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# INTRODUCTION

Over the last month, the average rental price in Brooklyn increased by 0.18%, from \$2,783.33 to \$2,788.43.





### A QUICK LOOK

Over the last month, the average overall rent in Brooklyn increased by 0.18%, from \$2,783.33 to \$2,788.43. The average studio rental price fell by 0.5%, from \$2,233.90 to \$2,223.19. The average rental price for a one-bedroom unit increased by 0.4%, from \$2,656.6 to \$2,668.17. The average rental price for a two-bedroom unit increased by 0.4%, from \$3,459.34 to \$3,473.94. Year-over-year, studio rental prices are up 1.96%, while one-bedroom rental prices are down 0.23%, and two-bedroom rental prices are up 1.46%.

Nearly every tracked neighborhood experienced positive month-over-month rental price growth, with the exception of: Brooklyn Heights (-1.2%), Bushwick (-0.7%), Cobble Hill (-6.9%), Crown Heights (-0.1%), DUMBO (-0.4%), and Williamsburg (-1.3%). This past month, the most expensive rental units were in DUMBO, while the least expensive units were in Bay Ridge.

A noteworthy observation this month was the 7.2% year-over-year growth seen in Prospect Lefferts Gardens. This impressive growth is indicative a neighborhood that is slowly becoming a more popular destination for renters and developers alike.

#### Notable Trends

**Building (Average Prices)** 

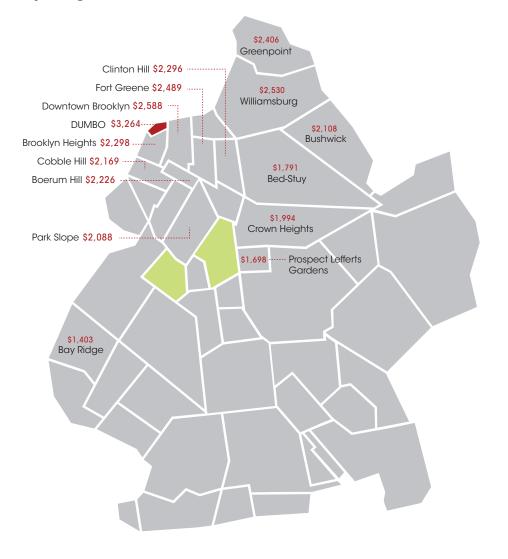
Туре	Most Expensive	Least Expensive
Studios	DUMBO \$3,264	Bay Ridge \$1,403
One-Bedrooms	DUMBO \$4,018	Bay Ridge §1,779
Two-Bedrooms	DUMBO \$6,410	Bay Ridge \$2,214



## A QUICK LOOK STUDIOS

#### **Average Unit Prices**

By Neighborhood



Greatest Changes
Since March



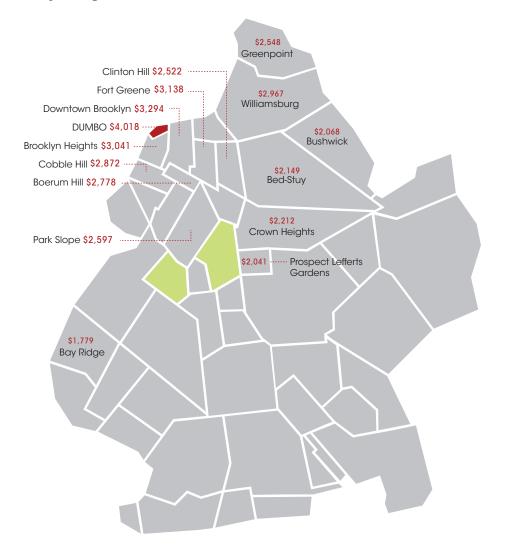
Average Price Brooklyn Studios \$2,223



# A QUICK LOOK 1 BEDS

#### **Average Unit Prices**

By Neighborhood



Greatest Changes
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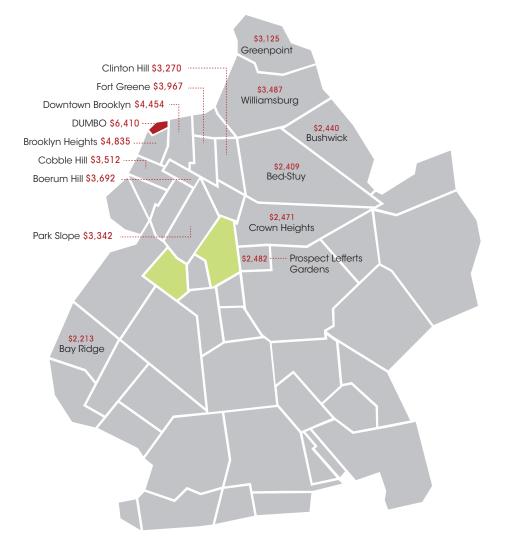
Average Price Brooklyn 1 Beds \$2,668



# A QUICK LOOK 2 BEDS

#### **Average Unit Prices**

By Neighborhood



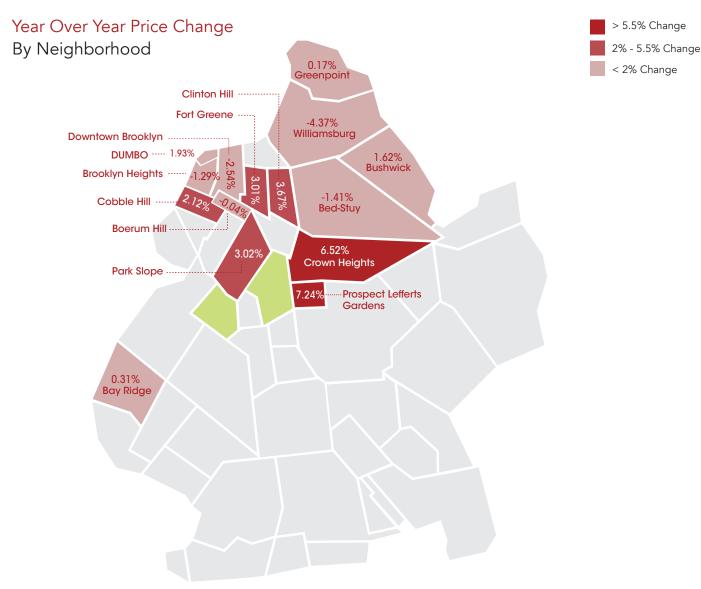
Greatest Changes
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Average Price Brooklyn 2 Beds \$3,474



# A QUICK LOOK



Brooklyn Rents: April 2017 vs. April 2018

Туре	April 2017	April 2018	Change	
Studios	<sup>\$</sup> 2,181	\$2,223	<b>↑</b> 1.96%	
One-Bedrooms	\$2,674	\$2,668	♦ 0.23%	
Two-Bedrooms	\$3,424	\$3,474	<b>1</b> .46%	



## A QUICK LOOK

#### Where Prices Decreased (monthly)

Bay Ridge

Studios -1.1%

↓ Bed Stuy

**Studios** -0.3% **2 Bedroom** -1.2%

**↓** Boerum Hill

Studios -0.8%

**↓** Brooklyn Heights

Studios -4.4% 1 Bedroom -2.5%

Bushwick

1 Bedroom -4.5%

↓ Cobble Hill

Studios -16.0% 2 Bedroom -6.8% Crown Heights

1 Bedroom -2.0% 2 Bedroom -0.9%

■ Dumbo

1 Bedroom -0.6% 2 Bedroom -2.4%

**↓** Greenpoint

Studios -0.9% 1 Bedroom -0.5%

**↓** Park Slope

Studios -0.9%

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1 Bedroom -1.7% 2 Bedroom -1.3% **↓** Williamsburg

Studios -1.3% 2 Bedroom -2.8%

#### Where Prices Increased (monthly)

**↑** Bay Ridge

1 Bedroom 3.9% 2 Bedroom 0.8%

**▲** Bed Stuy

1 Bedroom 3.8%

♠ Boerum Hill

1 Bedroom 0.8%

2 Bedroom 2.9%

Brooklyn Heights

2 Bedroom 1.3%

Bushwick

Studios 0.8% 2 Bedroom 1.3%

Clinton Hill

Studios 6.1%1 Bedroom 1.1%2 Bedroom 5.7%

↑ Cobble Hill

1 Bedroom 1.3%

Crown Heights

Studios 3.2%

**▶** Dumbo

Studios 4.2%

Downtown BK

Studios 1.3%1 Bedroom 2.1%2 Bedroom 6.2%

Fort Greene

Studios 0.7%1 Bedroom 2.2%2 Bedroom 1.1%

**▲** Greenpoint

2 Bedroom 2.0%

↑ Park Slope

1 Bedroom 3.0% 2 Bedroom 1.9%

▲ PLG

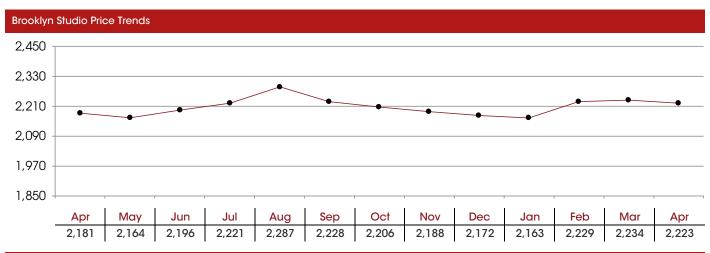
Studios 4.8%

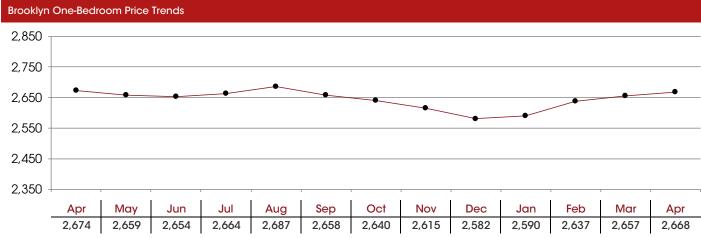
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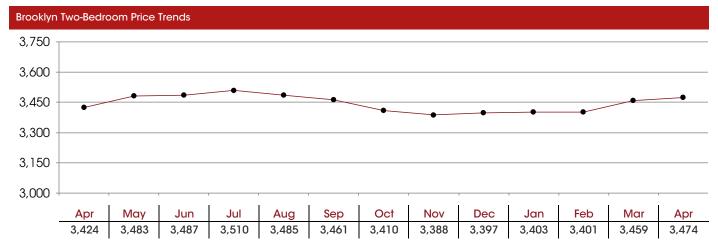
1 Bedroom 0.7%



## BROOKLYN PRICE TRENDS



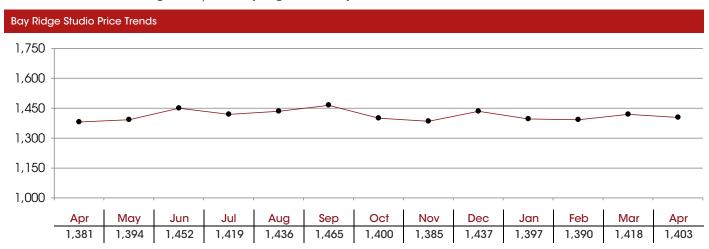


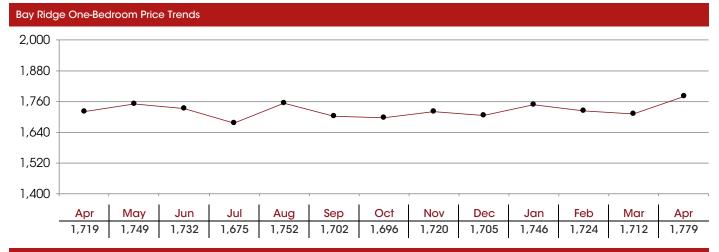


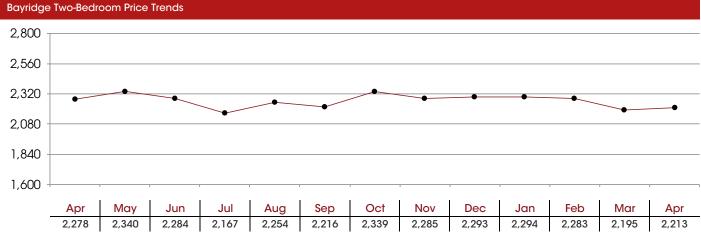


#### BAY RIDGE

• Over the last month, the average rental price in Bay Ridge increased by 1.31%.



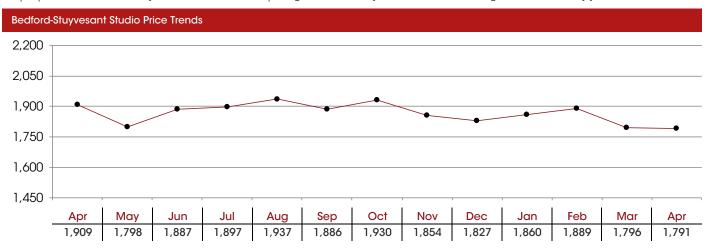


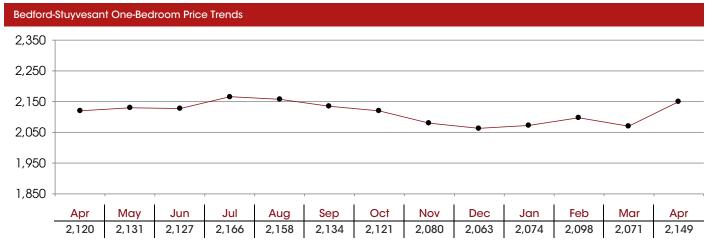


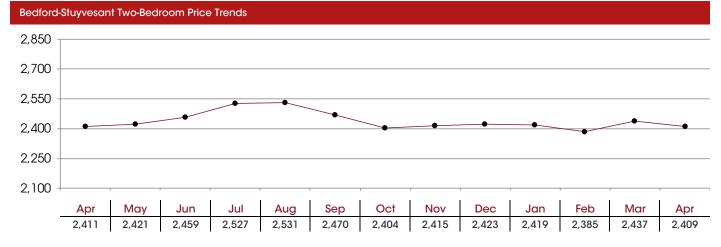


## BEDFORD-STUYVESANT

• April proved to be a relatively stable month for rental pricing in Bedford-Stuyvesant, where the average rent increased by just 0.71%.







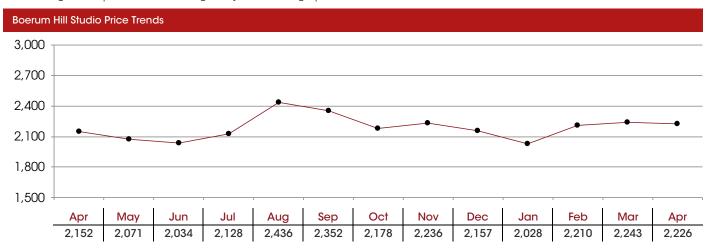
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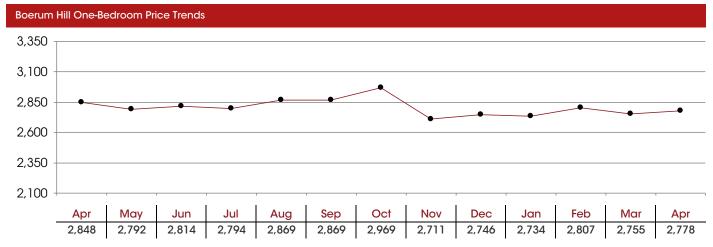
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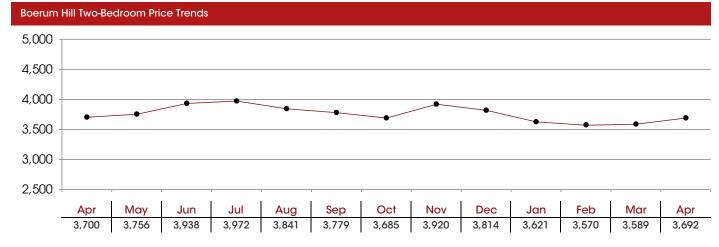


#### BOERUM HILL

• The average rental price in Boerum Hill grew by 1.25% during April.







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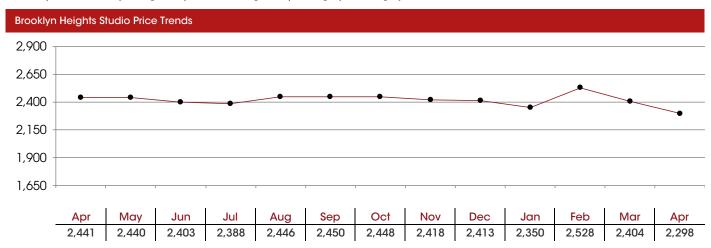
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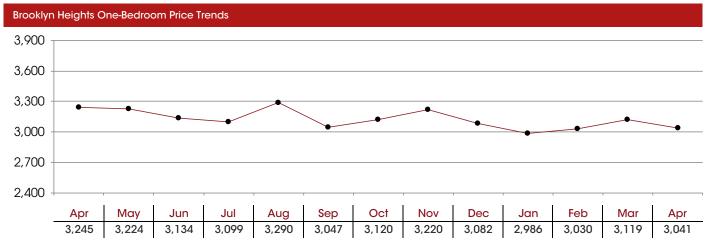
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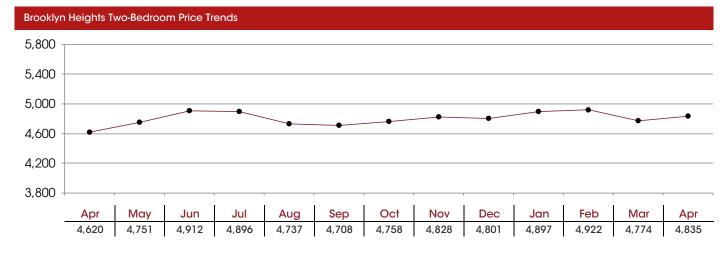


#### **BROOKLYN HEIGHTS**

• Rental prices in Brooklyn Heights experienced a slight drop during April, falling by 1.20%.



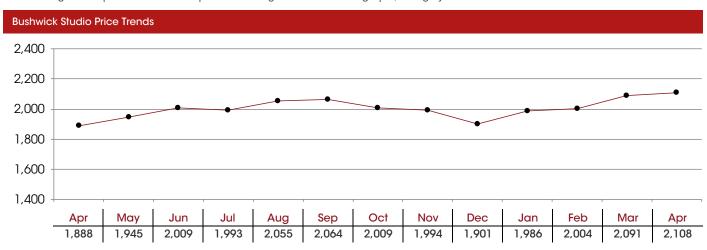


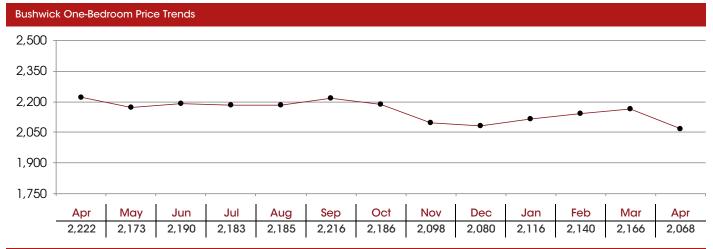


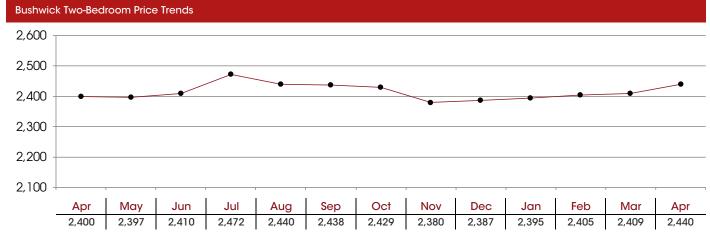


#### BUSHWICK

• The average rental price in Bushwick experienced a slight correction during April, falling by 0.73%.



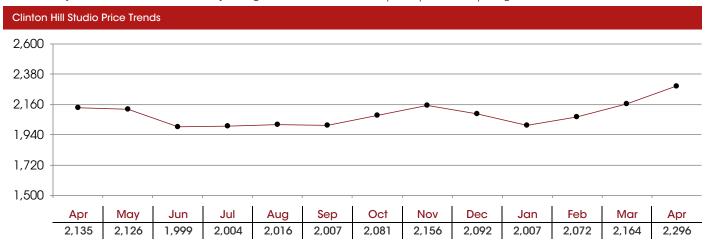


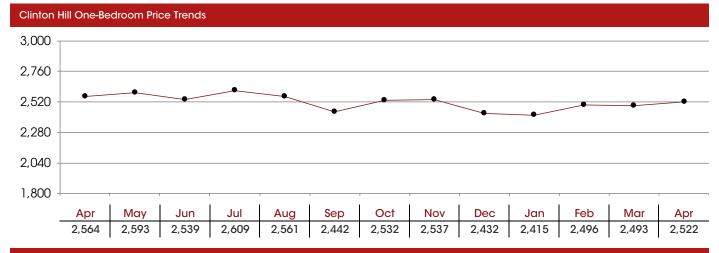


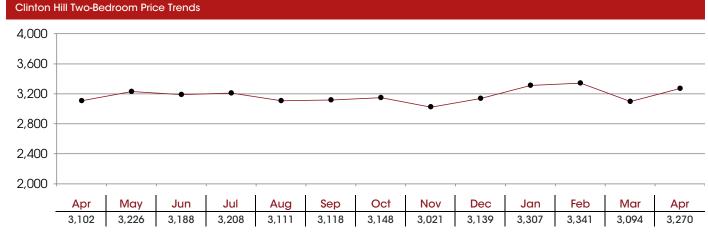


#### CLINTON HILL

• The average rental price in Clinton Hill grew by an impressive 4.32% during April. This growth was the result of higher-end inventory coming onto market in conjunction with lower-end inventory exiting the market, which led to upward pressure on pricing.



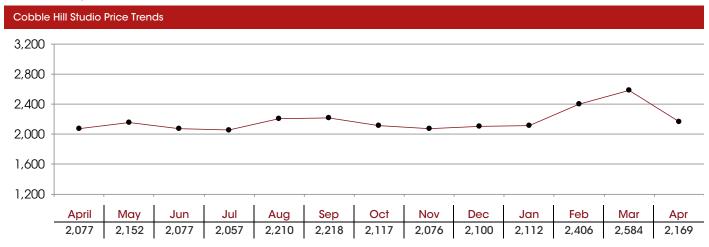


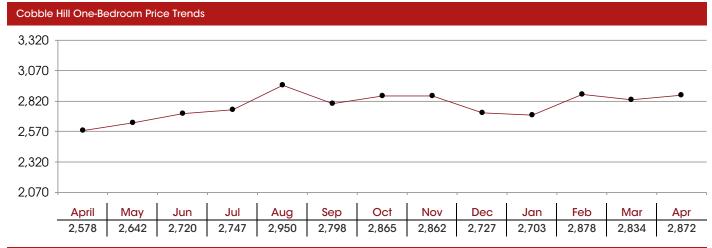


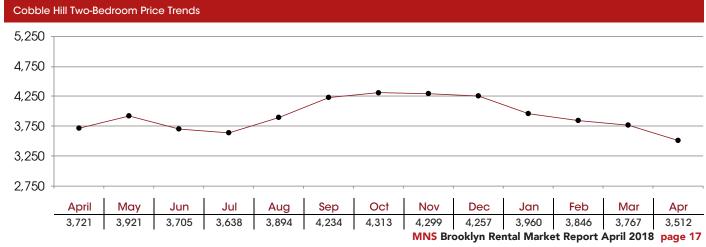


#### COBBLE HILL

• The average rental price in Cobble hill experienced a marked drop during April, falling by 6.87%. This drop occurred as a direct result of over-priced and over-sized inventory being taken off the market, leaving rental prices in the area to adjust. Rental prices in Cobble Hill are expected to stabilize in the upcoming months.







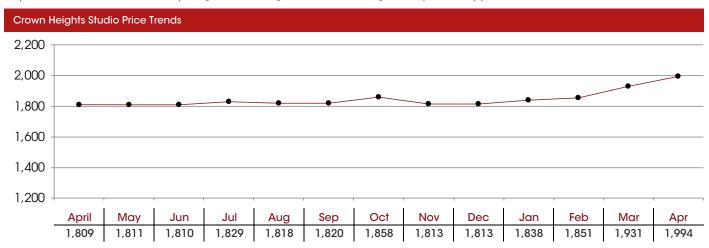
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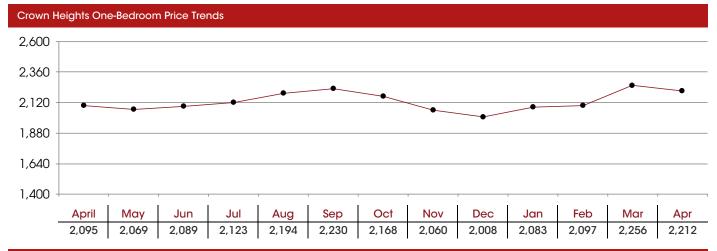
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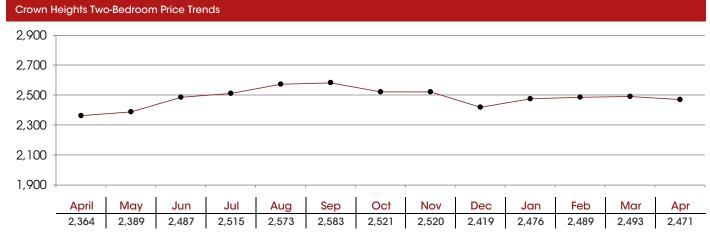


### CROWN HEIGHTS

• April was a stable month for rental pricing in Crown Heights, where the average rental price fell by just 0.07%.



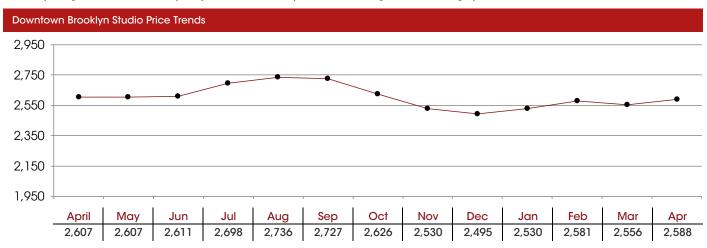


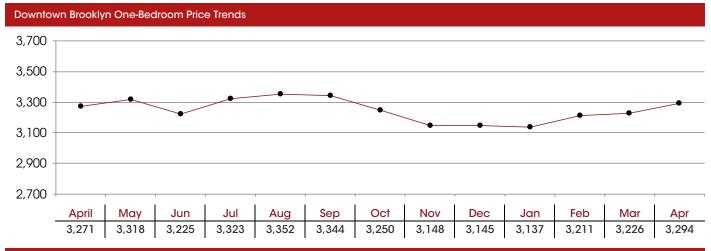


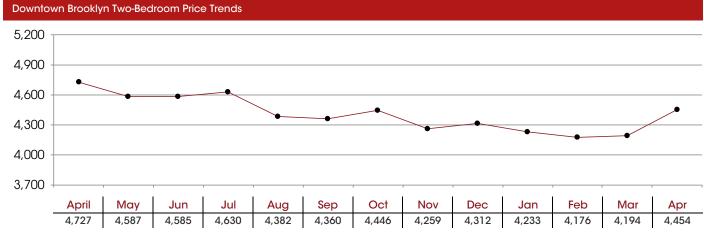


#### DOWNTOWN BROOKLYN

• Rental pricing in Downtown Brooklyn experienced a solid April with the average rent increasing by 3.61%.







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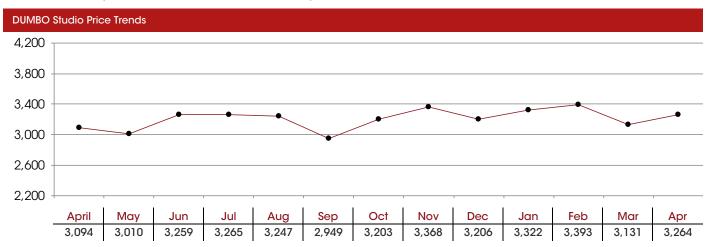
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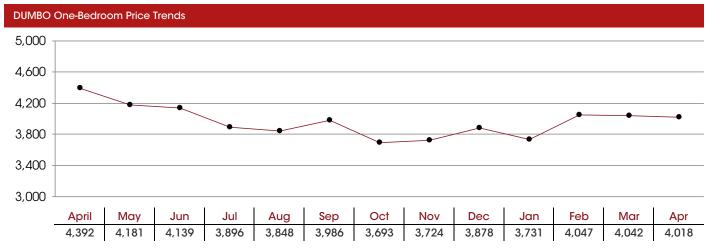
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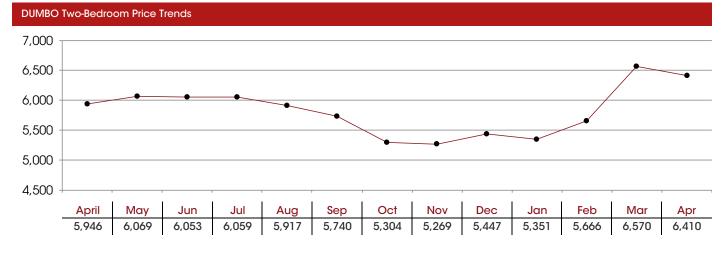


#### DUMBO

• The average rental price in DUMBO fell by just 0.37% during April.



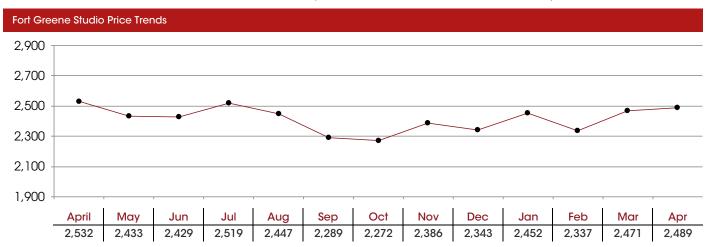


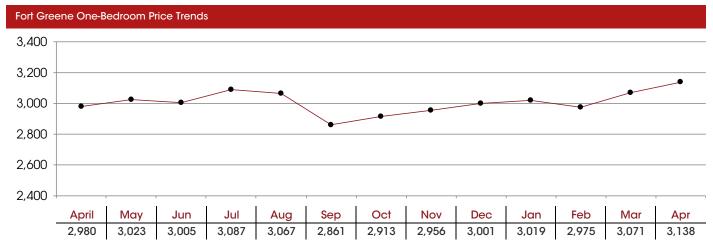


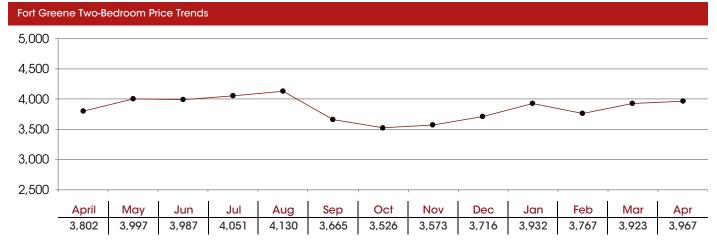


#### FORT GREENE

• Carrying over some momentum from March, the average rental price in Fort Greene increased by 1.36% during April.







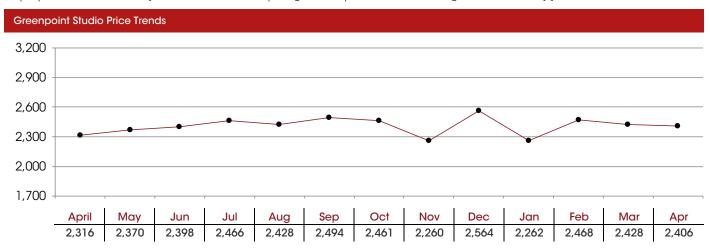
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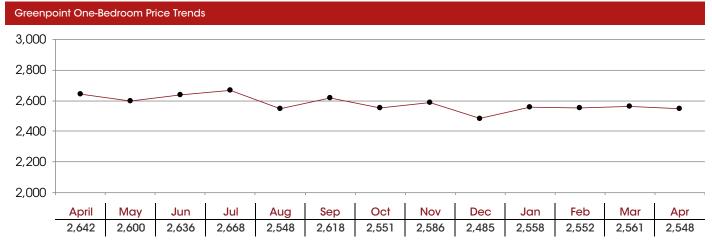
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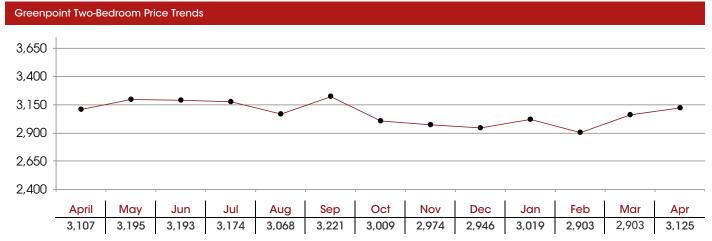


#### GREENPOINT

· April proved to be a relatively stable month for rental pricing in Greenpoint, where the average rent increased by just 0.34%.



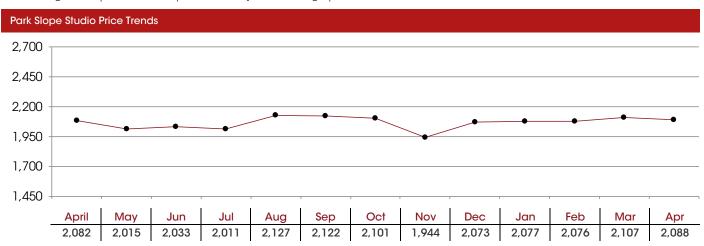


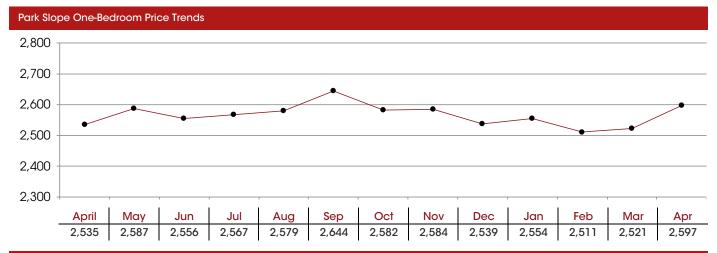


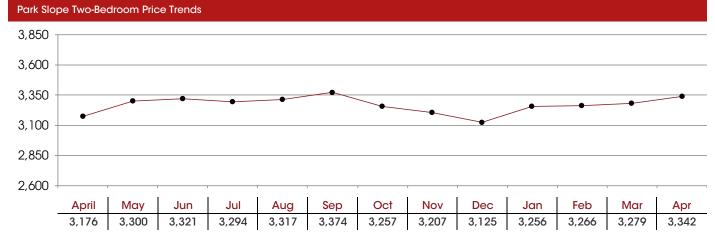


## PARK SLOPE

• The average rental price in Park Slope increased by 1.52% during April.







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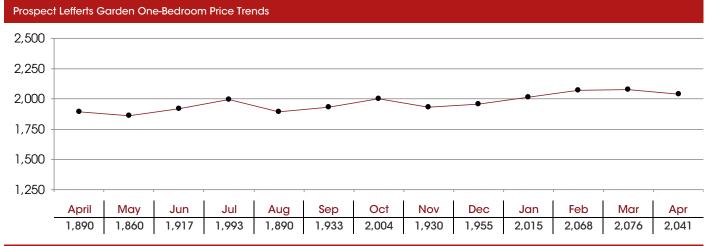
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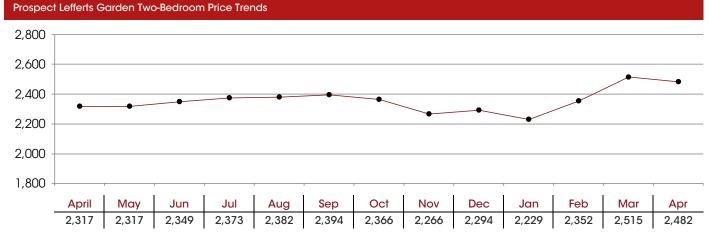


### PROSPECT-LEFFERTS GARDENS

• After two months of sustained growth, the average rental price in Prospect Lefferts Gardens grew by just 0.13% during the month of April.



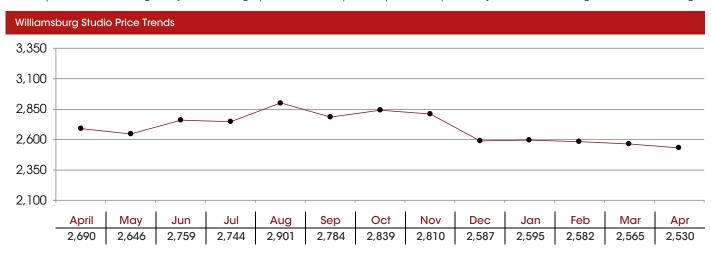


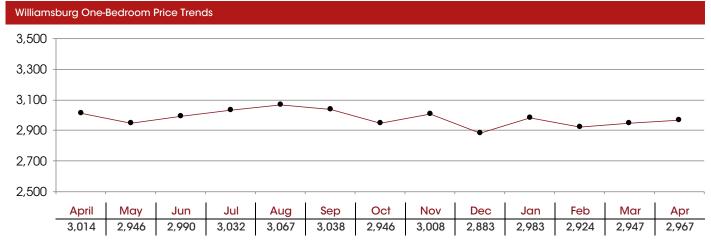


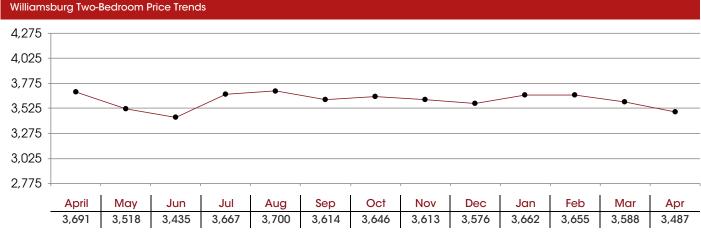


## WILLIAMSBURG

• Rental prices in Williamsburg fell by 1.26% during April. Some of this price drop can be explained by an increase in listings in East Williamsburg.



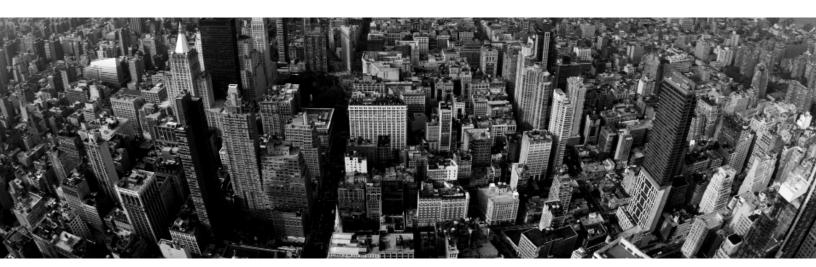






### THE REPORT EXPLAINED

The Brooklyn Rental Market Report<sup>™</sup> compares fluctuation in the borough's rental data on a monthly basis. It is an essential tool for potential renters seeking transparency in the Brooklyn apartment market and a benchmark for landlords to efficiently and fairly adjust individual property rents in Brooklyn.



The Brooklyn Rental Market Report™ is based on a cross-section of data from available listings and priced under \$10,000, with ultraluxury property omitted to obtain a true monthly rental average. Our data is aggregated from the MNS proprietary database and sampled from a specific mid-month point to record current rental rates offered by landlords during that particular month. It is then combined with information from the REBNY Real Estate Listings Source (RLS), OnLine Residential (OLR.com) and R.O.L.E.X. (Real Plus).

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