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New Yorkers Get Condos of All Styles and Types This Fall

From One-Bedroom to Five-Bedroom Apartments, Plus Townhouses

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fall is mixed.

On the one hand, in the second quarter of 2017, sales jumped 15.2% year-on-year in Manhattan, according to the latest report by Douglas

uch like the weather this time of year, New York's real estate forecast for

Elliman Real Estate. New development closings rose over 10%, accounting for 17.6% of market share. The average and median new development prices reached record highs in Manhattan as well as in Brooklyn, where the median sales price rose over 20%, to \$795,000, a record.

But according to Douglas Elliman, there's also been an increase of inventory in the new development category, as resales of existing apartments, the strongest category, went down, and we saw the lowest volume of all-cash sales in three years.

Undoubtedly, the market stalled over the summer, punctuated by one week in August when, according to the weekly Olshan Report, no contracts for homes over \$10 million were signed, something that hadn't happened since Oct. 29, 2012, the week Superstorm Sandy hit.

Of course, a lot of that bad news could be seasonal (wealthy New Yorkers tend to leave town as much as possible during the summer, after all). As temperatures cool and everyone comes back to the city, it remains to be seen what will happen.

One thing is for sure, buyers will have many choices, with projects of all types—and across many neighborhoods launching sales in the coming months.

3. 27 East 79th St., Upper East Side



This boutique project has a prime Upper East Side location, half a block from Central Park. Developed by Adellco and designed by Cabinet Alberto Pinto, this collection of eight duplexes is set to launch sometime this fall.

Number of units: 8

Price range: Starting at \$5.1 million

Developer: Adellco

Apartment sizes: Full floor and duplex residences

Amenity: 24-hour doorman

Website: 27e79.com

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