Zoning Resolution

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104-00 - GENERAL PURPOSES

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The “Special Manhattanville Mixed Use District” established in this Resolution is designed to promote and protect public health, safety and general welfare. These general goals include, among others, the following specific purposes:

(a) to encourage the development of a mixed use neighborhood that complements a revitalized community-oriented waterfront;

(b) to support a variety of community facility, commercial and manufacturing uses;

(c) to provide opportunities for the expansion of large academic, scientific and mixed use facilities in a manner that benefits the surrounding community;

(d) to strengthen the retail and service character and economic vitality of the neighborhood by encouraging active ground floor uses along Broadway, West 125th Street and 12th Avenue;

(e) to facilitate the maximum amount of design flexibility while fulfilling the goals of the mixed use district;

(f) to improve the physical appearance of the streetscape by providing and coordinating harmonious open space, sidewalk amenities and landscaping within a consistent urban design;

(g) to strengthen the visual corridors along West 125th Street and other east-west corridors that connect the community to the waterfront;

(h) to expand local employment opportunities;

(i) to recognize, preserve and promote the existing historic transportation infrastructure of the neighborhood;

(j) to promote the most desirable use of land in this area and thus conserve the value of land and buildings, and thereby protect the City's tax revenues.

104-01 - Definitions

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Definitions specifically applicable to this Chapter are set forth in this Section. The definitions of other defined terms are set forth in Section 12-10 (DEFINITIONS).

Lower street wall

"Lower street wall" is that portion of the #street wall# of a #building# that extends from grade to the height set forth in Section 104-33, paragraph (a).

Mandatory widened sidewalk

A "mandatory widened sidewalk" is a paved area along the #front lot line# of a #zoning lot# at the same elevation as the adjoining sidewalk and directly accessible to the public at all times. #Mandatory widened sidewalks# are shown on Map 3 (Widened Sidewalk Lines) in Appendix A of this Chapter.

Mandatory widened sidewalk line

A “mandatory widened sidewalk line” is the line shown on Map 3 in Appendix A of this Chapter.

Upper street wall

“Upper street wall” is that portion of the #street wall# of a #building# that extends from the #lower street wall# to the maximum #building# height set forth for each Parcel in the Base Plane and Building Height Table in Appendix B of this Chapter, or the height of the #building#, whichever is less.

104-02 - General Provisions

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In harmony with the general purposes and content of this Resolution and the general purposes of the #Special Manhattanville Mixed Use District#, the regulations of this Chapter shall apply within the Special District. The regulations of all other Chapters of this Resolution are applicable, except as superseded, supplemented or modified by the provisions of this Chapter. In the event of a conflict between the provisions of this Chapter and other regulations of this Resolution, the provisions of this Chapter shall control. However, in #flood zones#, or for #transit-adjacent sites#, as defined in Section 66-11 (Definitions), in the event of a conflict between the provisions of this Chapter and the provisions of Article VI, Chapter 4 (Special Regulations Applying in Flood Hazard Areas), or Article VI, Chapter 6 (Special Regulations Applying Around Mass Transit Stations), the provisions of Article VI shall control.

104-03 - District Plan and Maps

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The regulations of this Chapter are designed to implement the #Special Manhattanville Mixed Use District# Plan.

The District Plan includes the following maps and illustrative diagrams in Appendix A of this Chapter:

Map 1 Special Manhattanville Mixed Use District and Subdistricts

Map 2 Subdistrict A Block Plan

Map 3 Widened Sidewalk Lines

Map 4 Street Wall Types and Locations

Map 5 Parcel Designation and Maximum Building Heights

Map 6 Ground Floor Use and Frontage

Map 7 Mandatory Open Areas

The District Plan includes the following table in Appendix B of this Chapter:

Base Plane and Building Height Table

These maps, diagrams and table are hereby incorporated and made part of this Resolution for the purpose of illustrating requirements or specifying locations where the special regulations and

requirements set forth in the text of this Chapter apply.

104-04 - Subdistricts

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In order to carry out the provisions of this Chapter, three subdistricts are established, as follows:

Subdistrict A – Academic Mixed Use Area

Subdistrict B – Waterfront Area

Subdistrict C – Mixed Use Development Area

The location of the subdistricts of the #Special Manhattanville Mixed Use District# is specified on Map 1 in Appendix A of this Chapter.