

Zoning Resolution

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#Enclosed# or #unenclosed sidewalk cafes# shall be permitted, as indicated, in the following special zoning districts, where allowed by the underlying zoning. #Small sidewalk cafes#, however, may be located on #streets# or portions of #streets# within special zoning districts pursuant to the provisions of Section 14-43 (Locations Where Only Small Sidewalk Cafes Are Permitted).

Manhattan	#Enclosed Sidewalk Cafe#	#Unenclosed Sidewalk Cafe#
125th Street District	No	No ⁴
Battery Park City District	Yes	Yes
Clinton District	No	Yes
East Harlem Corridors District	No	Yes
Enhanced Commercial District 2	Yes	Yes
(Columbus and Amsterdam Avenues)		
Enhanced Commercial District 3	Yes	Yes
(Broadway/Upper West Side)		
Hudson Square District	Yes	Yes
Inwood District	No	Yes
Limited Commercial District	No	No ¹
Lincoln Square District	No	Yes
Little Italy District	No	Yes
Lower Manhattan District	No	Yes ²

Manhattanville Mixed Use District	No ³	Yes
SoHo-NoHo Mixed Use District	No	Yes ⁶
Transit Land Use District	Yes	Yes
Tribeca Mixed Use District	Yes	Yes
United Nations Development District	No	Yes
West Chelsea District	No	Yes ⁵

- ¹ #Unenclosed sidewalk cafes# are allowed on Greenwich Avenue.
- ² #Unenclosed sidewalk cafes# are not allowed on State, Whitehall or Chambers Streets or Broadway.
- ³ #Enclosed sidewalk cafes# are allowed in Subdistrict B.
- ⁴ #Unenclosed sidewalk cafes# are allowed on the east side of Malcolm X Boulevard between West 125th and West 126th Streets, on the west side of Malcolm X Boulevard between West 124th and West 125th Streets and on the east side of Fifth Avenue between East 125th and East 126th Streets.
- ⁵ #Unenclosed sidewalk cafes# are allowed only on #wide streets# except they are not allowed on the west side of Ninth Avenue between West 15th Street and West 16th Street. #Unenclosed sidewalk cafes# shall also be allowed on West 27th Street between Eleventh Avenue and Joe DiMaggio Highway.
- #Unenclosed sidewalk cafes# are not permitted south of Houston Street, except for #small sidewalk cafes# in locations designated in Section <u>14-43</u> (Locations Where Only Small Sidewalk Cafes Are Permitted)

Brooklyn	#Enclosed Sidewalk Cafe#	#Unenclosed Sidewalk Cafe#
Bay Ridge District	Yes	Yes
Brooklyn Navy Yard District	Yes	Yes
Coney Island District	No	Yes

Coney Island Mixed Use District	Yes	Yes
Downtown Brooklyn District	Yes	Yes
Enhanced Commercial District 1 (Fourth Avenue)	No	Yes
Enhanced Commercial District 4 (Broadway, Bedford-Stuyvesant)	No	Yes
Gowanus Mixed Use District	No	Yes
Mixed Use District-8 (Greenpoint-Williamsburg)	Yes	Yes
Ocean Parkway District ¹	Yes	Yes
Sheepshead Bay District	No	Yes

¹ #Sidewalk cafes# are not allowed on Ocean Parkway

The Bronx	#Enclosed Sidewalk Cafe#	#Unenclosed Sidewalk Cafe#
City Island District	No	Yes
Harlem River Waterfront District	No	Yes
Jerome Corridor District	No	Yes
Queens	#Enclosed Sidewalk Cafe#	#Unenclosed Sidewalk Cafe#
Downtown Far Rockaway District	No	Yes

Downtown Jamaica District	No	Yes
Flushing Waterfront District	No	Yes
Forest Hills District ¹	No	Yes
Long Island City Mixed Use District ²	No	Yes
Southern Hunters Point District	No	Yes
Willets Point District	No	Yes

^{1 #}Sidewalk cafes# are not allowed on Austin Street

² See Appendix A in Article XI, Chapter 7

Staten Island	#Enclosed Sidewalk Cafe#	#Unenclosed Sidewalk Cafe#
Bay Street Corridor District	Yes	Yes
South Richmond Development District	Yes	Yes
St. George District	Yes	Yes
Stapleton Waterfront District	Yes	Yes