



Zoning Resolution

THE CITY OF NEW YORK

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74-56 - Open Automobile Rental Establishments

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In C2 Districts within a one-half mile radius of the main entrance of La Guardia Airport, located at the intersection of Grand Central Parkway and the 94th Street Bridge, the City Planning Commission may permit open automobile rental establishments on #zoning lots# having a frontage of at least 200 feet on Ditmars Boulevard, provided that the following findings are made:

- (a) that such open #use# will not be incompatible with, or adversely affect the growth and development of, appropriate #uses# in the general area within which such open #use# is to be located;
- (b) that such open #use# will not create or contribute to serious traffic congestion and will not unduly inhibit surface traffic and pedestrian flow;
- (c) that such open #use# is so located as to draw a minimum of vehicular traffic to and through local #streets# in nearby residential areas;
- (d) that such open #use# has adequate reservoir space at the vehicular entrances to accommodate either 10 automobiles or five percent of the total parking spaces provided by the open #use#, whichever amount is greater, but in no event shall such reservoir space be required for more than 50 automobiles;
- (e) that the #streets# providing access to such open #use# will be adequate to handle the traffic generated thereby;
- (f) that acoustic barriers be installed around the parking areas to minimize noise impacts on surrounding properties;
- (g) that visual barriers be installed and properly maintained to screen the parking area from surrounding properties; and
- (h) that #accessory# automotive repairs, maintenance and car washing are within an enclosed #building#.

The Commission may prescribe appropriate conditions and safeguards to minimize adverse effects on the character of the surrounding area including limitations on #signs#, requirements for shielding of floodlights and for locations of entrances and exits.