





**Measuring Fence Height**  
(Figure 2)

**Where can I get additional information?**

For more information please call the Planning and Development Department, Zoning Division at 602-262-7131 option # 6 or visit our website at [www.phoenix.gov/planning](http://www.phoenix.gov/planning).

For information regarding fence permits, please call the Planning and Development Department, Development Division at 602-262-7811 or visit <http://phoenix.gov/DEVSERV/index.html>

**What type of fence can I construct?**

Per Zoning Ordinance Section 507 Tab A: Chain link fencing with plastic or metal slats, sheeting, non-decorative corrugated metal and fencing made or topped with razor, concertina, or barbed wire shall not be used in non-residential development where visible from public streets or adjacent residential areas. Alternatives exist, such as spiked or decorative wrought iron (see figure 3), high walls, and barrier type landscaping that can provide site security without contributing an adverse image to adjoining property.



**Wrought-iron fencing**  
(Figure 3)

**Fence Location Summary**

Fence Height	Allowed Location	Sight Obstruction Restrictions Apply?	Permit Required?
Up to 40 inches	Anywhere on site	Yes	Yes
No higher than the height limit for buildings	Within or bounding side or rear yards	Yes	Yes

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