# CITYREALTY Monthly Market Report 

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## Summary

The average sales price of a Manhattan apartment was virtually unchanged in the four weeks leading up to November 1, and the number of sales was also fairly static. The average price for an apartment-taking into account both condo and co-op sales-was \$1.9 million, as it had been the prior month. The number of recorded sales, 924 , represented a small drop from the 935 recorded in the preceding month.

## AVERAGE SALES PRICE CONDOS AND CO-OPS \$1.9 Million

The average price of a condo was $\$ 2.7$ million and the average price of a co-op was $\$ 1.2$ million. There were 410 condo sales and 514 co-op sales.


The top sale this month was of unit PH20 in the new Chelsea development 551W21, which sold for $\$ 38.1$ million. The three-bedroom, three-and-a-half bath unit totals 6,419 square feet, working out to a price-per-square-foot of $\$ 5,928$ for the unit.

The second most expensive sale this month was in The Plaza, where unit 2009 sold for $\$ 32.7$ million. The four-bedroom, 6,316-square-foot condo had initially been listed for \$49.9 million in 2015.

The third most expensive sale this month was in the Upper East Side condop the Carlton House, where unit 15A sold for $\$ 17.3$ million. The four-bedroom, four-and-a-half bathroom unit totals 4,649 square feet.


MOST EXPENSIVE SALES


551 West 21 st Street, \#PH20
3 beds, 3.5 baths
Approx. 6,419 ft² $\left(\$ 5,928 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}\right)$


The Plaza
1 Central Park South, \#2009
4 beds, 4.5 baths
Approx. 6,316 ft² $\left(\$ 5,177 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}\right)$


## Carlton House

21 East 61st Street, \#15A
4 beds, 4.5 baths
Approx. 4,649 ft ${ }^{2}\left(\$ 3,710 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}\right)$

## Summary, Cont.

The number of residential sales was down very slightly in the four weeks leading up to November 1, and the aggregate sales total, $\$ 1.8$ billion, was unchanged from the prior month. The building with the most aggregate sales recorded this month was One West End, which saw $\$ 110$ million in sales over 35 closings.

Manhattan Residential Unit and Aggregate Sales Totals, Past 12 Months


## Top Buildings by Aggregate Sales

| BUILDING | AGGREGATE SALES | TOTAL UNITS SOLD | AVG PPSF | AVG SALE PRICE |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| One West End | $\$ 109,902,394$ | 35 | $\$ 1,919$ | $\$ 3,140,068$ |
| 252 East 57th Street | $\$ 72,271,838$ | 9 | $\$ 2,638$ | $\$ 8,030,204$ |
| 551 W21 | $\$ 55,053,728$ | 2 | $\$ 13$ | $\$ 27,526,864$ |
| Citizen360 | $\$ 34,636,546$ | 3 | $\$ 3,196$ | $\$ 2,664,350$ |
| 42 Crosby Street | $\$ 28,255,044$ | 3 | $\$ 3,446$ | $\$ 78,348$ |
| Madison Square Park Tower | $\$ 23,382,758$ | 5 | $\$ 2,279$ | $\$ 4,674,796$ |
| 100 Barrow Street | $\$ 23,373,980$ | 7 | $\$ 3,049,557$ |  |
| 200 E 62 | $\$ 21,346,902$ | 6 | $\$ 3,551$ | $\$ 2,561,747$ |
| The Sorting House | $\$ 15,370,484$ | 2 | $\$ 7,503,000$ |  |

## Manhattan Condo Sales Summary

## 30-Day Total Sales by Region



Downtown was the highest-grossing region in Manhattan, with \$353 million in condominium sales. Midtown was the second highest-grossing area, with $\$ 244$ million in sales. Downtown also had the highest price/ $\mathrm{ft}^{2}, \$ 2,148 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}$, while Midtown had the second-highest, $\$ 1,823 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}$.

| DOWNTOWN | $30-$ DAY <br> PRICE AVG* | SALES / PAST <br> 30 DAYS |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Chelsea | $\$ 2,216 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}(+17 \%)$ | 20 |
| East Village | $\$ 1,907 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}(+30 \%)$ | 4 |
| Flatiron/Union Square | $\$ 2,299 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}(+12 \%)$ | 12 |
| Gramercy Park | $\$ 1,526 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}(-64 \%)$ | 6 |
| Greenwich Village | $\$ 1,874 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}(-21 \%)$ | 3 |
| SoHo | $\$ 2,484 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}(-21 \%)$ | 7 |


| MIDTOWN | $30-$ DAY <br> PRICE AVG* | SALES / PAST <br> $30 ~ D A Y S ~$ |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Midtown East | $\$ 2,199 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}(-19 \%)$ | 22 |
| Midtown West | $\$ 1,898 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}(+1 \%)$ | 42 |
| Murray Hill | $\$ 1,275 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}(-8 \%)$ | 16 |
| Turtle Bay/United Nations | $\$ 1,382 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}(+2 \%)$ | 6 |


| UPPER EAST SIDE | $30-$ DAY <br> PRICE AVG* | SALES / PAST <br> 30 DAYS |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Carnegie Hill | $\$ 1,917 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}(+11 \%)$ | 8 |
| Lenox Hill | $\$ 1,656 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}(+4 \%)$ | 32 |
| Yorkville | $\$ 1,495 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}(+11 \%)$ | 37 |


| UPPER WEST SIDE | $30-$ DAY <br> PRICE AVG* | SALES / PAST <br> 30 DAYS |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Broadway Corridor | $\$ 1,661 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}(-26 \%)$ | 22 |
| Lincoln Center | $\$ 1,630 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}(-7 \%)$ | 9 |
| Riverside Dr. / West End Ave. | $\$ 1,814 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}(+1 \%)$ | 52 |


|  | $30-D A Y$ <br> FINANCIAL DISTRICT / BPC | SALES / PAST <br> PRICE AVG* |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 30ttery Park City | $\$ 1,295 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}(+10 \%)$ | 9 |
| Financial District | $\$ 1,370 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}(-11 \%)$ | 19 |

Avg Price / Ft² by Region


## New Developments

New development condo prices averaged $\$ 2,086 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}$ this month, compared to $\$ 1,634 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}$ for non-new development condominium sales. The average price, $\$ 4.1$ million, represented an increase over the average last month, $\$ 3.6$ million. There were 124 new development sales this month, virtually the same as the 127 recorded in the prior month. The price/ft ${ }^{2}$ of new apartments was $19 \%$ lower than it was a year ago, when it was $\$ 2,569 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}$, and down slightly from last month, when it was $\$ 2,095 / \mathrm{ft}^{2}$. The aggregate sales total of new developments was $\$ 507$ million.

New Development vs All Other Condos


New Developments by Region


AVERAGE SALES PRICE \$4.1M AVERAGE PPSF \$2,086 -.4\% MONTH-OVER-MONTH

AGGREGATE SALES \$507M
49\% OF AGGREGATE CONDO SALES
\# OF NEW DEV. UNIT SALES
124
30\% OF ALL CONDO UNIT SALES

## Luxury Manhattan Condo Contract Signings Above \$2,000 Per Square Foot

Monthly Period: November 1 - November 30, 2017


Luxury Contracts Signed In Past 6 Months (\$2,000+ Per Square Foot)


Luxury Contracts by Price Category, Past 90 Days


## Snapshot


"The View" co-host Joy Behar paid \$2.4 million for a contemporary apartment at the Lincoln Square condo 62 West 62nd Street. The 1,314-squarefoot unit has two bedrooms and a private balcony with Central Park views.
"This American Life" host Ira Glass has put his Chelsea home on the market for $\$ 1.75$ million, a year after he and his wife were sued by their condo board for an alleged bedbug and rodent infestation. The listing states that the one-bedroom unit at 159 West 24th Street is "newly gut renovated and unoccupied."
"The Good Wife" star Josh Charles purchased a three-bedroom apartment at the Greenwich Village condo Devonshire House, at 28 East 10th Street, for $\$ 6.3$ million. The actor recently sold a two-bedroom condo at 42 East 12 th Street for $\$ 3.75$ million.

When I started writing and had some success, I wanted to have a bedroom door that closed, in part because when you write at home as I do, your laptop and your job are always 10 feet away. "

"Real Housewives of New York City" star Bethenny Frankel has put her condo at 22 Mercer Street in Soho on the rental market for $\$ 13,000$ per month. Frankel first tried to sell the two-bedroom apartment for $\$ 5.25$ million in February; in addition to being offered for rent, the loft is also available for purchase at a reduced price of $\$ 4.95$ million.


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