# The Corcoran Report

#### JUNE 2021 | MANHATTAN | **RENTAL MARKET**

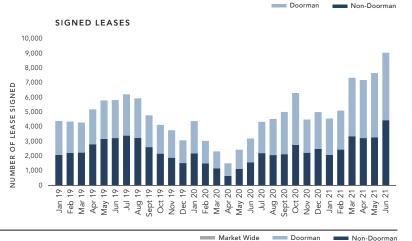
#### June 2021: Strongest Month for Leasing Activity in Recent Years.

June's leasing activity was driven by pent up demand and the expanding renter pool as the city fully reopens. Availability grew versus last month due to new listings just now hitting the market. June marked the 12th month where median rents fell on an annual basis. The presence of fresh listings and rents recalibrated to today's market allowed days on market to fall to its lowest point since July 2020.

#### Leases Signed.

8,99	5	+184% VS. J +18% VS.	
Doorman	4,588	183%	YoY
Non-Doorman	4,407	186%	YoY

Nearly 9,000 leases were reported signed this month, and both doorman and non-doorman figures reached new highs. The anticipation of the city's full reopening drove the uptick in leasing activity, with some renters even signing leases on apartments sight unseen. The annual gains were exaggerated compared to last year when in-person showings resumed towards the end of the month.



#### Rent Rates \_\_\_\_\_

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Median			
Doorman	\$3,750	-3%	YoY
Non-Doorman	\$2,500	-14%	YoY
Average			
Doorman	\$4,664	3%	YoY
Non-Doorman	\$3,004	-17%	YoY

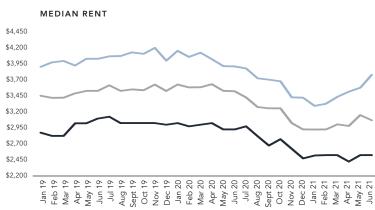
Overall median rent fell again by double-digits year-over-year. Doorman median rent, while still below last year, has experienced monthly gains since the beginning of the year. Non-Doorman median rent was forced to remain low in order to maintain occupancy.

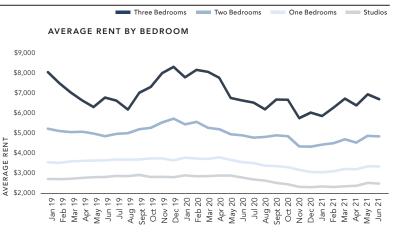
#### \$3,450 \$3,200 \$2,950 MEDIAN RENT \$2,700 \$2,450

# Average Rent by Bedroom \_\_\_\_

Studios	\$2,452	-11%	YoY
One Bedrooms	\$3,320	-6%	YoY
Two Bedrooms	\$4,830	-1%	YoY
Three Bedrooms	\$6,709	1%	YoY

In Manhattan, average rent for larger residences, which reached their low point in late 2020, were nearly level with last year. Studio and one bedroom rents continue to be below last year in order to entice renters in the more price sensitive segments.





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#### Active Listings \_\_\_\_\_

15,79	94		VS. JUNE 2020 VS. MAY 2021
February 2021	March 2021	April 2021	May 2021
19,610	15,508	13,638	14,913

At nearly 15,800 listings, the figure was up 6% from last month and nearly double last June. New vacancies and the release of inventory previously held off the market drove the total available units higher, though compared to the peak, inventory was 54% lower.



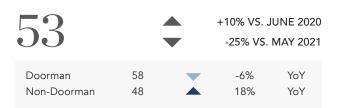
### Visible Vacancy\_\_\_\_\_

3.49	%		VS. JUNE 2020 VS. MAY 2021
February 2021	March 2021	April 2021	May 2021
4.36%	3.85%	3.19%	3.58%

Visible vacancy decreased only slightly from last month and was up by less than 1% versus a year ago. Despite high inventory levels, robust leasing activity helped to keep vacancy from increasing month- over-month.



# Days on Market \_



Days on market expanded versus last year as there were nearly double the number of options for renters to choose from. However, days on market in general has trended down since the peak in January 2021. Days on market for doorman listings actually dipped below last year's figure.



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#### June 2021: Lease activity significantly improved across all neighborhoods compared to a year ago.

Midtown East, where activity had been lagging, saw the largest annual gain and for the first time in eleven months vacancy in this submarket fell below 5%. Average rents in the city's priciest neighborhoods of Soho/Tribeca is actually 15% above 2020 levels.

### Leases Signed by Neighborhood \_\_\_\_\_

	June 2021	June 2020	YoY	ANNUAL CHANGE IN LEASES SIGNED	
Upper East Side	1,387	483	187%	Upper East Side	
Upper West Side	1,094	403	171%	Upper West Side	
Midtown East	616	122	405%	Midtown East	
Midtown West	991	366	171%	Midtown West	
Murray Hill / Kips Bay	674	219	208%	Murray Hill / Kips Bay	
Chelsea / Flatiron	938	327	187%	Chelsea / Flatiron	
Gramercy	304	72	322%	Gramercy	
Greenwich Village / West Village	580	185	214%	Greenwich Village / West Village	
East Village / Lower East Side	699	233	200%	East Village / Lower East Side	
SoHo / TriBeCa	356	120	197%	SoHo / TriBeCa	
Financial District / Battery Park City	566	189	199%	Financial District / Battery Park City	
Harlem / Morningside Heights	575	320	80%	Harlem / Morningside Heights	
Inwood / Washington Heights	213	125	70%	Inwood / Washington Heights	
				0% 100% 200% 300%	400%

### Average Rent by Neighborhood \_\_\_\_\_

	June 2021	June 2020	YoY	ANNUAL CHANGE IN AVERAGE RENT
Upper East Side	\$3,299	\$4,088	-19%	Upper East Side
Upper West Side	\$4,079	\$4,037	1%	Upper West Side
Midtown East	\$3,592	\$3,824	-6%	Midtown East
Midtown West	\$3,754	\$3,827	-2%	Midtown West
Murray Hill / Kips Bay	\$3,156	\$3,907	-19%	Murray Hill / Kips Bay
Chelsea / Flatiron	\$4,561	\$4,901	-7%	Chelsea / Flatiron
Gramercy	\$3,670	\$4,417	-17%	Gramercy
Greenwich Village / West Village	\$4,339	\$4,552	-5%	Greenwich Village / West Village
East Village / Lower East Side	\$3,537	\$4,329	-18%	East Village / Lower East Side
SoHo / TriBeCa	\$7,456	\$6,480	15%	SoHo / TriBeCa
Financial District / Battery Park City		\$4,330	3%	Financial District / Battery Park City
Harlem / Morningside Heights	\$2.645	\$2,839	-7%	Harlem / Morningside Heights
Inwood / Washington Heights	\$2,143	\$2,200	-3%	Inwood / Washington Heights
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### Vacancy by Neighborhood \_\_\_\_\_

	June 2021	June 2020	YoY		JUN	E 2021	VACA	NCY				
Upper East Side	3.20%	2.08%	1.1%	Upper East Side								
Upper West Side	3.34%	2.07%	1.3%	Upper West Side								
Midtown East	4.98%	3.20%	1.8%	Midtown East								
Midtown West	4.21%	2.41%	1.8%	Midtown West								
Murray Hill / Kips Bay	2.59%	2.01%	0.6%	Murray Hill / Kips Bay								
Chelsea / Flatiron	4.19%	3.41%	0.8%	Chelsea / Flatiron								
Gramercy	2.18%	3.00%	-0.8%	Gramercy								
Greenwich Village / West Village	2.26%	2.79%	-0.5%	Greenwich Village / West Village								
East Village / Lower East Side	4.28%	5.03%	-0.8%	East Village / Lower East Side								
SoHo / TriBeCa	3.89%	2.95%	0.9%	SoHo / TriBeCa								
Financial District / Battery Park City	2.69%	1.78%	0.9%	Financial District / Battery Park City								
					0%	1%	2%	3%	4%	5%	6%	

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