SIDEWALK CAFÉ DESIGN STANDARDS

MATERIALS AND CONTRUCTION

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Fencing may not exceed 36 inches in height and must be constructed of durable finish materials [metal, glass, finished wood, removable stone or concrete planters].

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Chain and bollard fencing is prohibited as it poses a hazard to visually impaired pedestrians. Fencing must be detectible by cane through one or more of the following: toe rail with top edge 6-inch minimum in height and bottom edge no higher than 1.5 inches about sidewalk; landscaping or other elements detectable by cane spaced no more than 27 inches vertically and 24 inches horizontally, or elements sufficiently detectible by cane.



Tables, chairs, plantings and other furnishings must be removable. Upon removal of sidewalk cafes and furnishings, sidewalk must be returned to original or better conditions.





