



Zoning Resolution

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

Arterial

An "arterial" is a #street# designated as an #arterial# in Section 107-25 (Special Regulations Along Certain Streets or Railroads) whose function is primarily the accommodation of through vehicular traffic and to which special provisions of this Chapter apply. All such #arterials# are shown on the District Plan, Map 2 in Appendix A, which is hereby incorporated as an integral part of the provisions of this Chapter.

Development

For the purposes of this Chapter, a "development" includes a #development# as defined in Section 12-10 (DEFINITIONS), the #enlargement# of a non-#residential building#, or the #enlargement# of a #residential use# that involves the addition of one or more #dwelling units#.

To "develop" is to create a #development#.

Designated open space

"Designated open space" is a portion of the #open space network# located on a #zoning lot# as shown on the District Plan (Map 3 in Appendix A), and is to be preserved in its natural state in accordance with the provisions of the #Special South Richmond Development District#.

Detached

For the purposes of this Chapter a "detached" #building# is a #building# surrounded by #yards# or other open area on the same #zoning lot# or is a #building# #abutting# a #street line# which is surrounded by #yards# or open area on the same #zoning lot# except where the #building# #abuts# the #street line#.

Drainage scheme

A "drainage scheme" is a plan for a system of storm sewers and/or sanitary sewers intended to serve a #development# which is submitted to the Department of Environmental Protection for review and approval.

Open space network

The "open space network" is a planned system of #open spaces# as shown on the District Plan (Map 3 in Appendix A), which includes #public parks#, #park streets#, #designated open space# and the #waterfront esplanade#.

Park street

A "park street" is a #street# designated as such in Section 107-25 (Special Regulations Along Certain Streets or Railroads) and whose primary function is to provide connecting links for pedestrians and cyclists between portions of the #open space network# and to which special provisions of this Chapter apply. #Park streets# shall be designated to provide limited vehicular access.

Sewer acceptance

A "sewer acceptance" is the acceptance by the Department of Environmental Protection of a system of storm and/or sanitary sewers which were built in accordance with an approved #drainage scheme# intended to serve a #development#.

Site alteration

A "site alteration" is an alteration on any vacant tract of land, #land with minor improvements# or any tract of land containing #buildings or other structures#, which includes land contour work, topographic modifications, removal of topsoil, removal of trees of six-inch caliper or more, excavating, filling, dumping, changes in existing drainage systems, improvements in public rights-of-way, whether or not a permit is required from the Department of Buildings, the Department of Transportation or other public agencies. A #site alteration# shall include any land operation within #designated open space#.

Waterfront esplanade

The "waterfront esplanade" is a pedestrian way to be provided for public #use# within the #open space network# along the Raritan Bay waterfront, as shown on the District Plan (Map 3 in Appendix A).