102 Ultra-Affordable Units Up for Grabs in Greenpoint, Starting at \$368 a Month



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A third affordable housing lottery has opened at Park Tower Group's neighborhood-transforming mega-project Greenpoint Landing in Greenpoint. This one is for 102 ultra-affordable units at <u>5 Blue Slip</u>; the entire building will consist of affordable housing.

Monthly rents and income caps are on the low end of the scale for affordable housing in Brooklyn. Rents range from \$368 for a studio to \$860 for a two-bedroom. Incomes for applicants will need to fall within a range of \$13,955 for one person to \$45,300 per year for households of four people.

## AVAILABLE UNITS AND INCOME REQUIREMENTS

Unit Size	COME	Monthly Rent <sup>1</sup>	Units Avail- able		House- hold Size <sup>2</sup>	Annual Household Income <sup>3</sup> Minimum – Maximum <sup>4</sup>	COME	Monthly Rent <sup>1</sup>	Units Avail- able		House- hold Size <sup>2</sup>	Annual Household Income <sup>3</sup> Minimum – Maximum <sup>4</sup>
Studio	30% AREA MEDIAN INCOME (AMI) UNITS	\$368	2	<b>→</b>	1 person	\$13,955 - \$ 19,050	40% AREA MEDIAN INCOME (AMI) UNITS	\$519	3	<b>→</b>	1 person	\$ 19,132 - \$ 25,400
1 bedroom		\$396	3	<b>→</b>	1 person	\$ 14,949 - \$ 19,050		\$558	4	<b>→</b>	1 person	\$ 20,503 - \$ 25,400
					2 people	\$ 14,949 - \$ 21,750					2 people	\$ 20,503 - \$ 29,000
2 bedroom		\$482	5	<b>→</b>	2 people	\$ 17,932 - \$ 21,750		\$676	8	<b>→</b>	2 people	\$ 24,583 - \$ 29,000
					3 people	\$ 17,932 - \$ 24,480					3 people	\$ 24,583 - \$ 32,640
					4 people	\$ 17,932 - \$ 27,180					4 people	\$ 24,583 - \$ 36,240
Unit Size	COME	Monthly Rent <sup>1</sup>	Units Avail- able		House-	Annual Household		Monthly Rent <sup>1</sup>	Units Avail- able		House-	Annual Household
					hold Size <sup>2</sup>	Income³ Minimum – Maximum⁴	COME				hold Size <sup>2</sup>	Income <sup>3</sup> Minimum – Maximum⁴
Studio	N S	\$670	3	<b>→</b>	1 person	\$ 24,309 - \$ 31,750	N S	\$822	14	<b>→</b>	1 person	\$ 29,520 - \$ 38,100
1 bedroom	50% AREA MEDIAN INCOME (AMI) UNITS	\$720	4	<b>→</b>	1 person	\$ 26,058 - \$ 31,750	AREA MEDIAN INCOME (AMI) UNITS	\$882	18	<b>→</b>	1 person	\$ 31,612 - \$ 38,100
					2 people	\$ 26,058 - \$ 36,250					2 people	\$ 31,612 - \$ 43,500
2 bedroom		\$870	8	<b>→</b>	2 people	\$ 31,235 - \$ 36,250	IRE/	\$1,065	30	<b>→</b>	2 people	\$ 37,920 - \$ 43,500
					3 people	\$ 31,235 - \$ 40,800	60% A				3 people	\$ 37,920 - \$ 48,960
					4 people	\$ 31,235 - \$ 45,300	09				4 people	\$ 37,920 - \$ 54,360

Rental rates and eligibility guidelines for 5 Blue Slip. Chart via NYC Housing Connect

The six-story building will comprise 22 studio apartments, 29 one-bedroom apartments, and 51 two-bedroom apartments. The <u>lottery opened</u> October 28 and will run through December 29.

Amenities will include a laundry room, bicycle room, fitness room, and a shared landscaped courtyard. For half the apartments, preference will be given to applicants residing in Community Board 1.



5 Blue Slip under construction in March 2016. Photo by Field Condition

This is the third building in the 22-acre, 10-building complex to near completion, joining 21 Commercial Street and 33 Eagle Street. All three are affordable, low-rise, and developed in partnership with L+M Development, co-developers of the townhouses at Navy Green. Handel Architects, designers for the 10-building master plan, also designed these first three buildings.



Rendering by Handel Architects

Handel Architects is a large global firm focusing on urban projects. Projects include Manhattan's Dream Downtown Hotel, the World Trade Center Memorial, and the Ritz-Carlton in Georgetown in D.C. Manhattan-based Park Tower Group develops and manages real estate.

Once completed, the entire <u>Greenpoint Landing</u> complex will contain a whopping 5,500 units, 1,400 of which will be affordable. Also included in the development will be a waterfront park from James Corner Field Operations and a K-8 public school on the corner of Franklin and Dupont Street.

Interested applicants can apply for the lottery between now and December 29. To submit an application, visit <a href="NYC Housing Connect's website">NYC Housing Connect's website</a>, and be sure to read up on <a href="common mistakes and strategies for applying">common mistakes and strategies for applying</a>.