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INTRODUCTION

We are proud to present MNS' tenth annual Year End Report for Manhattan, the summation of a year's worth of data collected from our monthly Manhattan Rental Market Reports. We hope you find these pages useful in determining the rental trends of Manhattan's major neighborhoods, as well as the overall climate of the Manhattan rental market during the course of 2016.

Manhattan rental prices rose more often than they fell this year; however, changes were not as great as they were in 2015. This year, studio non doorman prices increased by 4.2%, the largest increase of any sector this year. Comparatively, these prices increased by 5.1% last year and were not the largest increase. This year, one bedroom non doorman prices increased by 3.1%, compared to by 6.6% last year. This year, two bedroom non doorman prices decreased by 0.5%, compared to increasing by 10.2% last year.

Doorman prices were very stable this year, and the changes would be considered stable even if they occurred over a one month span. Studio, one bedroom, and two bedroom doorman unit prices increased by 0.5% and 0.02%, and decreased by 1.2%, respectively. Compare to 7.4%, 4.7% and 5.5% price changes in 2015 and the stability is even further illustrated.

The Financial District's non doorman sector saw great changes this year. Studio and one bedroom prices rose drastically; by 17.3% and 7.6%, respectively, and two bedroom prices decreased by 7.9%. Developments like 50 West Street and 111 Washington Street added more units to the market. Harlem non doorman prices increased across all unit sizes. Studio prices increased by 8.0%, one bedroom prices increased by 6.1%, and two bedroom prices increased by 5.1%. 6W126 brought 29 new units to Harlem, Circa Central Park brought 38 units, and 272MA brought 57 more units. SoHo and TriBeCa non doorman prices also changed a lot, but since inventory in these neighborhoods is so low, large percentage swings are to be expected. Greenwich Village doorman prices changed this year, as studio prices increased by 7.6%, and one bedroom prices increased by 6.4% (two bedroom prices decreased by 1.3%). Harlem doorman prices decreased across all unit sizes, by 1.97% (studio prices), 4.2% (one bedroom prices), and 8.7% (two bedroom prices). The largest decrease in doorman prices over the last year was in the price of Lower East Side two bedroom units, and prices decreased by 12.8%. However, inventory here is so low that large percentage changes are to be expected.

Inventory increased by 12% this year, from 8760 units in December of 2015 to 9,807 units in December of 2016. Doorman inventory decreased by 3.1% after increasing by 17.8% last year. This is a drop of 160 units, from 5,145 units to 4,985 units. Non doorman inventory increased by 33.4% after increasing by 14.0% last year. This is an increase of 1,207 units from 3,615 units to 4,822 units. Non doorman markets were smallest in The Financial District and TriBeCa, where total non doorman units were less than forty units each. Also, Battery Park City's nondoorman inventory is so low that analysis is conducted only on their doorman market. Doorman markets were low in SoHo, the Lower East Side, Gramercy, and the East Village, where inventory of doorman units was less than 100 units.

2016 was certainly an exciting year for Manhattan Real Estate. Noteworthy developments of 2016 include 30 Park Place in TriBeCa, which contains 157 units over 82 stories. 50 West Street in the Financial District contains 191 units and is 64 stories high. Several infrastructure developments coming up in the next years will test the market of 2017. The L train shutdown, for instance, will leave residents of Williamsburg who are already paying high rents out of easy transportation into Manhattan. The 2nd Avenue Subway Line, which opened right at the tail end of 2016, is making the commuter friendly borough even more accessible. How developers will take advantage of such changes will only be revealed over the next year.



NOTABLE TRENDS

Growth Rate Prices in Manhattan were the highest in August, when the average price for a unit was \$3,232.33. They were the lowest in February, when the average price was \$2,918.34. By April, prices exceeded \$3,000 a month and did not decrease below that threshold for the rest of the year. Non doorman prices increased by an average of 2.3%, and doorman prices decreased by an average of 0.3%.

Borough Trends Inventory increased this year, from 8,760 units to 9,807 units. The doorman sector actually decreased by 160 units, but the non doorman sector increased by 1,207 units. Smaller bedrooms tend to see larger price increases than their larger counterparts.

Non-Doorman Manhattan Rents: 2015 vs. 2016			
Туре	2015	2016	Change
Studios	\$2,438	^{\$} 2,541	1 4.2%
One-Bedrooms	\$3,138	\$3,234	1 3.1%
Two-Bedrooms	\$4,309	\$4,288	↓ 0.5%

Doorman Manhattan Rents: 2015 vs. 2016				
Туре	2015	2016	Change	
Studios	\$3,065	\$3,080	↑ 0.5%	
One-Bedrooms	§4,225	\$4,226	↑ 0.0%	
Two-Bedrooms	§6,248	\$6,170	↓ 1.2%	



MEAN RENTAL PRICES

2016 Mean Manhattan Rental Prices

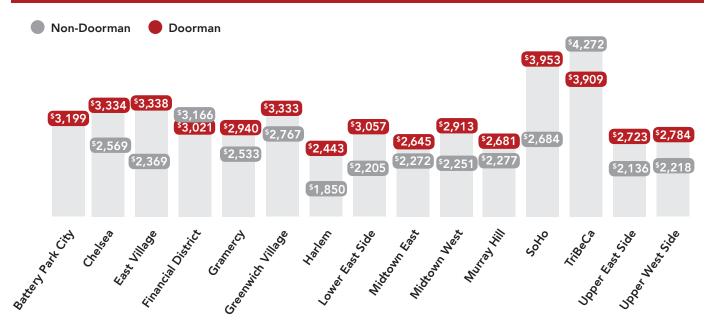


Non-Doorman Studio \$2,541 Non-Doorman One-Bedroom \$3,234 Non-Doorman Two-Bedroom \$4,288



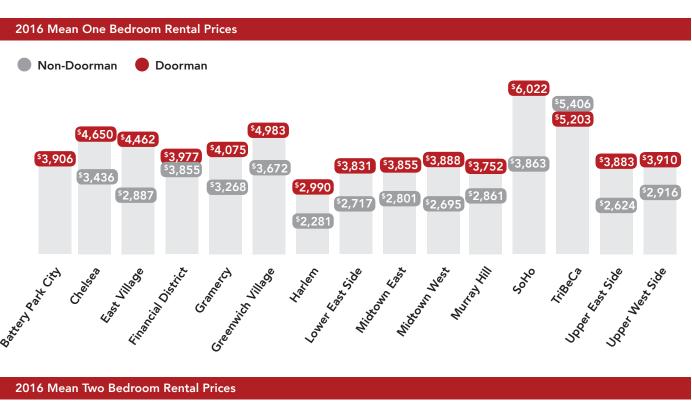
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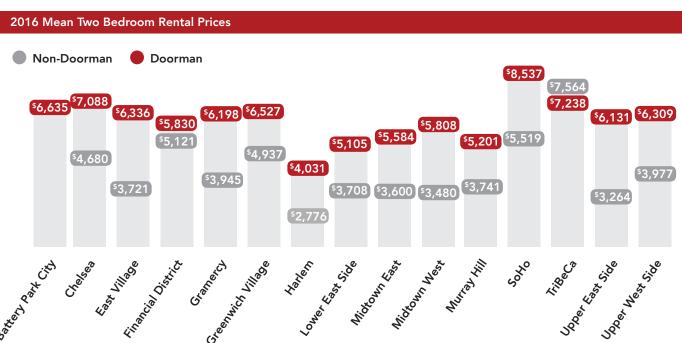
2016 Mean Studio Rental Prices





MEAN RENTAL PRICES







Battery Park City Price Changes of 2016*			
Туре	Non-Doorman	Doorman	
Studios	not available	↑ 3.93%	
One-Bedrooms	not available	♦ 0.53%	
Two-Bedrooms	not available	♦ 0.08%	

Chelsea Price Changes of 2016*				
Туре	Non-Doorman	Doorman		
Studios	↑ 0.60%	↑ 0.41%		
One-Bedrooms	↑ 0.36%	↓ 0.11%		
Two-Bedrooms	↓ 2.72%	↓ 0.61%		

East Village Price Changes of 2016*			
Туре	Non-Doorman	Doorman	
Studios	↑ 5.72%	↑ 0,72%	
One-Bedrooms	1 4.48%	↓ 0.93%	
Two-Bedrooms	† 3.11%	↓ 1.42%	

Financial District Price Changes of 2016*			
Туре	Non-Doorman	Doorman	
Studios	↑ 17.29%	♦ 0.83%	
One-Bedrooms	↑ 7.56%	↓ 0.40%	
Two-Bedrooms	↓ 7.92%	1 .60%	

^{*} This figure represents the percentage change in pricing from 2015 to 2016 for each unit type.



Gramercy Park Price Changes of 2016*			
Туре	Non-Doorman	Doorman	
Studios	↑ 6.06%	1 .80%	
One-Bedrooms	1 4.76%	↓ 2.86%	
Two-Bedrooms	↓ 0.64%	↓ 5.10%	

Greenwich Village Price Changes of 2016*			
Туре	Non-Doorman	Doorman	
Studios	↑ 3.78%	↑ 7.56%	
One-Bedrooms	↓ 0.96%	↑ 6.40%	
Two-Bedrooms	↓ 0.90%	↓ 1.30%	

Harlem Price Changes of 2016*				
Туре	Non-Doorman	Doorman		
Studios	↑ 8.04%	↓ 1.97%		
One-Bedrooms	↑ 6.14%	↓ 4.24%		
Two-Bedrooms	↑ 5.06%	↓ 8.71%		

Lower East Side Price Changes of 2016*			
Туре	Non-Doorman	Doorman	
Studios	↑ 2.04%	↑ 3.12%	
One-Bedrooms	1 4.43%	↓ 2.54%	
Two-Bedrooms	↑ 3.53%	↓ 12.82%	

^{*} This figure represents the percentage change in pricing from 2015 to 2016 for each unit type.



Midtown East Price Changes of 2016*			
Туре	Non-Doorman	Doorman	
Studios	1 .36%	↓ 2.58%	
One-Bedrooms	↑ 0.18%	↑ 0.36%	
Two-Bedrooms	↓ 5.18%	↓ 0.18%	

Midtown West Price Changes of 2016*			
Туре	Non-Doorman	Doorman	
Studios	↑ 1.63%	↓ 1.31%	
One-Bedrooms	↑ 0.26%	↓ 2.36%	
Two-Bedrooms	↓ 1.34%	↓ 3.29%	

Murray Hill Price Changes of 2016*			
Туре	Non-Doorman	Doorman	
Studios	↑ 0.32%	↓ 1.27%	
One-Bedrooms	↑ 0.10%	↓ 1.94%	
Two-Bedrooms	↓ 5.49%	↓ 4.41%	

SoHo Price Changes of 2016*			
Туре	Non-Doorman	Doorman	
Studios	↓ 8.77%	♦ 6.54%	
One-Bedrooms	↑ 5.39%	↑ 0.60%	
Two-Bedrooms	↑ 6.80%	↑ 5.47%	

^{*} This figure represents the percentage change in pricing from 2015 to 2016 for each unit type.



TriBeCa Price Changes of 2016*			
Туре	Non-Doorman	Doorman	
Studios	1 3.84%	1 .67%	
One-Bedrooms	↑ 5.28%	† 5.05%	
Two-Bedrooms	♦ 0.82%	1 4.59%	

Upper East Side Price Changes of 2016*			
Туре	Non-Doorman	Doorman	
Studios	1 .29%	↑ 0.45%	
One-Bedrooms	↑ 0.39%	↑ 0.50%	
Two-Bedrooms	↓ 1.76%	↑ 0.88%	

Upper West Side Price Changes of 2016*			
Туре	Non-Doorman	Doorman	
Studios	1 .90%	♦ 0.80%	
One-Bedrooms	1 2.88%	↓ 0.02%	
Two-Bedrooms	↑ 5.60%	↑ 1.22%	

^{*} This figure represents the percentage change in pricing from 2015 to 2016 for each unit type.



Average Prices Over The Year



Battery Park City NA Chelsea \$3,318 East Village \$3,244 Financial District \$3,391 Gramercy Park \$3,284

Greenwich Village \$3,360 Harlem (\$3,162) Lower East Side \$3,241

Midtown East \$3,243 Midtown West \$3,234 Murray Hill \$3,255 SoHo \$3,404

TriBeCa \$3,641

Upper East Side \$3,224 Upper West Side (\$3,275)



Battery Park City \$4,580 Chelsea \$5,024 East Village \$4,712 Financial District \$4,276 Gramercy Park \$4,404

Greenwich Village \$4,948 Harlem \$3,155 Lower East Side \$3,998 Midtown East \$4,028 Midtown West \$4,203

Murray Hill \$3,878 SoHo \$6,234 TriBeCa \$5,450 Upper East Side \$4,246 Upper West Side \$4,334



REPORT EXPLAINED



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