# **Monthly Indicators**



#### December 2020

December is normally one of the slowest months of the year but strong buyer demand across most segments of the market, buoyed by near-record low interest rates, continue to drive a healthy sales pace in the face of a new wave of COVID-19 infections and a softening jobs market.

New Listings were down 0.5 percent to 613. Pending Sales increased 16.0 percent to 667. Inventory shrank 45.6 percent to 1,348 units.

Prices moved higher as the Median Sales Price was up 12.5 percent to \$180,000. Days on Market decreased 29.4 percent to 24 days. Months Supply of Inventory was down 45.8 percent to 1.3 months.

With low mortgage rates and strong buyer demand in most market segments, the housing market of early 2021 looks to continue the trends we saw in the second half of 2020. Low inventory and multiple offers on in-demand properties and market segments are likely to remain common while the market waits and hopes for a boost in new construction and a surge in home sellers to help provide more balance to the market.

### **Activity Snapshot**

+ 16.6% + 12.5% - 45.6%

One-Year Change in Closed Sales One-Year Change in Median Sales Price Homes for Sale

Residential activity for Regional Board B composed of single-family properties, townhomes and condominiums combined. Percent changes are calculated using rounded figures.

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# **Activity Overview**

Key metrics by report month and for year-to-date (YTD) starting from the first of the year.

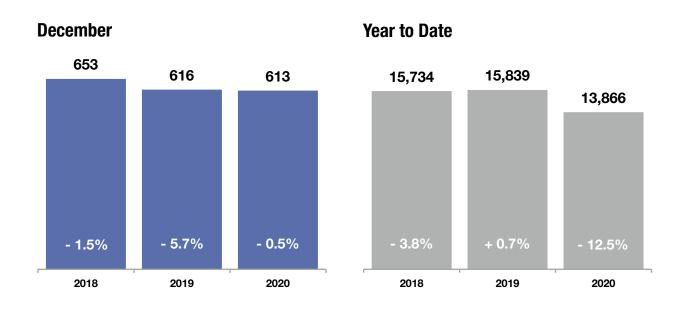


Key Metrics	Historical Sparkbars	12-2019	12-2020	Percent Change	YTD 2019	YTD 2020	Percent Change
New Listings	12-2017 12-2018 12-2019 12-2020	616	613	- 0.5%	15,839	13,866	- 12.5%
Pending Sales	12-2017 12-2018 12-2019 12-2020	575	667	+ 16.0%	12,380	12,417	+ 0.3%
Closed Sales	12-2017 12-2018 12-2019 12-2020	1,094	1,276	+ 16.6%	12,157	11,643	- 4.2%
Days on Market	12-2017 12-2018 12-2019 12-2020	34	24	- 29.4%	38	35	- 7.9%
Median Sales Price	12-2017 12-2018 12-2019 12-2020	\$160,000	\$180,000	+ 12.5%	\$158,000	\$175,000	+ 10.8%
Average Sales Price	12-2017 12-2018 12-2019 12-2020	\$184,724	\$212,700	+ 15.1%	\$185,948	\$205,686	+ 10.6%
Pct. of List Price Received	12-2017 12-2018 12-2019 12-2020	98.3%	102.3%	+ 4.1%	98.9%	100.8%	+ 1.9%
Housing Affordability Index	12-2017 12-2018 12-2019 12-2020	205	200	- 2.4%	208	206	- 1.0%
Inventory of Homes for Sale	12-2017 12-2018 12-2019 12-2020	2,478	1,348	- 45.6%			
Months Supply of Inventory	12-2017 12-2018 12-2019 12-2020	2.4	1.3	- 45.8%			

## **New Listings**

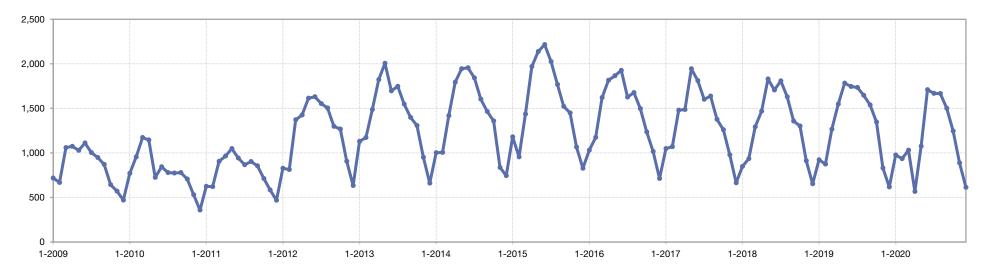
A count of the properties that have been newly listed on the market in a given month.





New Listings		Prior Year	Percent Change
January 2020	975	922	+5.7%
February 2020	935	874	+7.0%
March 2020	1,029	1,264	-18.6%
April 2020	567	1,546	-63.3%
May 2020	1,074	1,782	-39.7%
June 2020	1,708	1,745	-2.1%
July 2020	1,667	1,733	-3.8%
August 2020	1,666	1,645	+1.3%
September 2020	1,500	1,537	-2.4%
October 2020	1,245	1,345	-7.4%
November 2020	887	830	+6.9%
December 2020	613	616	-0.5%
12-Month Avg	1,156	1,320	-12.4%

### **Historical New Listings by Month**



# **Pending Sales**

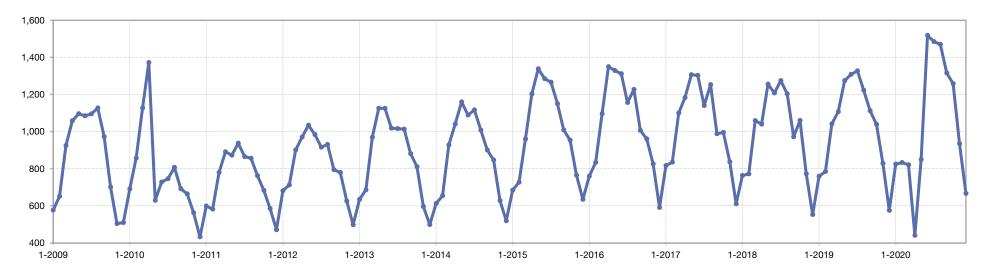
A count of the properties on which offers have been accepted in a given month.



December			Year to Date		
		667	11,932	12,380	12,417
553	575				
- 9.5%	+ 4.0%	+ 16.0%	- 3.5%	+ 3.8%	+ 0.3%
2018	2019	2020	2018	2019	2020

Pending Sales		Prior Year	Percent Change
January 2020	824	759	+8.6%
February 2020	833	785	+6.1%
March 2020	821	1,042	-21.2%
April 2020	441	1,107	-60.2%
May 2020	849	1,274	-33.4%
June 2020	1,518	1,308	+16.1%
July 2020	1,485	1,327	+11.9%
August 2020	1,470	1,223	+20.2%
September 2020	1,316	1,112	+18.3%
October 2020	1,258	1,039	+21.1%
November 2020	935	829	+12.8%
December 2020	667	575	+16.0%
12-Month Avg	1,035	1,032	+0.3%

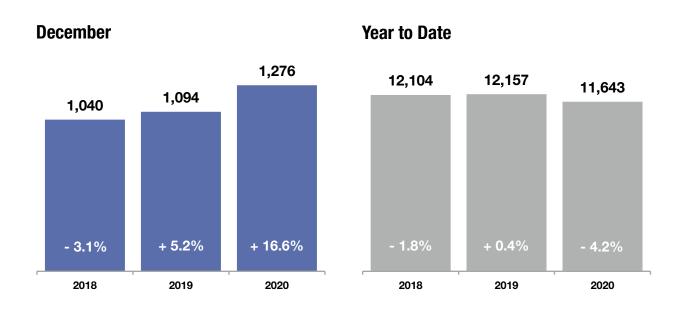
### **Historical Pending Sales by Month**



### **Closed Sales**

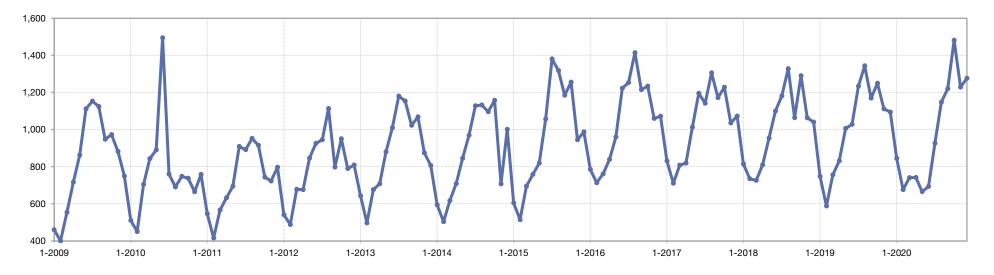
A count of the actual sales that closed in a given month.





Closed Sales		Prior Year	Percent Change
January 2020	845	748	+13.0%
February 2020	676	588	+15.0%
March 2020	741	756	-2.0%
April 2020	742	831	-10.7%
May 2020	666	1,006	-33.8%
June 2020	693	1,028	-32.6%
July 2020	926	1,234	-25.0%
August 2020	1,148	1,343	-14.5%
September 2020	1,220	1,169	+4.4%
October 2020	1,481	1,249	+18.6%
November 2020	1,229	1,111	+10.6%
December 2020	1,276	1,094	+16.6%
12-Month Avg	970	1,013	-4.2%

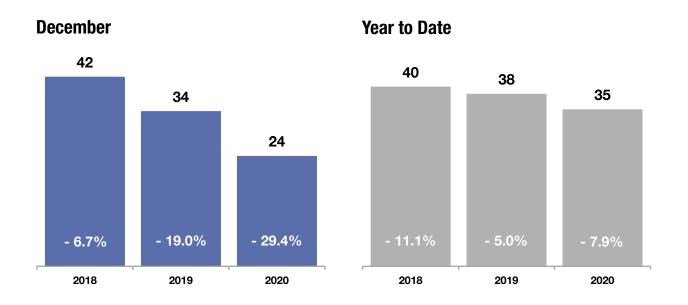
### **Historical Closed Sales by Month**



## **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.

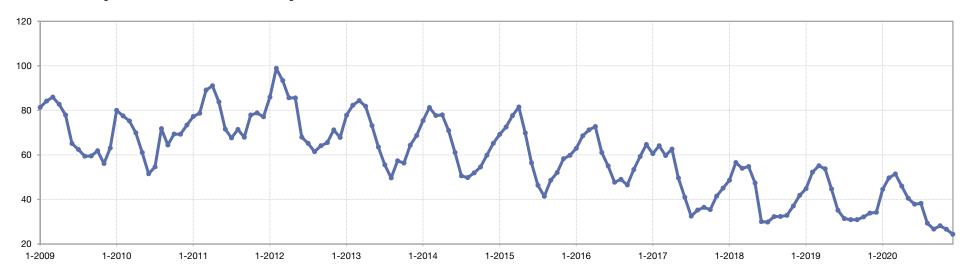




Days on Market		Prior Year	Percent Change
January 2020	45	45	0.0%
February 2020	50	52	-3.8%
March 2020	51	55	-7.3%
April 2020	46	54	-14.8%
May 2020	41	45	-8.9%
June 2020	38	35	+8.6%
July 2020	38	31	+22.6%
August 2020	29	31	-6.5%
September 2020	27	31	-12.9%
October 2020	28	32	-12.5%
November 2020	27	34	-20.6%
December 2020	24	34	-29.4%
12-Month Avg*	35	38	-7.9%

<sup>\*</sup> Average Days on Market of all properties from January 2020 through December 2020. This is not the average of the individual figures above.

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



### **Median Sales Price**

Point at which half of the sales sold for more and half sold for less, not accounting for seller concessions, in a given month.

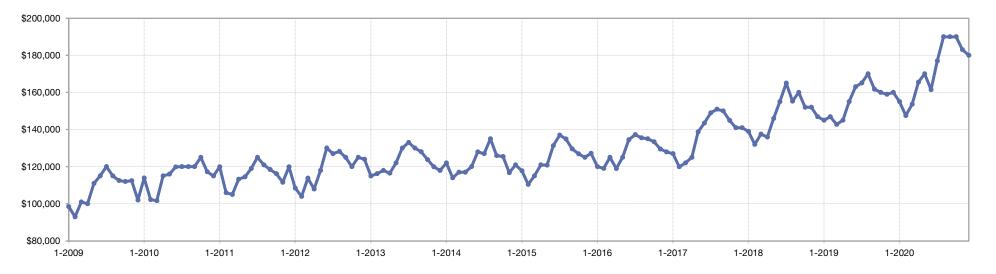


#### **December Year to Date** \$180,000 \$175,000 \$160,000 \$158,000 \$149,900 \$146,950 + 8.9% + 12.5% + 5.4% + 4.2% + 7.1% + 10.8% 2018 2019 2020 2018 2019 2020

Median Sales Price		Prior Year	Percent Change
January 2020	\$155,000	\$145,000	+6.9%
February 2020	\$147,500	\$146,900	+0.4%
March 2020	\$153,600	\$142,750	+7.6%
April 2020	\$165,500	\$145,000	+14.1%
May 2020	\$169,999	\$155,000	+9.7%
June 2020	\$161,519	\$163,000	-0.9%
July 2020	\$177,000	\$165,089	+7.2%
August 2020	\$190,000	\$170,000	+11.8%
September 2020	\$190,000	\$161,725	+17.5%
October 2020	\$190,000	\$160,000	+18.8%
November 2020	\$183,000	\$159,000	+15.1%
December 2020	\$180,000	\$160,000	+12.5%
12-Month Med*	\$175,000	\$158,000	+10.8%

<sup>\*</sup> Median Sales Price of all properties from January 2020 through December 2020. This is not the average of the individual figures above.

#### **Historical Median Sales Price by Month**



## **Average Sales Price**

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

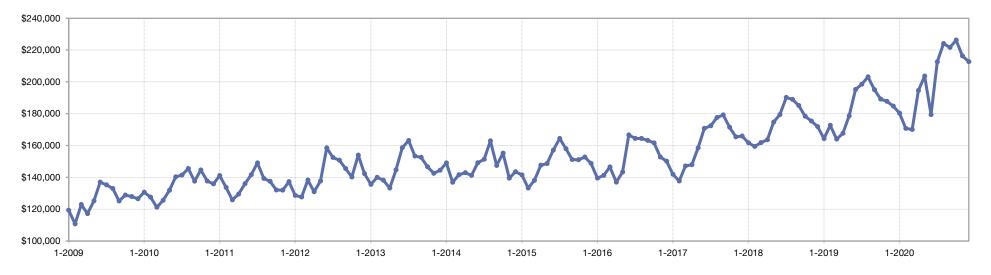


#### **December Year to Date** \$212,700 \$205,686 \$184,724 \$185,948 \$175,987 \$171,800 + 7.5% + 15.1% + 3.6% + 7.5% + 5.7% + 10.6% 2018 2019 2020 2018 2019 2020

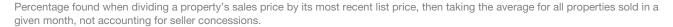
Avg. Sales Price		Prior Year	Percent Change
January 2020	\$180,317	\$164,256	+9.8%
February 2020	\$170,724	\$172,613	-1.1%
March 2020	\$170,043	\$164,031	+3.7%
April 2020	\$194,575	\$167,579	+16.1%
May 2020	\$203,651	\$178,586	+14.0%
June 2020	\$179,418	\$195,197	-8.1%
July 2020	\$212,567	\$198,478	+7.1%
August 2020	\$224,063	\$203,065	+10.3%
September 2020	\$221,583	\$195,051	+13.6%
October 2020	\$226,192	\$189,113	+19.6%
November 2020	\$216,274	\$187,737	+15.2%
December 2020	\$212,700	\$184,724	+15.1%
12-Month Avg*	\$205,686	\$185,948	+10.6%

<sup>\*</sup> Avg. Sales Price of all properties from January 2020 through December 2020. This is not the average of the individual figures above.

#### **Historical Average Sales Price by Month**



## **Percent of List Price Received**



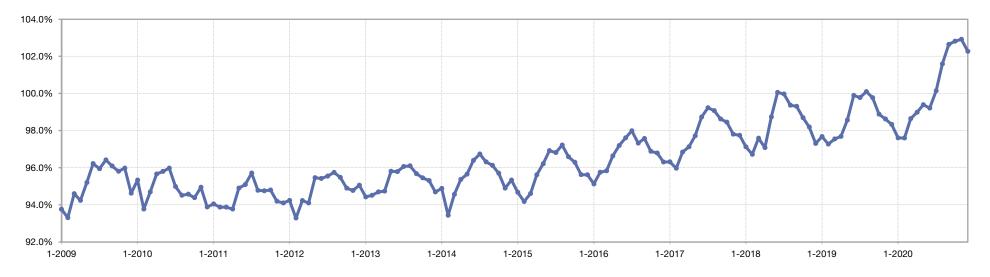


#### **December Year to Date** 102.3% 100.8% 98.3% 98.5% 98.9% 97.3% + 4.1% - 0.4% + 1.0% + 0.5% + 0.4% + 1.9% 2018 2019 2020 2018 2019 2020

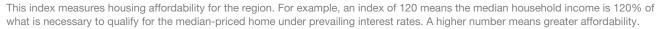
Pct. of List Price Red	ceived	Prior Year	Percent Change
January 2020	97.6%	97.7%	-0.1%
February 2020	97.6%	97.3%	+0.3%
March 2020	98.6%	97.5%	+1.1%
April 2020	99.0%	97.7%	+1.3%
May 2020	99.4%	98.6%	+0.8%
June 2020	99.2%	99.9%	-0.7%
July 2020	100.1%	99.8%	+0.3%
August 2020	101.6%	100.1%	+1.5%
September 2020	102.6%	99.8%	+2.8%
October 2020	102.8%	98.9%	+3.9%
November 2020	102.9%	98.6%	+4.4%
December 2020	102.3%	98.3%	+4.1%
12-Month Avg*	100.8%	98.9%	+1.9%

<sup>\*</sup> Average Pct. of List Price Received for all properties from January 2020 through December 2020. This is not the average of the individual figures above.

#### **Historical Percent of List Price Received by Month**



## **Housing Affordability Index**

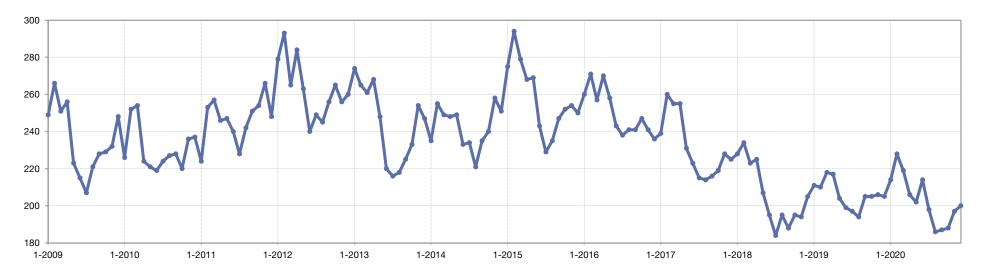




D	ecember	Year to Date					
	205	205	200		201	208	206
	- 8.9%	0.0%	- 2.4%	Ĺ	- 11.5%	+ 3.5%	- 1.0%
Ċ	2018	2019	2020		2018	2019	2020

	Prior Year	Percent Change
214	211	+1.4%
228	210	+8.6%
219	218	+0.5%
206	217	-5.1%
202	204	-1.0%
214	199	+7.5%
198	197	+0.5%
186	194	-4.1%
187	205	-8.8%
188	205	-8.3%
197	206	-4.4%
200	205	-2.4%
203	206	-1.3%
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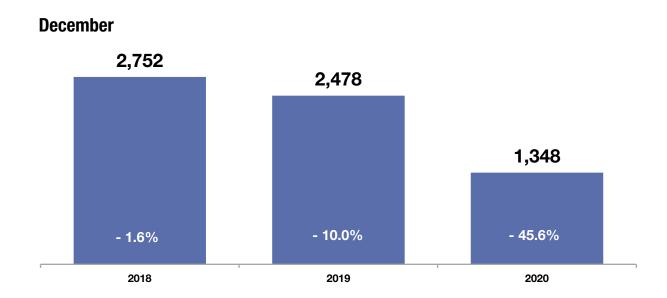
#### **Historical Housing Affordability Index by Month**



## **Inventory of Homes for Sale**

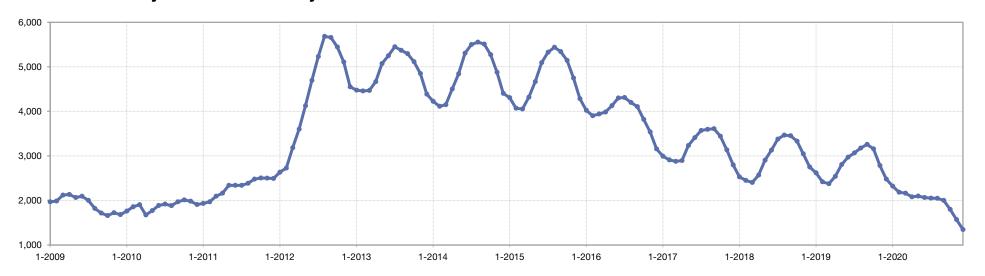
The number of properties available for sale in active status at the end of a given month.





Homes for Sale		Prior Year	Percent Change
January 2020	2,321	2,618	-11.3%
February 2020	2,182	2,417	-9.7%
March 2020	2,163	2,372	-8.8%
April 2020	2,079	2,538	-18.1%
May 2020	2,098	2,805	-25.2%
June 2020	2,066	2,969	-30.4%
July 2020	2,050	3,065	-33.1%
August 2020	2,048	3,174	-35.5%
September 2020	2,001	3,258	-38.6%
October 2020	1,798	3,155	-43.0%
November 2020	1,569	2,783	-43.6%
December 2020	1,348	2,478	-45.6%
12-Month Avg*	1,977	2,803	-29.5%

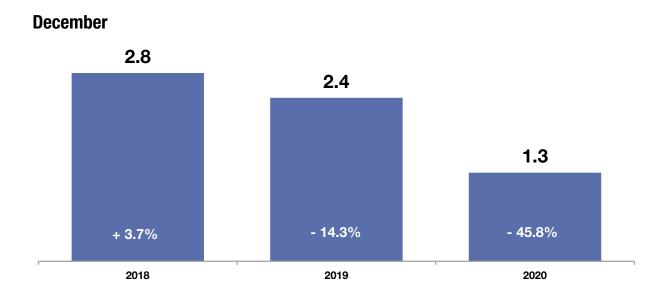
#### **Historical Inventory of Homes for Sale by Month**



## **Months Supply of Inventory**







Months Supply		Prior Year	Percent Change
January 2020	2.2	2.6	-15.4%
February 2020	2.1	2.4	-12.5%
March 2020	2.1	2.4	-12.5%
April 2020	2.1	2.5	-16.0%
May 2020	2.3	2.8	-17.9%
June 2020	2.2	2.9	-24.1%
July 2020	2.1	3.0	-30.0%
August 2020	2.1	3.1	-32.3%
September 2020	2.0	3.2	-37.5%
October 2020	1.8	3.1	-41.9%
November 2020	1.5	2.7	-44.4%
December 2020	1.3	2.4	-45.8%
12-Month Avg*	2.0	2.8	-28.6%

<sup>\*</sup> Months Supply for all properties from January 2020 through December 2020. This is not the average of the individual figures above.

#### **Historical Months Supply of Inventory by Month**

