

DEVELOPMENT CHALLENGE PROCESS

The Buildings Department is giving New Yorkers a stronger voice in their neighborhoods' development: Now people can learn about proposed buildings and enlargements early in the construction process.

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN YOUR COMMUNITY

Use the "My Community" feature on the Buildings Department's website to learn about new developments in your neighborhood. Visit nyc.gov/buildings.





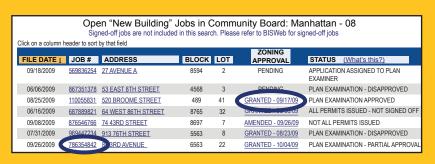
Know What's Happening in Your Neighborhood

The Development Challenge Process requires architects and engineers to submit diagrams of their proposed buildings and enlargements. This lets neighbors see the size and scale of any development online – before the first shovel hits the ground.

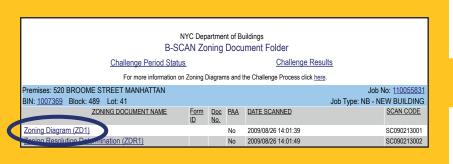
Have a Stronger Voice

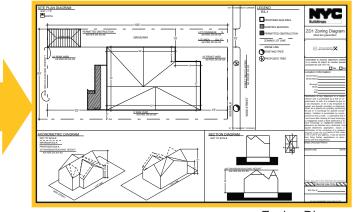
The public may challenge Department zoning approvals through a formal challenge process, and Buildings' responses to those challenges will be posted online for the first time.

Click on "My Community" to search for New Buildings or Major Alterations by Community Board or specific address.



The zoning approval status is indicated as "Pending," "Granted," or "Amended." To see zoning information for an application, click "Granted" or "Amended." To see more information, click the job number (step 4 below).





Zoning Diagram



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For more information on the new Zoning Diagram and Development Challenge Process, visit the Buildings Department's website at nyc.gov/buildings.

Send the completed Zoning Challenge and Appeal form to the Department's Customer Service staff:

> Fax: (212) 566 - 3030 Mail: 280 Broadway

Call Center - 5th Floor New York, NY 10007

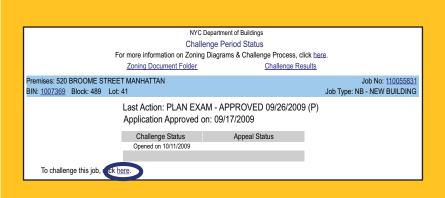
e-mail: publicchallenge@buildings.nyc.gov

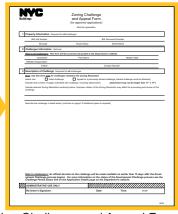
HAVE A STRONGER VOICE

You can now voice your concerns to the Department by submitting a challenge through our formal Development Challenge Process.



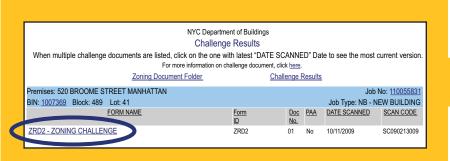
To see if the application's challenge period is open, click the "Challenge Period Status" link. To read decisions made on challenges, click the "Challenge Results" link.

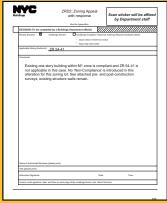




Zoning Challenge and Appeal Form

When the status is open, you may submit a zoning challenge by using the "Zoning Challenge and Appeal Form."





Department Response

