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# **Weekly Market Activity Report**

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### For Week Ending January 13, 2018

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At the beginning of a calendar year, it is often common for home buyers and sellers to become immediately more active. Call it the result of a resolution or the promise of something new, but it is a noted phenomenon across the country. It's really too early to say if the trend will continue in 2018, but the first weeks of the year have not necessarily shown a huge jolt in activity so much as the last weeks of 2017 were quieter than usual.

In the Twin Cities region, for the week ending January 13:

- New Listings decreased 5.4% to 892
- Pending Sales decreased 13.0% to 577
- Inventory decreased 26.9% to 6,918

For the month of December:

- Median Sales Price increased 9.7% to \$248,000
- Days on Market decreased 15.3% to 61
- Percent of Original List Price Received increased 1.3% to 97.1%
- Months Supply of Homes For Sale decreased 26.3% to 1.4

### **Quick Facts**

- 5.4%	- 13.0%	- 26.9%
Change in	Change in	Change in
<b>New Listings</b>	<b>Pending Sales</b>	Inventory

#### **Metrics by Week**

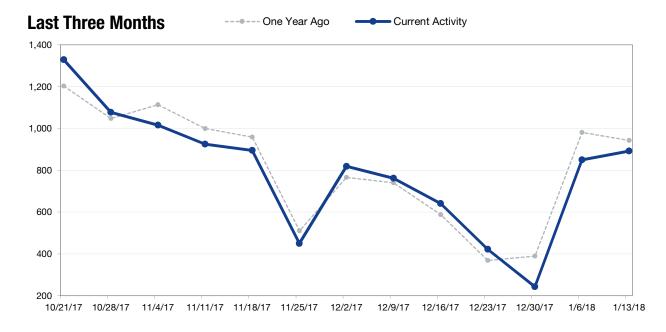
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# **New Listings**

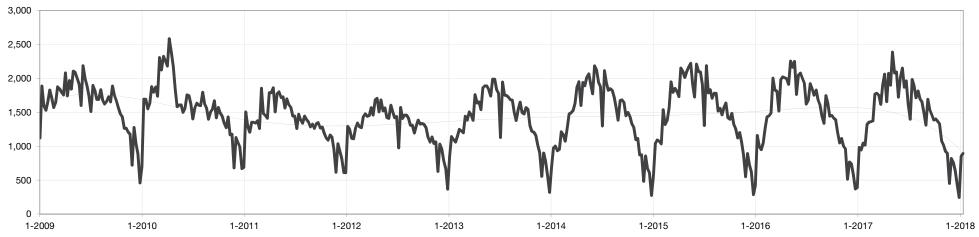
A count of the properties that have been newly listed on the market in a given month.





For the Week Ending	Current Activity	One Year Previous	+/-
10/21/2017	1,329	1,203	+ 10.5%
10/28/2017	1,077	1,048	+ 2.8%
11/4/2017	1,016	1,114	- 8.8%
11/11/2017	925	1,000	- 7.5%
11/18/2017	895	959	- 6.7%
11/25/2017	450	511	- 11.9%
12/2/2017	819	766	+ 6.9%
12/9/2017	762	740	+ 3.0%
12/16/2017	641	588	+ 9.0%
12/23/2017	422	369	+ 14.4%
12/30/2017	243	390	- 37.7%
1/6/2018	850	981	- 13.4%
1/13/2018	892	943	- 5.4%
3-Month Total	10,321	10,612	- 2.7%

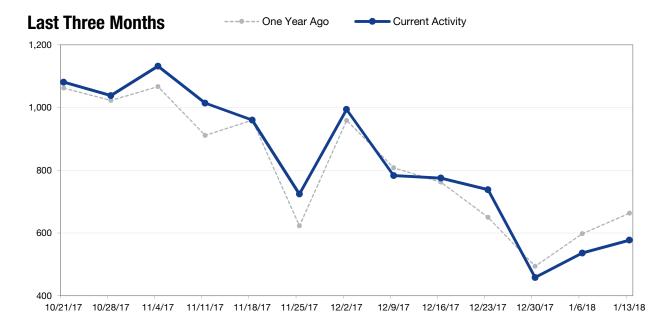
#### **Historical New Listings**



### **Pending Sales**

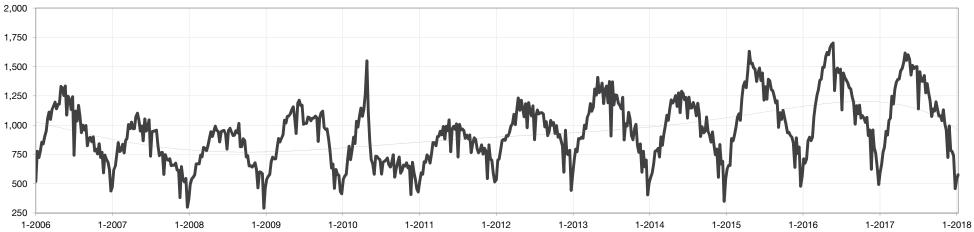
A count of the properties on which offers have been accepted in a given month.





For the Week Ending	Current Activity	One Year Previous	+/-
10/21/2017	1,081	1,062	+ 1.8%
10/28/2017	1,038	1,023	+ 1.5%
11/4/2017	1,132	1,067	+ 6.1%
11/11/2017	1,014	911	+ 11.3%
11/18/2017	960	960	0.0%
11/25/2017	724	623	+ 16.2%
12/2/2017	994	959	+ 3.6%
12/9/2017	783	808	- 3.1%
12/16/2017	775	762	+ 1.7%
12/23/2017	738	650	+ 13.5%
12/30/2017	458	494	- 7.3%
1/6/2018	536	598	- 10.4%
1/13/2018	577	663	- 13.0%
3-Month Total	10,810	10,580	+ 2.2%

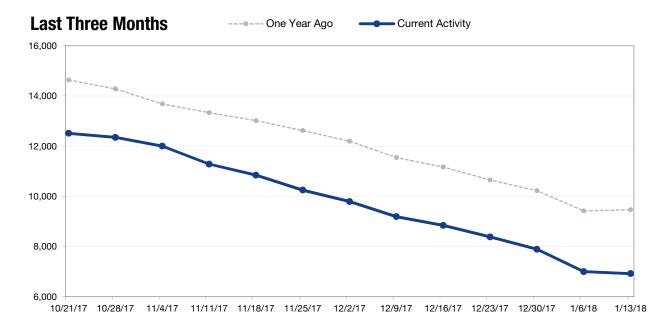
#### **Historical Pending Sales**



# **Inventory of Homes for Sale**

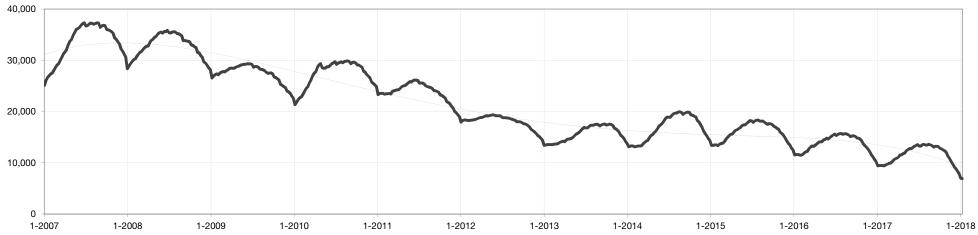
The number of properties available for sale in active status at the end of a given month.





For the Week Ending	Current Activity	One Year Previous	+/-
10/21/2017	12,511	14,638	- 14.5%
10/28/2017	12,351	14,285	- 13.5%
11/4/2017	12,002	13,686	- 12.3%
11/11/2017	11,286	13,337	- 15.4%
11/18/2017	10,846	13,024	- 16.7%
11/25/2017	10,250	12,628	- 18.8%
12/2/2017	9,792	12,200	- 19.7%
12/9/2017	9,189	11,550	- 20.4%
12/16/2017	8,841	11,169	- 20.8%
12/23/2017	8,382	10,657	- 21.3%
12/30/2017	7,893	10,226	- 22.8%
1/6/2018	7,000	9,424	- 25.7%
1/13/2018	6,918	9,468	- 26.9%
3-Month Avg	9,789	12,022	- 18.6%

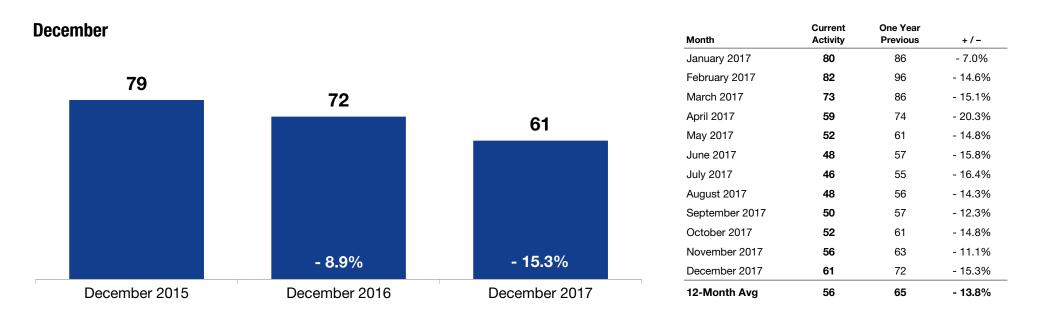
#### **Historical Inventory Levels**



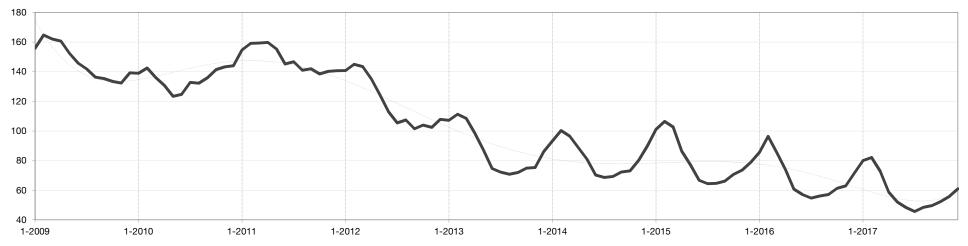
# **Days on Market Until Sale**

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





#### **Historical Days on Market Until Sale**

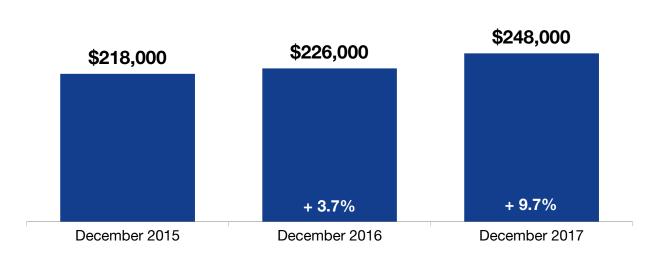


# **Median Sales Price**

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

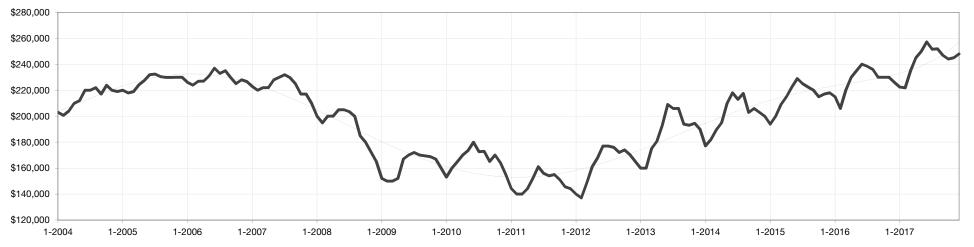


December



Month	Current Activity	One Year Previous	+/-
January 2017	\$222,500	\$215,000	+ 3.5%
February 2017	\$221,800	\$206,000	+ 7.7%
March 2017	\$235,000	\$220,000	+ 6.8%
April 2017	\$245,000	\$230,000	+ 6.5%
May 2017	\$250,000	\$235,000	+ 6.4%
June 2017	\$257,250	\$240,041	+ 7.2%
July 2017	\$251,600	\$238,400	+ 5.5%
August 2017	\$251,950	\$236,000	+ 6.8%
September 2017	\$246,900	\$230,000	+ 7.3%
October 2017	\$244,000	\$230,000	+ 6.1%
November 2017	\$245,000	\$230,000	+ 6.5%
December 2017	\$248,000	\$226,000	+ 9.7%
12-Month Med	\$246,000	\$230,000	+ 7.0%

#### **Historical Median Sales Price**

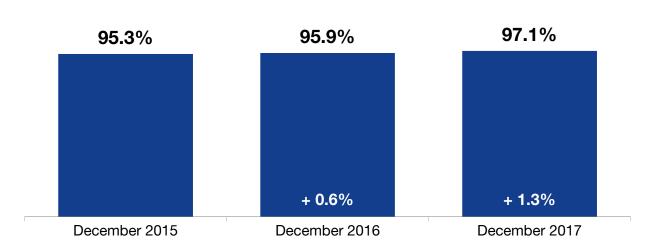


# **Percent of Original List Price Received**

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.

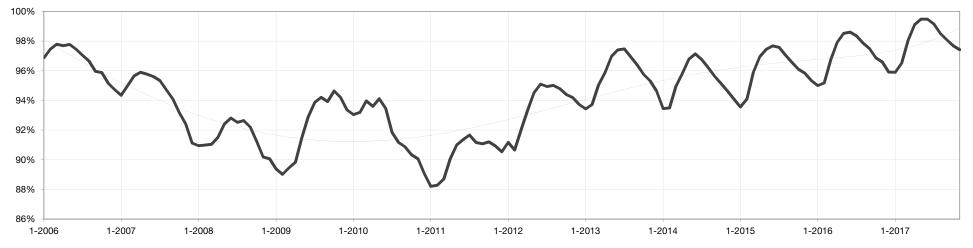


#### December



Month	Current Activity	One Year Previous	+/-
January 2017	95.9%	95.0%	+ 0.9%
February 2017	96.5%	95.2%	+ 1.4%
March 2017	98.0%	96.8%	+ 1.2%
April 2017	<b>99.1</b> %	97.9%	+ 1.2%
May 2017	99.5%	98.5%	+ 1.0%
June 2017	99.5%	98.6%	+ 0.9%
July 2017	<b>99.1</b> %	98.3%	+ 0.8%
August 2017	98.5%	97.9%	+ 0.6%
September 2017	<b>98.1</b> %	97.5%	+ 0.6%
October 2017	97.7%	96.9%	+ 0.8%
November 2017	97.4%	96.6%	+ 0.8%
December 2017	97.1%	95.9%	+ 1.3%
12-Month Avg	98.3%	97.4%	+ 0.9%

#### **Historical Percent of Original List Price Received**



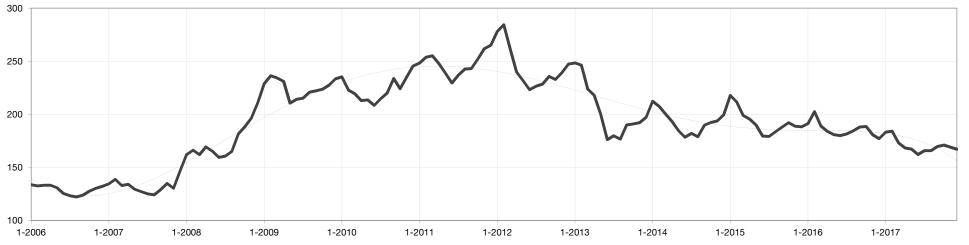
# **Housing Affordability Index**

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



December One Year Current Month Activity Previous +/-January 2017 183 191 - 4.2% 188 February 2017 184 203 - 9.4% 177 167 March 2017 173 189 - 8.5% April 2017 168 184 - 8.7% May 2017 167 181 - 7.7% June 2017 162 180 - 10.0% July 2017 166 181 - 8.3% August 2017 166 184 - 9.8% September 2017 170 188 - 9.6% October 2017 171 188 - 9.0% November 2017 169 181 - 6.6% - 5.9% - 5.6% December 2017 167 177 - 5.6% December 2017 December 2015 December 2016 12-Month Avg 171 186 - 8.1%

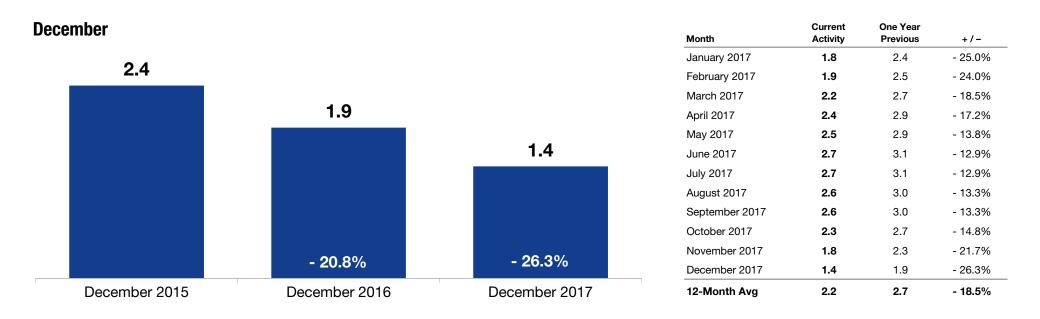
#### **Historical Housing Affordability Index**



# **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 from the last 12 months.





#### **Historical Months Supply of Homes for Sale**

