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SINGLE LIVING IN
URBAN AMERICA

Most single adults in the U.S. are content being on their own.

PLACES TO DECOMPRESS

EXCLUSIVE INTERVIEW

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THE BIG APPLE'S NEW CITY MANAGER AND ALL AROUND GOLDEN BOY ON PENDING REFORMS

THE GAME IS CHANGING

Socialization is more demanding even for many extroverts



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lthough the season of love may

dating apps a little bit more

intensely, let's collectively agree that not

having a "special someone" isn't a reason

cozying up with their honey at a romantic restaurant and planning cute date nights,

to sulk. Rather, while others might be

we've transcended into celebrating the

freedom and spontaneity of being un-

attached-and we'll die on the hill that

Whether you're in the mood to flex any-

skills to niche music knowledge or are de-

termined to remain unfazed by the dating

scene via letting loose with your besties on

a dance floor, there's something for every-

one in the Big Apple. Let's jumpstart your

next great love story! Here are the places

in New York City that singles mingle ac-

cording to *thrillist.com*.

thing from (let's be real) average pool

there's no better city to be single in.

have some of us swiping through

by Izzy Baskette

CITY GUIDES

Discover the best things to eat, drink, and do with our expertly curated city guides.

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PLACES SINGLES MINGLE

Café Balearica | Williamsburg

The Flower Shop | Lower East Side

Ginger's | Park Slope

Good Judy | Park Slope

Mood Ring | Bushwick

Ponyboy | Greenpoint

Ray's | Lower East Side

Twins Lounge | Greenpoint



Eavesdrop | Greenpoint

Wiggle Room | East Village

Bua | East Village

Dutch Kills | Long Island City

The Penrose | Upper East Side

Sophie's | Alphabet City

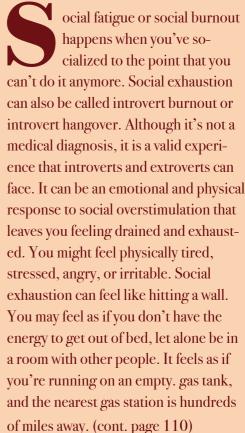
Union Pool | Williamsburg

169 Bar | Lower East Side



WAYS TO RECHARGE YOUR SOCIAL ENERGY





leaves you feeling drained and exhaust-