 per 600	1 per 8	1 per 8	1 per 10	1 per 500
M1-4 M1-5 M1-6 M2-3 M2-4 M3-2 Districts without an A suffix M1, M2 M3 Districts with an A suffix within the #Greater Transit Zone#	None required	None required	None required	None required	None required	None required	None required	None required

For ambulatory diagnostic or treatment facilities listed in Use Group III(B), #cellar# space, except #cellar# space used for storage shall be included to determine parking requirements.

² Parking requirements for #uses# in PRC-A3 may be reduced by permit of the Board of Standards and appeals in accordance with the provisions of

- 3 In the case of golf driving ranges, the requirements in this table apply only to that portion of the range used for tees.
- In the case of outdoor skateboard parks, in M3-1 Districts, the requirements of this table apply only to that portion used as skating runs and #accessory# #buildings#. The #floor area# of #accessory# #buildings# shall be considered #lot area# for the purpose of these requirements.

Parking	PR	PRC - E			PRC - F		
Requirement Category D1		D2	E1	E2	E3	F1	F2
Unit of Measurement	per square fee	per bed			per guest room or suites		
M1-1 M1-2 M1-3 M2-1 M2-2 M3-1 Districts without an A suffix M1, M2 M3 Districts with an A suffix outside the #Greater Transit Zone#	1 per 1,000 sq ft or 1 per 3 employees, whichever will require a larger number of spaces	1 per 2,000 sq ft or 1 per 3 employees, whichever will require a lesser number of spaces	1 per 5 6				1 per 8
M1-4 M1-5 M1-6 M2-3 M2-4 M3-2 Districts without an A suffix M1, M2 M3 Districts with an A suffix within the #Greater Transit Zone#	None required	None required	1 per 10 ⁶	n/a	n/a	1 per 1	None required

For predominantly open storage of miscellaneous #uses# or predominantly open #manufacturing# #uses#, the #lot area# used for such #uses# shall be considered as #floor area# for the purposes of these requirements.

	PRC - G									
Parking Requirement Category	Agricultural #uses#	Outdoor racket courts	Outdoor skating rinks	Seminaries	#Schools#	Museums or non- commercial art galleries				
Unit of Measurement	per square feet of #lot area# used for selling purposes	per court	per square feet of #lot area#	per square feet of #floor area# used for classrooms, laboratories, student centers or offices	per square feet of #floor area#	per square feet of #floor area#				
M1-1 M1-2 M1-3 M2-1 M2-2 M3-1 Districts without an A suffix M1, M2 M3 Districts with an A suffix outside the #Greater Transit Zone#	1 per 1,000	1 per 2	1 per 800	1 per 1,000	None	None				
M1-4 M1-5 M1-6 M2-3 M2-4 M3-2 Districts without an A suffix M1, M2 M3 Districts with an A suffix within the #Greater Transit Zone#	None required	None required	None required	None required	required	required				

	PRC - G (continued)							
Parking Requirement Category	Court	Fire or Police stations	Prisons			Post Offices	Funeral Establishments	Riding academies or stables
Unit of Measurement	per square feet of #floor area#	per square feet of #floor area#	per beds- rated capacity	see Section 62-43	per square feet of #lot area# or per employees	per square feet of #floor area#	per square feet of #floor area#	per square feet of #floor area#
M1-1 M1-2 M1-3 M2-1 M2-2 M3-1 Districts without an A suffix M1, M2 M3 Districts with an A suffix outside the #Greater Transit Zone#	1 per 600	None	1 per 10	see	1 per 2,000 or 1 per 3	1 per 1,200	1 per 400	None required
M1-4 M1-5 M1-6 M2-3 M2-4 M3-2 Districts without an A suffix M1, M2 M3 Districts with an A suffix within the #Greater Transit Zone#	None required		None required	Section 62-43		None required	None required	