

# Monthly Indicators

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## May 2023

Existing-home sales slid for the second consecutive month, falling 3.4% nationwide as of last measure, according to the National Association of REALTORS® (NAR), as higher interest rates continue to impact buyer affordability. Sales are down 23% compared to the same period a year ago, while contract signings dropped 20.3% year-over-year. With sales cooling, buyers in some parts of the country have found relief in the form of declining sales prices, which are down 1.7% year-over-year nationally, although more affordable markets continue to see price gains.

New Listings in the Twin Cities region decreased 17.6 percent to 6,645. Pending Sales were down 19.3 percent to 4,901. Inventory levels fell 9.0 percent to 6,864 units.

Prices were fairly stable. The Median Sales Price decreased 1.3 percent to \$370,000. Days on Market was up 65.2 percent to 38 days. Buyers felt empowered as Months Supply of Homes for Sale was up 28.6 percent to 1.8 months.

While fluctuating interest rates have pushed some buyers to the sidelines, a shortage of inventory is also to blame for lower-than-average home sales this time of year, as current homeowners, many of whom locked in mortgage rates several percentage points below today's current rates, are delaying the decision to sell until market conditions improve. With only 2.9 months' supply heading into May, available homes are moving fast, with the typical home spending just over three weeks on the market, according to NAR.

## Quick Facts

**- 28.1%**      **- 1.3%**      **- 9.0%**

Change in  
Closed Sales      Change in  
Median Sales Price      Change in  
Inventory

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# Market Overview

Key market metrics for the current month and year-to-date.



| Key Metrics                       | Historical Sparklines (normalized) | 5-2022    | 5-2023           | + / -   | YTD 2022  | YTD 2023         | + / -   |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------|------------------|---------|-----------|------------------|---------|
| New Listings                      |                                    | 8,068     | <b>6,645</b>     | - 17.6% | 29,980    | <b>23,745</b>    | - 20.8% |
| Pending Sales                     |                                    | 6,075     | <b>4,901</b>     | - 19.3% | 23,967    | <b>18,145</b>    | - 24.3% |
| Closed Sales                      |                                    | 5,553     | <b>3,994</b>     | - 28.1% | 20,348    | <b>15,040</b>    | - 26.1% |
| Days on Market Until Sale         |                                    | 23        | <b>38</b>        | + 65.2% | 32        | <b>51</b>        | + 59.4% |
| Median List Price                 |                                    | \$389,900 | <b>\$400,000</b> | + 2.6%  | \$379,899 | <b>\$399,900</b> | + 5.3%  |
| Median Sales Price                |                                    | \$375,000 | <b>\$370,000</b> | - 1.3%  | \$359,900 | <b>\$359,900</b> | 0.0%    |
| Price Per Square Foot             |                                    | \$210     | <b>\$209</b>     | - 0.4%  | \$204     | <b>\$203</b>     | - 0.6%  |
| ShowingTime Housing Value Index   |                                    | \$254,587 | <b>\$292,276</b> | + 14.8% | --        | --               | --      |
| Pct. of Orig. List Price Received |                                    | 104.1%    | <b>101.1%</b>    | - 2.9%  | 102.6%    | <b>99.0%</b>     | - 3.5%  |
| Inventory of Homes for Sale       |                                    | 7,541     | <b>6,864</b>     | - 9.0%  | --        | --               | --      |
| Months Supply of Homes for Sale   |                                    | 1.4       | <b>1.8</b>       | + 28.6% | --        | --               | --      |

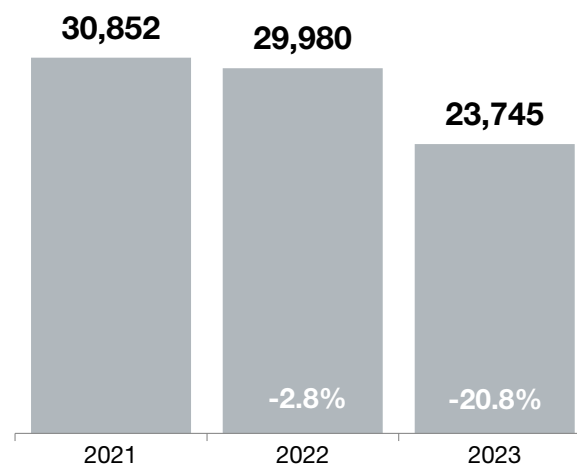
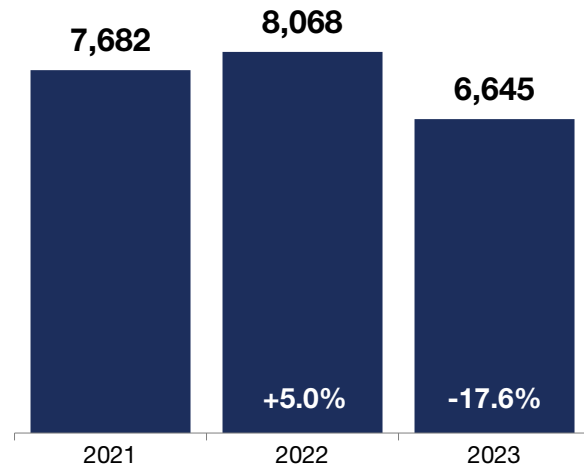
# New Listings

A count of the properties that have been newly listed on the market in a given month.



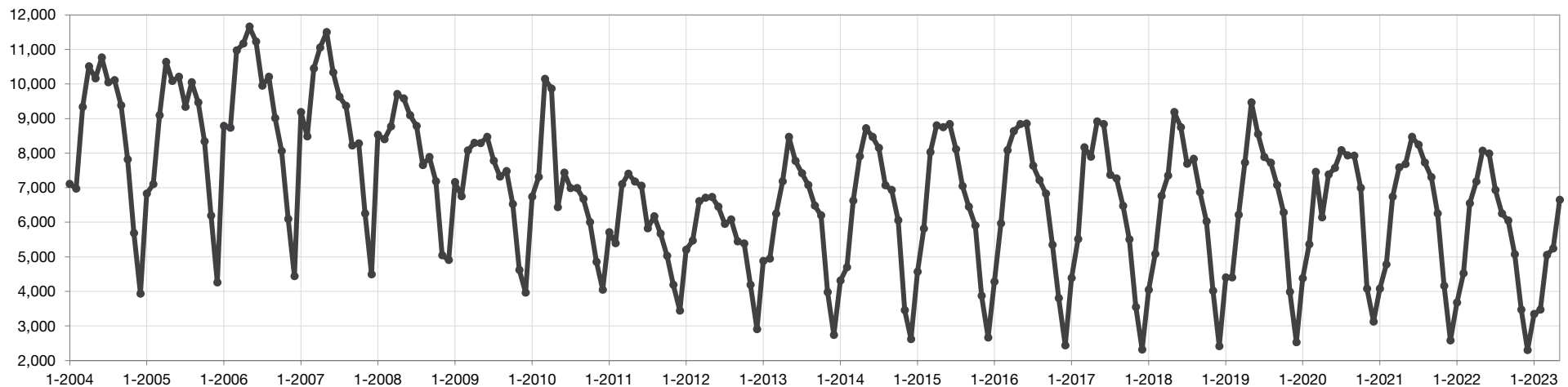
## May

## Year To Date



| New Listings   |       | Prior Year | Percent Change |
|----------------|-------|------------|----------------|
| June 2022      | 7,981 | 8,468      | -5.8%          |
| July 2022      | 6,932 | 8,244      | -15.9%         |
| August 2022    | 6,251 | 7,726      | -19.1%         |
| September 2022 | 6,051 | 7,304      | -17.2%         |
| October 2022   | 5,071 | 6,249      | -18.9%         |
| November 2022  | 3,473 | 4,160      | -16.5%         |
| December 2022  | 2,300 | 2,578      | -10.8%         |
| January 2023   | 3,338 | 3,675      | -9.2%          |
| February 2023  | 3,468 | 4,520      | -23.3%         |
| March 2023     | 5,052 | 6,546      | -22.8%         |
| April 2023     | 5,242 | 7,171      | -26.9%         |
| May 2023       | 6,645 | 8,068      | -17.6%         |
| 12-Month Avg   | 5,150 | 6,226      | -17.3%         |

## Historical New Listing Activity

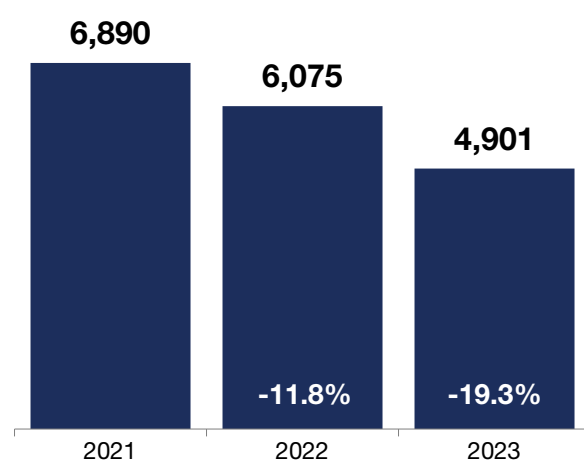


# Pending Sales

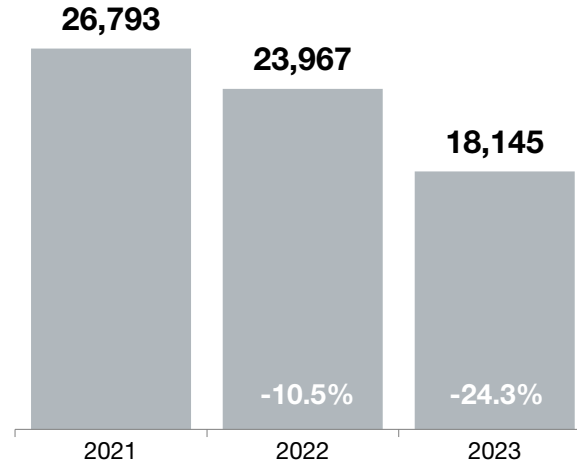
A count of the properties on which contracts have been accepted in a given month.



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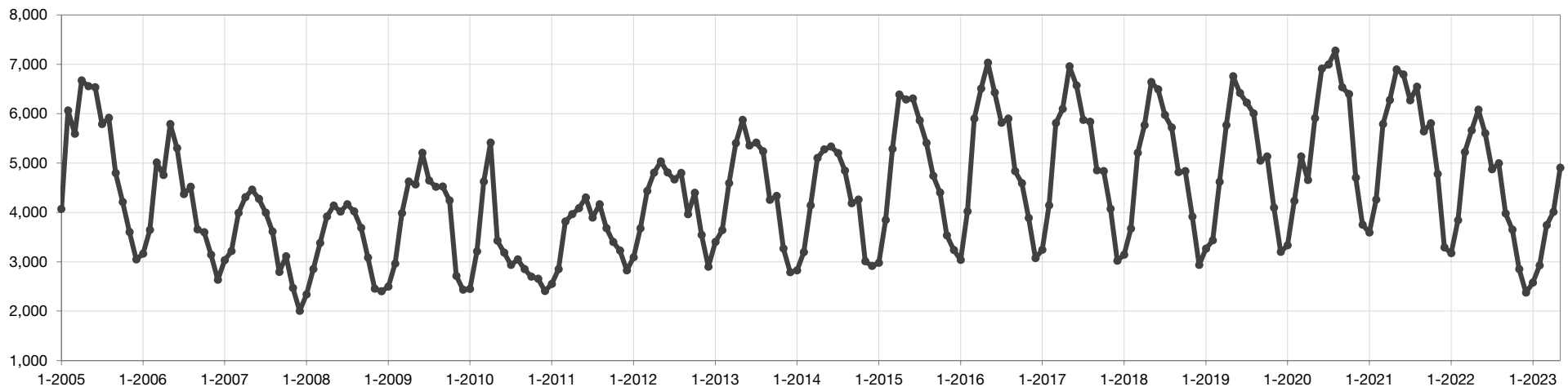


## Year To Date



| Pending Sales  |       | Prior Year | Percent Change |
|----------------|-------|------------|----------------|
| June 2022      | 5,601 | 6,791      | -17.5%         |
| July 2022      | 4,872 | 6,267      | -22.3%         |
| August 2022    | 4,993 | 6,541      | -23.7%         |
| September 2022 | 3,975 | 5,640      | -29.5%         |
| October 2022   | 3,647 | 5,800      | -37.1%         |
| November 2022  | 2,850 | 4,776      | -40.3%         |
| December 2022  | 2,373 | 3,286      | -27.8%         |
| January 2023   | 2,575 | 3,172      | -18.8%         |
| February 2023  | 2,923 | 3,841      | -23.9%         |
| March 2023     | 3,738 | 5,222      | -28.4%         |
| April 2023     | 4,008 | 5,657      | -29.1%         |
| May 2023       | 4,901 | 6,075      | -19.3%         |
| 12-Month Avg   | 3,871 | 5,256      | -26.3%         |

## Historical Pending Sales Activity

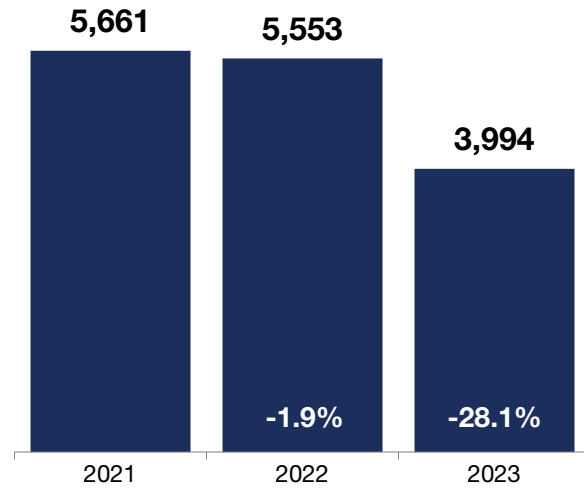


# Closed Sales

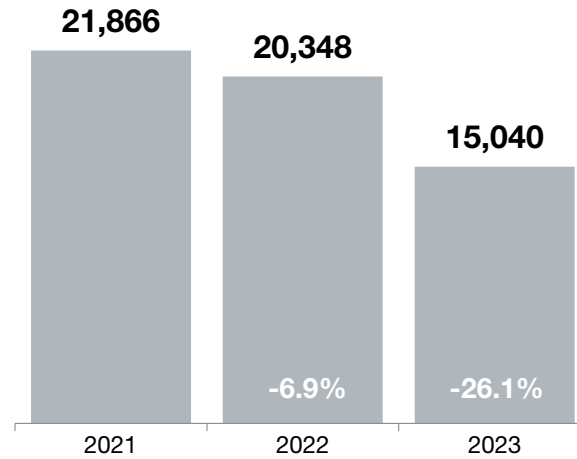
A count of the actual sales that have closed in a given month.



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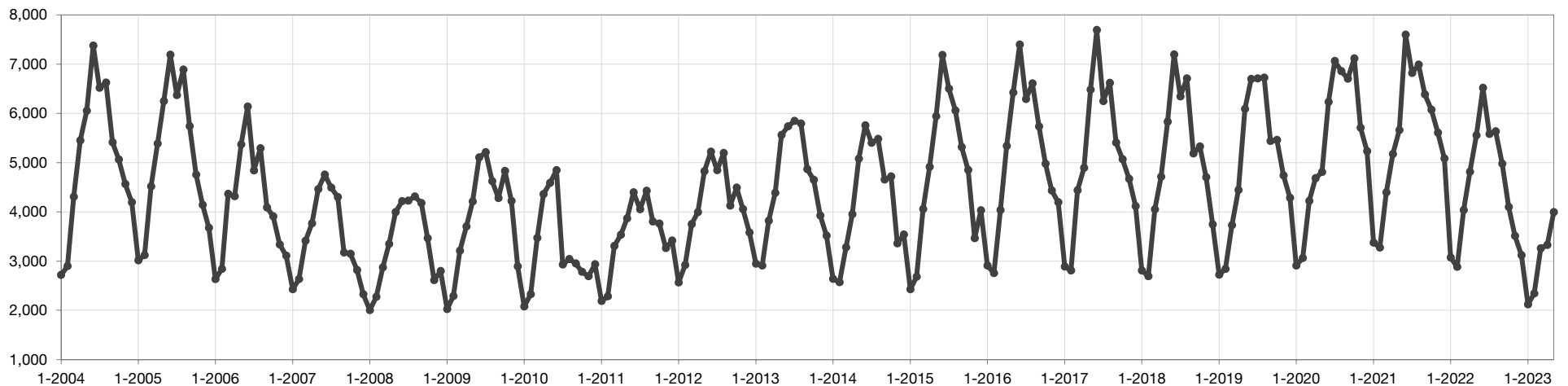


## Year To Date



| Closed Sales   |       | Prior Year | Percent Change |
|----------------|-------|------------|----------------|
| June 2022      | 6,516 | 7,594      | -14.2%         |
| July 2022      | 5,578 | 6,818      | -18.2%         |
| August 2022    | 5,634 | 6,988      | -19.4%         |
| September 2022 | 4,979 | 6,383      | -22.0%         |
| October 2022   | 4,100 | 6,072      | -32.5%         |
| November 2022  | 3,510 | 5,605      | -37.4%         |
| December 2022  | 3,121 | 5,082      | -38.6%         |
| January 2023   | 2,117 | 3,072      | -31.1%         |
| February 2023  | 2,343 | 2,879      | -18.6%         |
| March 2023     | 3,258 | 4,033      | -19.2%         |
| April 2023     | 3,328 | 4,811      | -30.8%         |
| May 2023       | 3,994 | 5,553      | -28.1%         |
| 12-Month Avg   | 4,040 | 5,408      | -25.8%         |

## Historical Closed Sales Activity



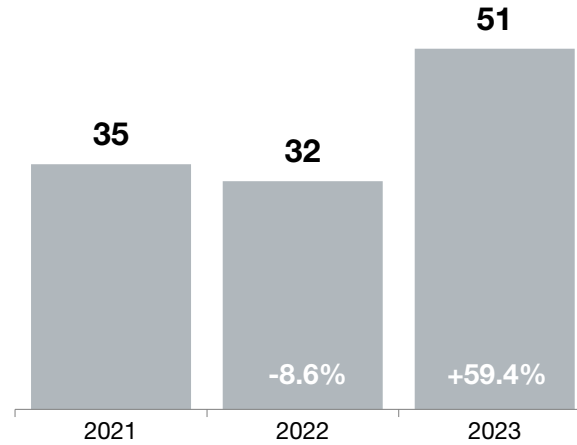
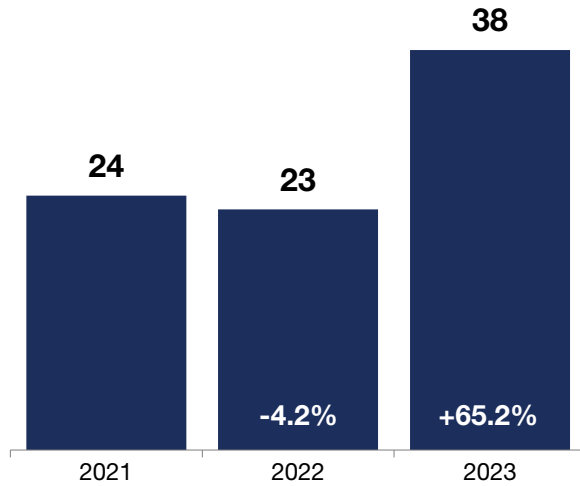
# Days on Market Until Sale

Average, cumulative number of days between when a property is listed and when an offer is accepted in a given month.



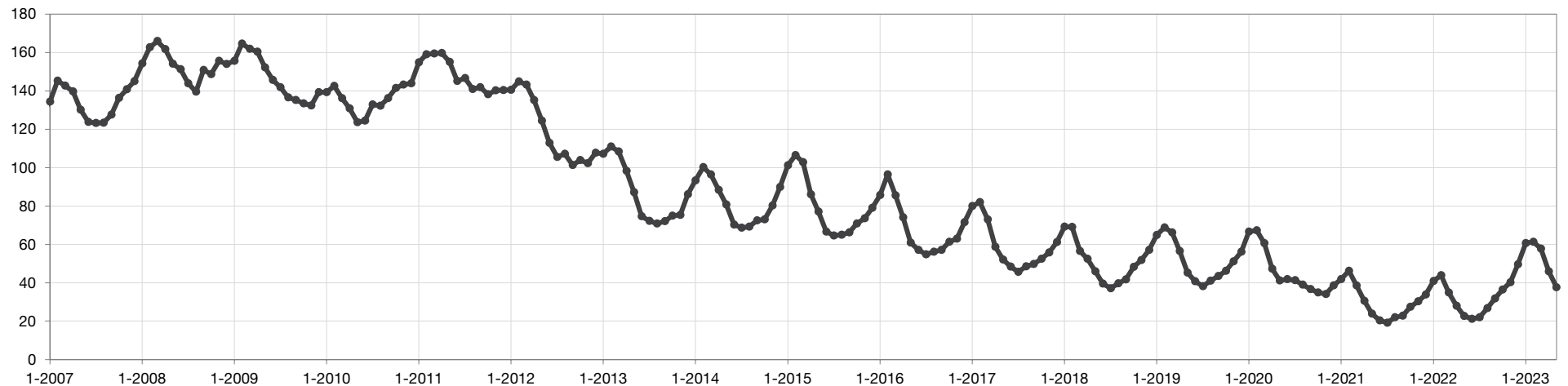
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| Days on Market |    | Prior Year | Percent Change |
|----------------|----|------------|----------------|
| June 2022      | 21 | 20         | +5.0%          |
| July 2022      | 22 | 19         | +15.8%         |
| August 2022    | 27 | 22         | +22.7%         |
| September 2022 | 32 | 23         | +39.1%         |
| October 2022   | 36 | 27         | +33.3%         |
| November 2022  | 40 | 30         | +33.3%         |
| December 2022  | 50 | 34         | +47.1%         |
| January 2023   | 61 | 41         | +48.8%         |
| February 2023  | 61 | 44         | +38.6%         |
| March 2023     | 58 | 35         | +65.7%         |
| April 2023     | 46 | 28         | +64.3%         |
| May 2023       | 38 | 23         | +65.2%         |
| 12-Month Avg   | 37 | 27         | +37.0%         |

## Historical Days on Market Until Sale



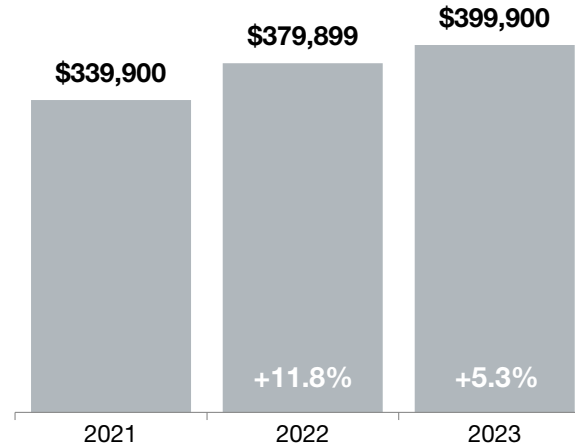
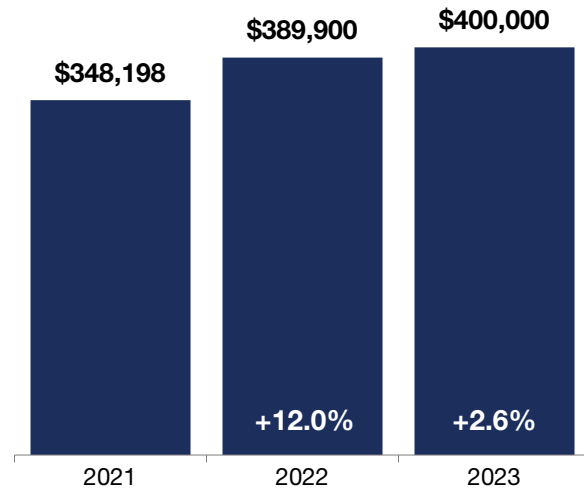
# Median Original List Price

Median original list price for all new listings in a given month. List prices can serve as a leading indicator of future price movement.



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## Year To Date



|                | Median Original List Price | Prior Year | Percent Change |
|----------------|----------------------------|------------|----------------|
| June 2022      | \$389,000                  | \$349,900  | +11.2%         |
| July 2022      | \$385,000                  | \$340,000  | +13.2%         |
| August 2022    | \$375,000                  | \$339,900  | +10.3%         |
| September 2022 | \$375,000                  | \$345,000  | +8.7%          |
| October 2022   | \$374,900                  | \$339,900  | +10.3%         |
| November 2022  | \$375,000                  | \$325,000  | +15.4%         |
| December 2022  | \$385,000                  | \$350,000  | +10.0%         |
| January 2023   | \$396,253                  | \$360,000  | +10.1%         |
| February 2023  | \$394,995                  | \$375,000  | +5.3%          |
| March 2023     | \$395,000                  | \$375,000  | +5.3%          |
| April 2023     | \$399,000                  | \$380,000  | +5.0%          |
| May 2023       | \$400,000                  | \$389,900  | +2.6%          |
| 12-Month Med   | \$389,000                  | \$350,000  | +11.1%         |

## Historical Median Original List Price

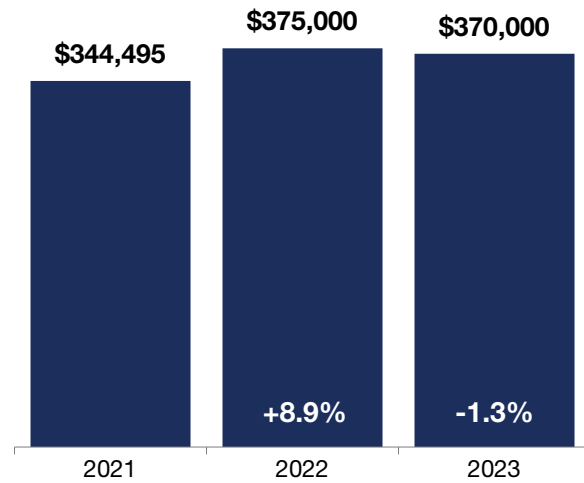


# Median Sales Price

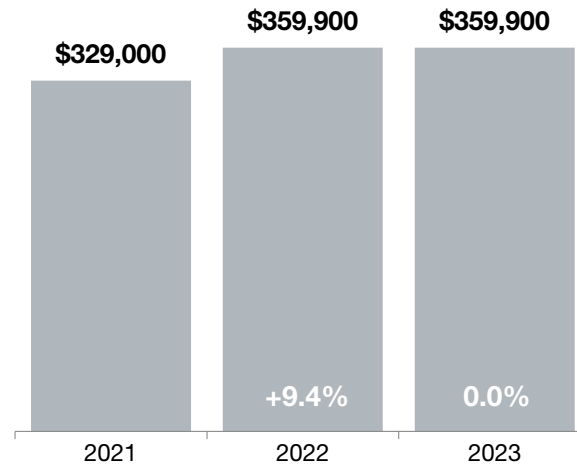
Median price point for all closed sales, not accounting for seller concessions, in a given month.



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|                | Median Sales Price | Prior Year | Percent Change |
|----------------|--------------------|------------|----------------|
| June 2022      | \$380,000          | \$350,000  | +8.6%          |
| July 2022      | \$375,000          | \$350,000  | +7.1%          |
| August 2022    | \$369,900          | \$350,000  | +5.7%          |
| September 2022 | \$362,100          | \$340,700  | +6.3%          |
| October 2022   | \$356,004          | \$340,000  | +4.7%          |
| November 2022  | \$354,900          | \$339,900  | +4.4%          |
| December 2022  | \$349,000          | \$331,500  | +5.3%          |
| January 2023   | \$342,000          | \$332,950  | +2.7%          |
| February 2023  | \$342,000          | \$340,000  | +0.6%          |
| March 2023     | \$355,000          | \$354,900  | +0.0%          |
| April 2023     | \$369,450          | \$370,000  | -0.1%          |
| May 2023       | \$370,000          | \$375,000  | -1.3%          |
| 12-Month Med   | \$364,000          | \$350,000  | +4.0%          |

## Historical Median Sales Price



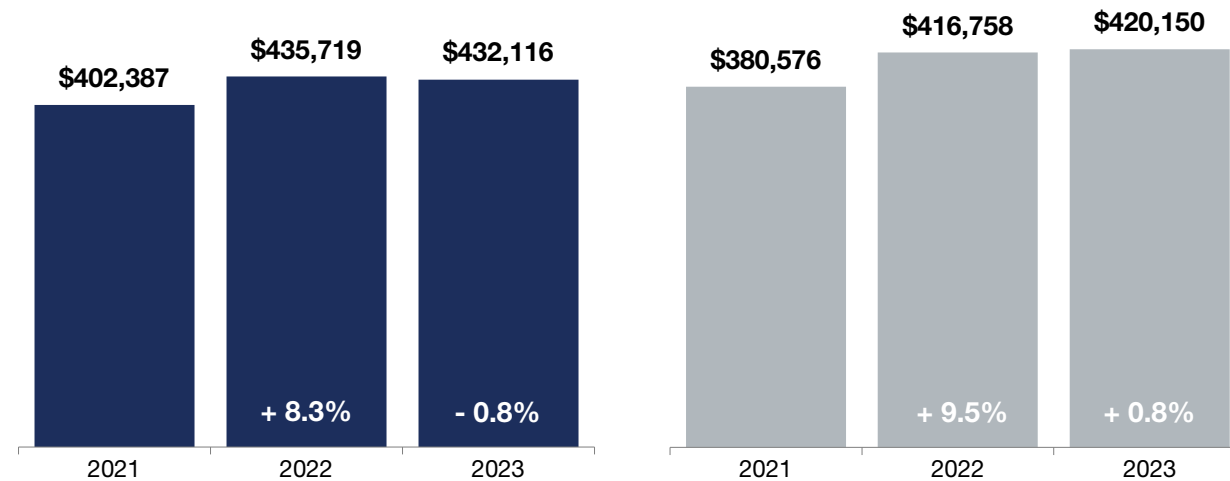
# Average Sales Price

Average sales price for all closed sales, not accounting for seller concessions, in a given month.



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## Year to Date



| Average Sales Price | Prior Year       | Percent Change         |
|---------------------|------------------|------------------------|
| June 2022           | \$448,305        | \$407,250 +10.1%       |
| July 2022           | \$434,251        | \$404,298 +7.4%        |
| August 2022         | \$430,127        | \$410,147 +4.9%        |
| September 2022      | \$424,794        | \$392,858 +8.1%        |
| October 2022        | \$420,563        | \$395,467 +6.3%        |
| November 2022       | \$419,623        | \$392,123 +7.0%        |
| December 2022       | \$412,655        | \$389,527 +5.9%        |
| January 2023        | \$411,411        | \$386,004 +6.6%        |
| February 2023       | \$400,112        | \$397,223 +0.7%        |
| March 2023          | \$417,862        | \$411,242 +1.6%        |
| April 2023          | \$427,689        | \$430,811 -0.7%        |
| <b>May 2023</b>     | <b>\$432,116</b> | <b>\$435,719 -0.8%</b> |
| 12-Month Avg        | \$426,682        | \$405,008 +5.4%        |

## Historical Average Sales Price



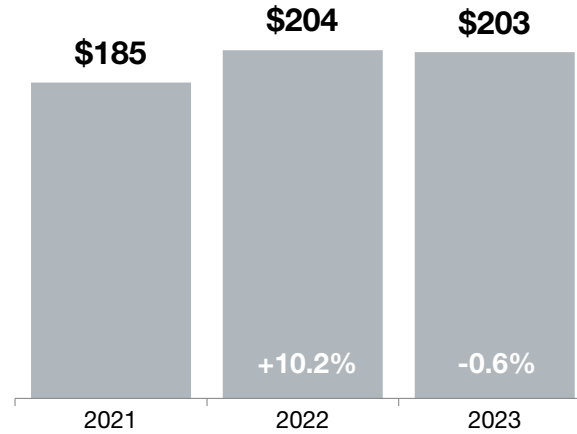
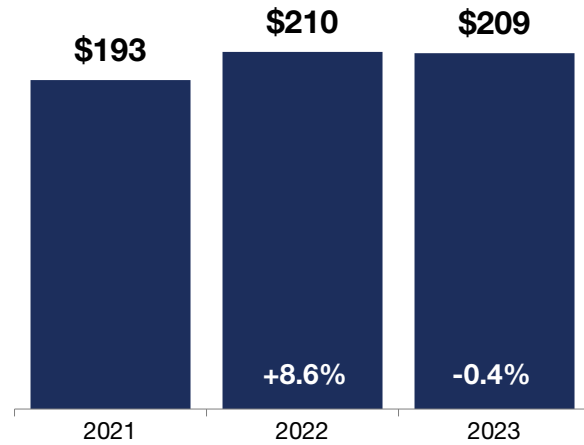
# Price Per Square Foot

The price per square foot of homes sold in a given month. Sold properties only. Does not account for seller concessions.



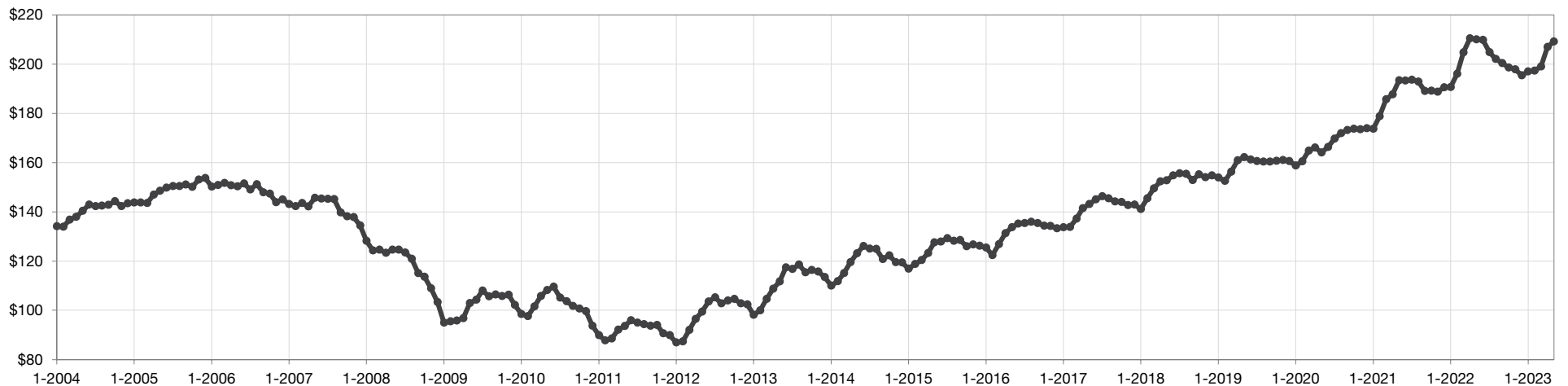
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## Year to Date



|                | Price Per Square Foot | Prior Year | Percent Change |
|----------------|-----------------------|------------|----------------|
| June 2022      | \$210                 | \$193      | +8.5%          |
| July 2022      | \$205                 | \$194      | +5.8%          |
| August 2022    | \$202                 | \$193      | +4.8%          |
| September 2022 | \$200                 | \$189      | +6.0%          |
| October 2022   | \$199                 | \$189      | +5.0%          |
| November 2022  | \$198                 | \$189      | +4.9%          |
| December 2022  | \$195                 | \$191      | +2.5%          |
| January 2023   | \$197                 | \$191      | +3.3%          |
| February 2023  | \$197                 | \$196      | +0.7%          |
| March 2023     | \$199                 | \$205      | -2.7%          |
| April 2023     | \$207                 | \$210      | -1.6%          |
| May 2023       | \$209                 | \$210      | -0.4%          |
| 12-Month Avg   | \$202                 | \$195      | +3.7%          |

## Historical Price Per Square Foot

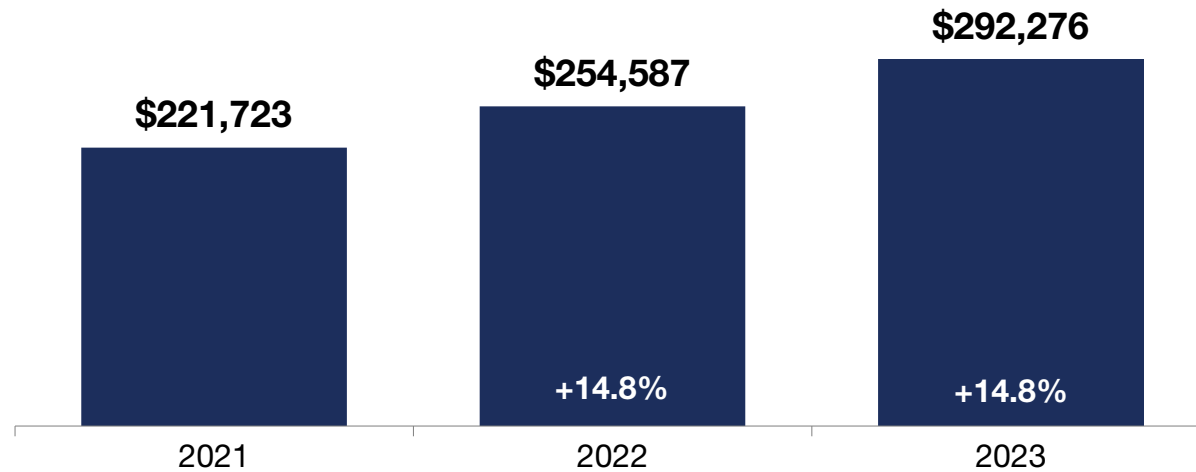


# ShowingTime Housing Value Index

The value index employs a multi-variate, linear regression methodology to determine specific weights that adjust for both seasonality and segment bias to arrive at a real, constant-quality view of home values. The index is set to the median sales price in January 2003.

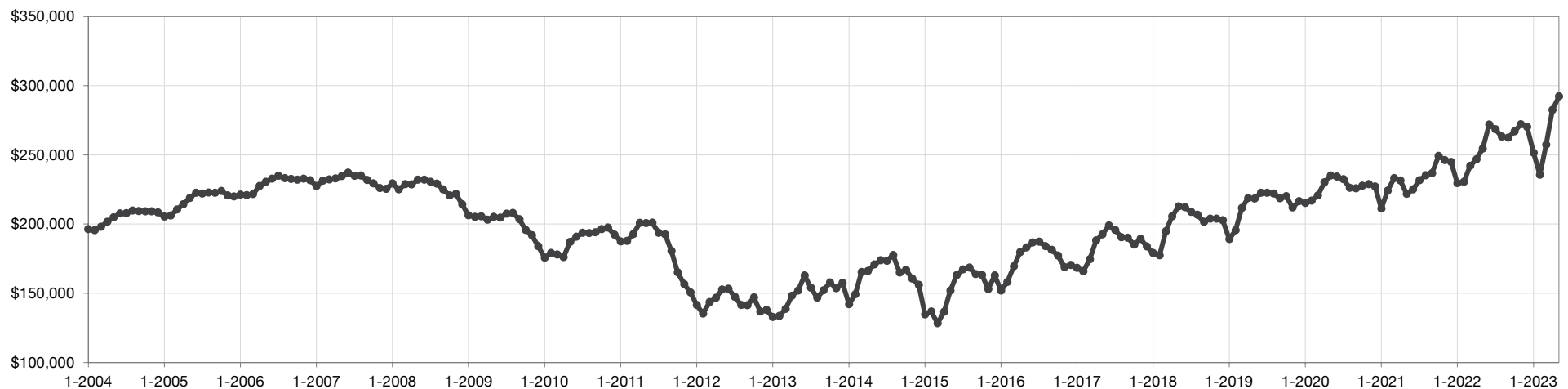


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| Housing Value Index |           | Prior Year | Percent Change |
|---------------------|-----------|------------|----------------|
| June 2022           | \$271,832 | \$225,059  | +20.8%         |
| July 2022           | \$268,543 | \$231,633  | +15.9%         |
| August 2022         | \$263,230 | \$235,139  | +11.9%         |
| September 2022      | \$262,395 | \$236,655  | +10.9%         |
| October 2022        | \$266,895 | \$249,180  | +7.1%          |
| November 2022       | \$272,115 | \$246,267  | +10.5%         |
| December 2022       | \$270,269 | \$244,873  | +10.4%         |
| January 2023        | \$251,416 | \$229,589  | +9.5%          |
| February 2023       | \$235,652 | \$230,585  | +2.2%          |
| March 2023          | \$257,330 | \$241,949  | +6.4%          |
| April 2023          | \$282,540 | \$246,823  | +14.5%         |
| May 2023            | \$292,276 | \$254,587  | +14.8%         |
| 12-Month Avg        | \$266,208 | \$239,362  | +11.2%         |

## Historical ShowingTime Housing Value Index

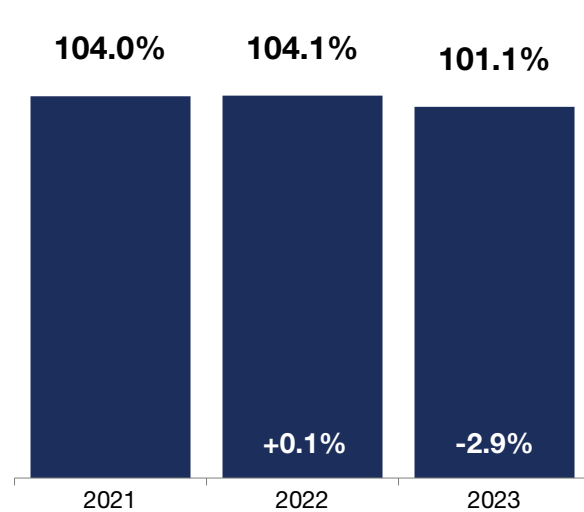


# Percent of Original List Price Received

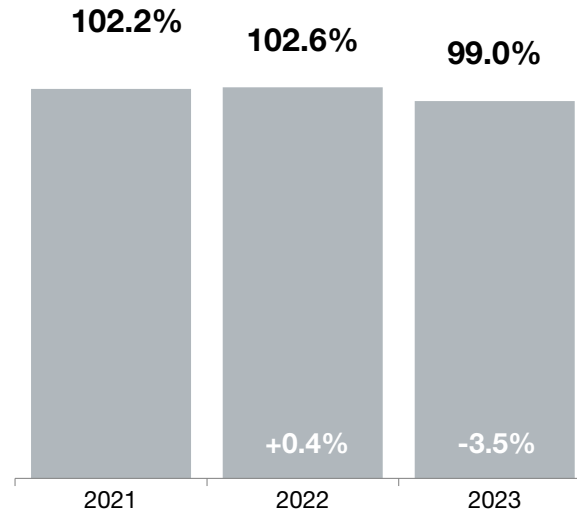
Percentage found when dividing a property's sales price by its original list price, then taking the average for all properties sold in a given month, not accounting for seller concessions.



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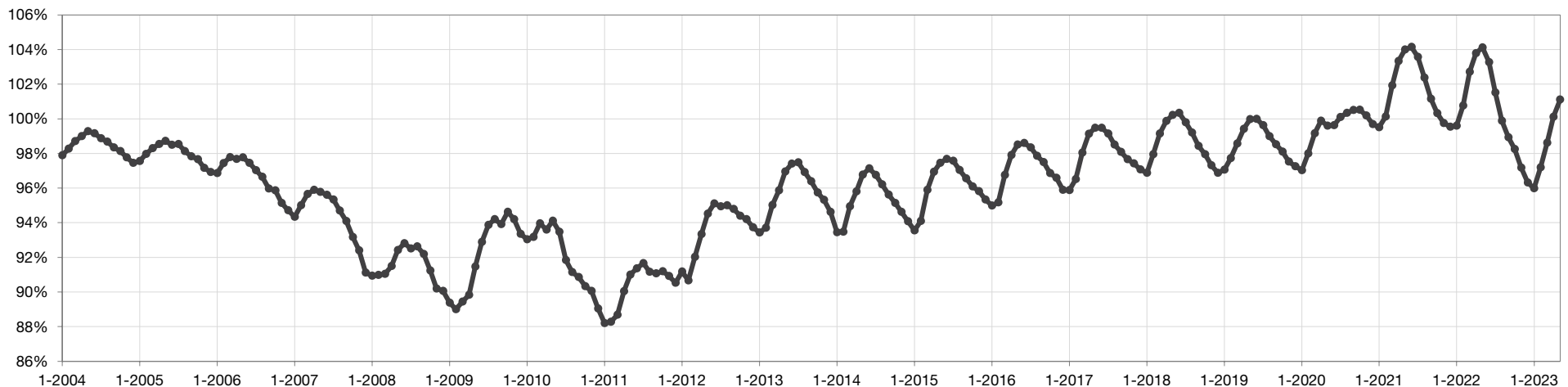


## Year to Date



|                 | Pct. Of Orig. List Price Rec'd | Prior Year    | Percent Change |
|-----------------|--------------------------------|---------------|----------------|
| June 2022       | 103.3%                         | 104.1%        | -0.8%          |
| July 2022       | 101.5%                         | 103.6%        | -2.0%          |
| August 2022     | 99.9%                          | 102.4%        | -2.4%          |
| September 2022  | 98.9%                          | 101.2%        | -2.3%          |
| October 2022    | 98.2%                          | 100.3%        | -2.1%          |
| November 2022   | 97.2%                          | 99.8%         | -2.6%          |
| December 2022   | 96.3%                          | 99.5%         | -3.2%          |
| January 2023    | 96.0%                          | 99.6%         | -3.6%          |
| February 2023   | 97.2%                          | 100.8%        | -3.6%          |
| March 2023      | 98.6%                          | 102.7%        | -4.0%          |
| April 2023      | 100.1%                         | 103.8%        | -3.6%          |
| <b>May 2023</b> | <b>101.1%</b>                  | <b>104.1%</b> | <b>-2.9%</b>   |
| 12-Month Avg    | 99.6%                          | 102.0%        | -2.4%          |

## Historical Percent of Original List Price Received



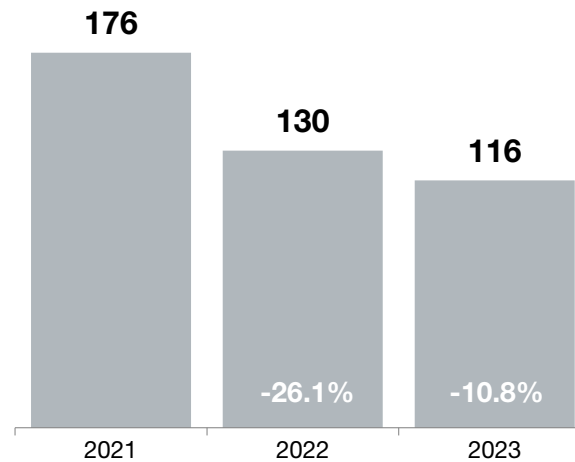
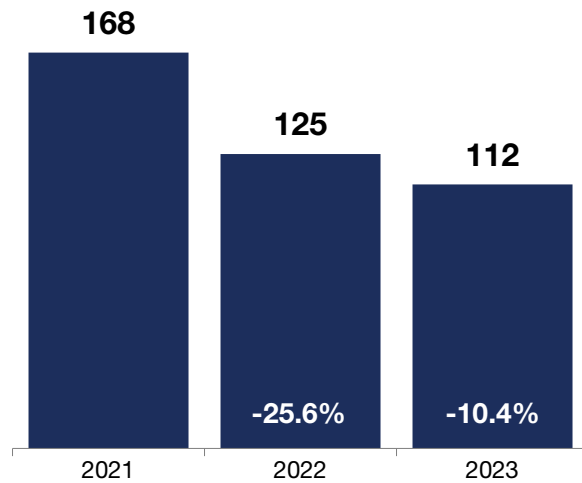
# Housing Affordability Index



This index measures housing affordability for the region. For example, an index of 120 means the median household income was 120% of what is necessary to qualify for the median-priced home under prevailing interest rates. A higher number means greater affordability.

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|                | Housing Affordability Index | Prior Year | Percent Change |
|----------------|-----------------------------|------------|----------------|
| June 2022      | 120                         | 165        | -27.3%         |
| July 2022      | 123                         | 167        | -26.3%         |
| August 2022    | 127                         | 167        | -24.0%         |
| September 2022 | 119                         | 171        | -30.4%         |
| October 2022   | 112                         | 168        | -33.3%         |
| November 2022  | 117                         | 168        | -30.4%         |
| December 2022  | 121                         | 172        | -29.7%         |
| January 2023   | 126                         | 166        | -24.1%         |
| February 2023  | 122                         | 158        | -22.8%         |
| March 2023     | 120                         | 145        | -17.2%         |
| April 2023     | 114                         | 129        | -11.6%         |
| May 2023       | 112                         | 125        | -10.4%         |
| 12-Month Avg   | 119                         | 158        | -24.7%         |

## Historical Housing Affordability Index

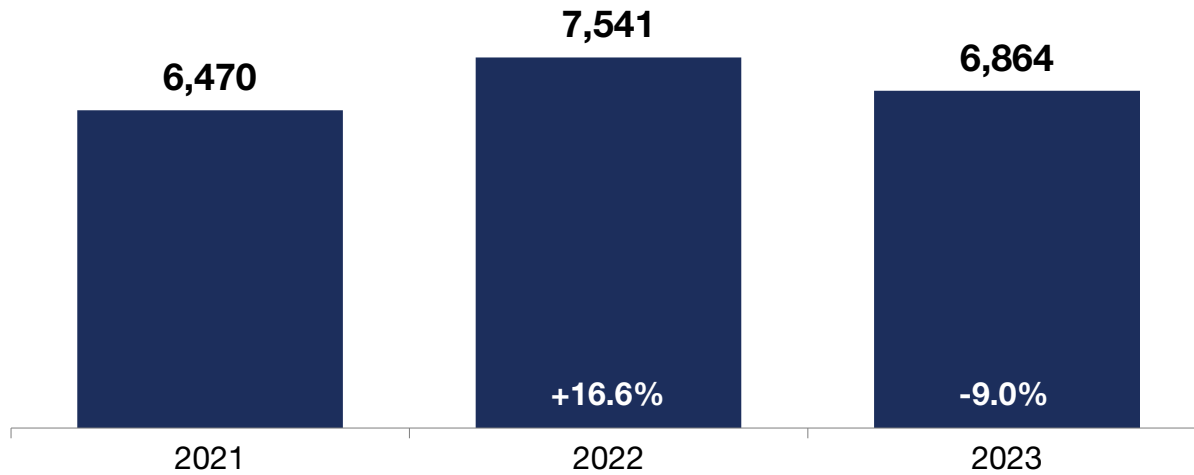


# Inventory of Homes for Sale

The number of properties available for sale in active status at the end of a given month.

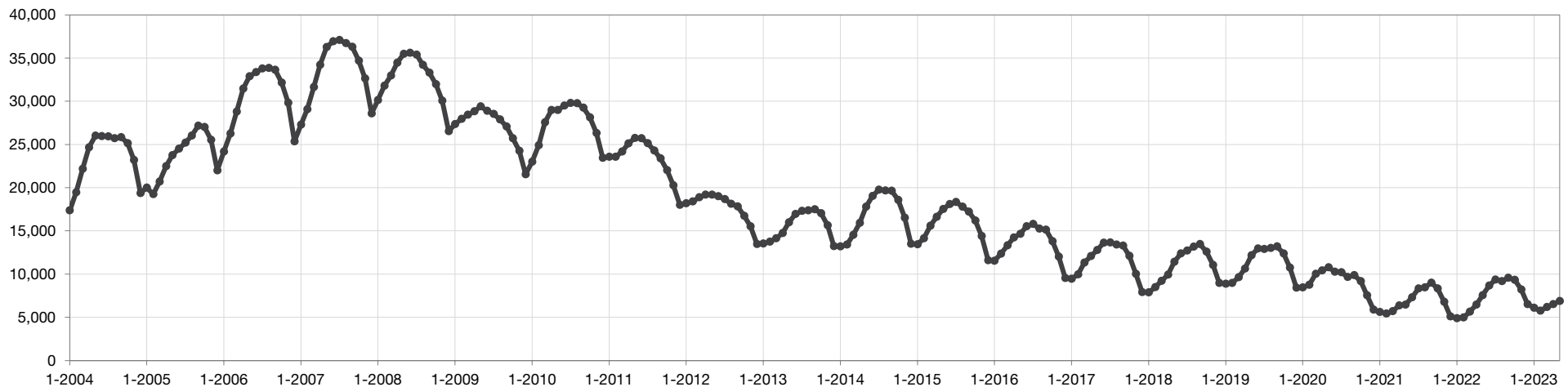


## May



| Homes for Sale |       | Prior Year | Percent Change |
|----------------|-------|------------|----------------|
| June 2022      | 8,655 | 7,315      | +18.3%         |
| July 2022      | 9,344 | 8,330      | +12.2%         |
| August 2022    | 9,186 | 8,452      | +8.7%          |
| September 2022 | 9,582 | 9,007      | +6.4%          |
| October 2022   | 9,315 | 8,338      | +11.7%         |
| November 2022  | 8,196 | 6,786      | +20.8%         |
| December 2022  | 6,525 | 5,093      | +28.1%         |
| January 2023   | 6,090 | 4,882      | +24.7%         |
| February 2023  | 5,759 | 4,975      | +15.8%         |
| March 2023     | 6,182 | 5,648      | +9.5%          |
| April 2023     | 6,508 | 6,443      | +1.0%          |
| May 2023       | 6,864 | 7,541      | -9.0%          |
| 12-Month Avg   | 7,684 | 6,901      | +12.3%         |

## Historical Inventory of Homes for Sale

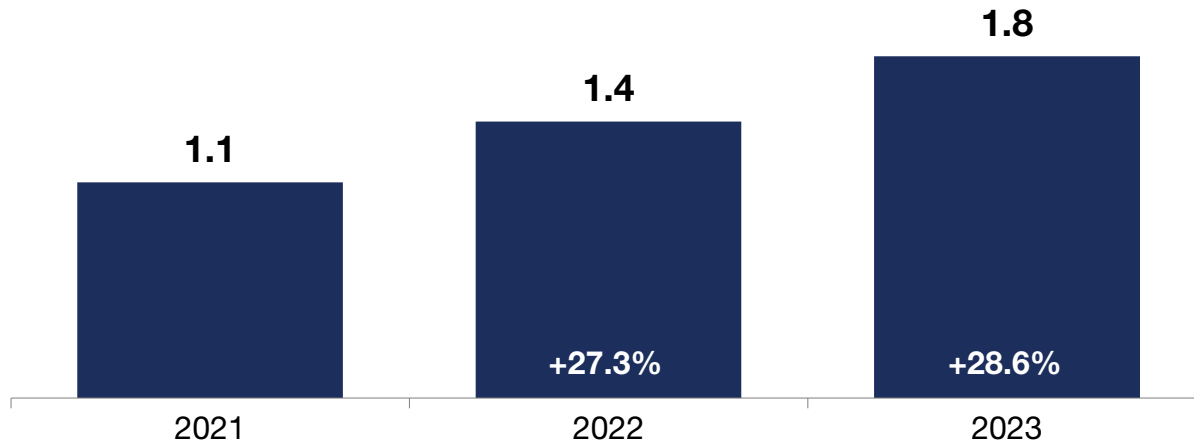


# Months Supply of Homes for Sale

The inventory of homes for sale at the end of a given month, divided by the average monthly pending sales for the last 12 months.

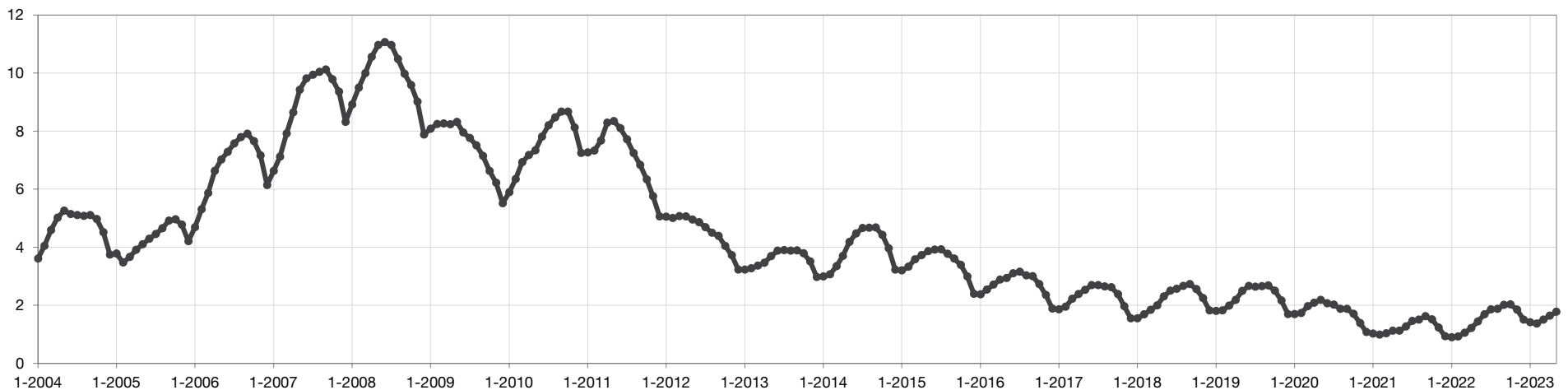


## May



| Months Supply  |     | Prior Year | Percent Change |
|----------------|-----|------------|----------------|
| June 2022      | 1.7 | 1.3        | +30.8%         |
| July 2022      | 1.9 | 1.5        | +26.7%         |
| August 2022    | 1.9 | 1.5        | +26.7%         |
| September 2022 | 2.0 | 1.6        | +25.0%         |
| October 2022   | 2.0 | 1.5        | +33.3%         |
| November 2022  | 1.8 | 1.2        | +50.0%         |
| December 2022  | 1.5 | 0.9        | +66.7%         |
| January 2023   | 1.4 | 0.9        | +55.6%         |
| February 2023  | 1.4 | 0.9        | +55.6%         |
| March 2023     | 1.5 | 1.1        | +36.4%         |
| April 2023     | 1.6 | 1.2        | +33.3%         |
| May 2023       | 1.8 | 1.4        | +28.6%         |
| 12-Month Avg   | 1.7 | 1.3        | +30.8%         |

## Historical Months Supply of Inventory



# Mortgage Finance Utilization Rates



Home finance type utilization rates as a share of all closed sales, by month. Note: "Other" includes Adjustable Rate / Graduated Payment, Assumable, Contract for Deed (CFD), CFD w/ Assumable, DVA, Exchange / Trade, Special Funding, Other, Unknown, Rural Development, Conventional Rehab, USDA, Federal Land Bank, Lease Purchase, and MHFA/WHEDA.

## Historical Mortgage Finance Utilization Rates

— Cash    — Conventional    — FHA    ..... Distressed Sales Rate    ..... Other

