Zoning Resolution

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107-32 - Tree Requirements

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For all #zoning lots#, newly planted trees shall be planted no closer than eight feet from any other tree and be of a species selected from the New York City Native Species Planting Guide (as issued and revised by the Department of Parks and Recreation), or its successor.

(a) Planting in #Residence Districts# or on a #zoning lot# containing a #group parking facility# with fewer than 10 parking spaces

In connection with any #development#, #site alteration#, or #enlargement# in a #Residence District#, or on any #zoning lot# that contains a #group parking facility# with fewer than 10 parking spaces, that are not fully enclosed, newly planted trees of at least one-inch #caliper# and less than six-inch #caliper#, or pre-existing trees of at least six-inch #caliper#, shall be provided on the #zoning lot# at the rate of one #tree credit# for each 1,000 square feet of #lot area# or portion thereof.

A newly planted tree of between one and two-inch #caliper# shall have 0.5 #tree credits#, and a newly planted tree greater than two-inch #caliper# but less than six-inch #caliper# shall have one #tree credit#. Newly planted trees appearing on a site plan in an approved application may be counted toward #tree credits# on site plans for future applications if they have not yet grown to a six-inch or greater #caliper#, provided that they remain in good health and continue to comply with the standards set forth in this Section.

Any existing tree of at least six-inch #caliper# which is preserved and has no new paving,

#development#, #enlargement#, or modification of topography within eight feet of such tree, shall have one #tree credit# for the first six inches of #caliper# and an additional #tree credit# for each additional three inches of #caliper#.

(b) Planting for parking areas

Any #development# or #enlargement# on a #zoning lot# that contains a #group parking facility# with 10 or more parking spaces that are not fully enclosed shall be subject to the tree planting and screening requirements of Section 107-483.