Weekly Market Activity Report





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For Week Ending May 26, 2018

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Residential real estate activity is in full swing across America. Some trends are persisting as they have week after week, month after month and now year after year. But some metrics are teasing a deviation from the norm. There may not be as many homes for sale as there were last year at this time, and home price increases are still more likely than not, but there is a chance that we could see more positive changes in either sales or new listings as the summer months progress.

In the Twin Cities region, for the week ending May 26:

- New Listings increased 5.5% to 1,817
- Pending Sales decreased 9.9% to 1,405
- Inventory decreased 19.4% to 10,322

For the month of April:

- Median Sales Price increased 8.8% to \$266,500
- Days on Market decreased 10.2% to 53
- Percent of Original List Price Received increased 0.8% to 99.9%
- Months Supply of Homes For Sale decreased 20.8% to 1.9

Quick Facts

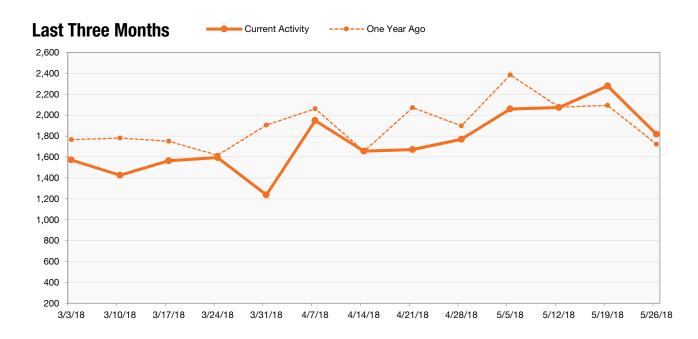
+ 5.5%	- 9.9%	- 19.4%	
Change in New Listings	Change in Pending Sales	Change in Inventory	
Metrics by Week			
New Listings			2
Pending Sales			3
Inventory of Home		4	
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New Listings

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





For the Week Ending	Current Activity	One Year Previous	+/-
3/3/2018	1,572	1,765	- 10.9%
3/10/2018	1,425	1,781	- 20.0%
3/17/2018	1,563	1,750	- 10.7%
3/24/2018	1,594	1,616	- 1.4%
3/31/2018	1,237	1,905	- 35.1%
4/7/2018	1,948	2,061	- 5.5%
4/14/2018	1,655	1,654	+ 0.1%
4/21/2018	1,670	2,072	- 19.4%
4/28/2018	1,768	1,898	- 6.8%
5/5/2018	2,058	2,386	- 13.7%
5/12/2018	2,073	2,076	- 0.1%
5/19/2018	2,279	2,093	+ 8.9%
5/26/2018	1,817	1,722	+ 5.5%
3-Month Total	22,659	24,779	- 8.6%

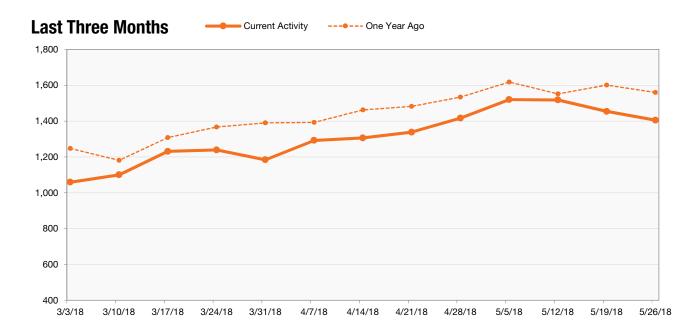
Historical New Listing Activity



Pending Sales

A count of the properties that have offers accepted on them in a given week.





For the Week Ending	Current Activity	One Year Previous	+/-
3/3/2018	1,059	1,247	- 15.1%
3/10/2018	1,100	1,181	- 6.9%
3/17/2018	1,231	1,308	- 5.9%
3/24/2018	1,239	1,367	- 9.4%
3/31/2018	1,184	1,390	- 14.8%
4/7/2018	1,292	1,393	- 7.3%
4/14/2018	1,306	1,462	- 10.7%
4/21/2018	1,338	1,482	- 9.7%
4/28/2018	1,416	1,534	- 7.7%
5/5/2018	1,520	1,618	- 6.1%
5/12/2018	1,518	1,552	- 2.2%
5/19/2018	1,454	1,601	- 9.2%
5/26/2018	1,405	1,560	- 9.9%
3-Month Total	17,062	18,695	- 8.7%

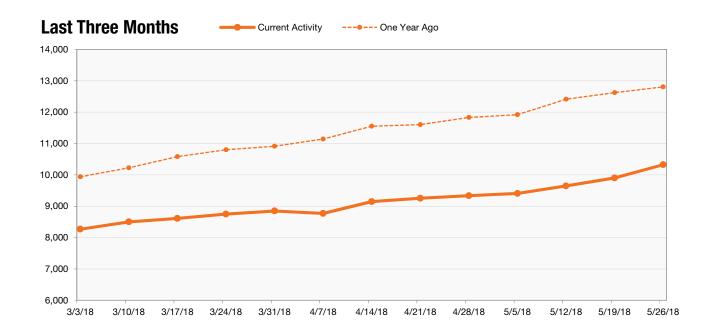
Historical Pending Sales Activity



Inventory of Homes for Sale

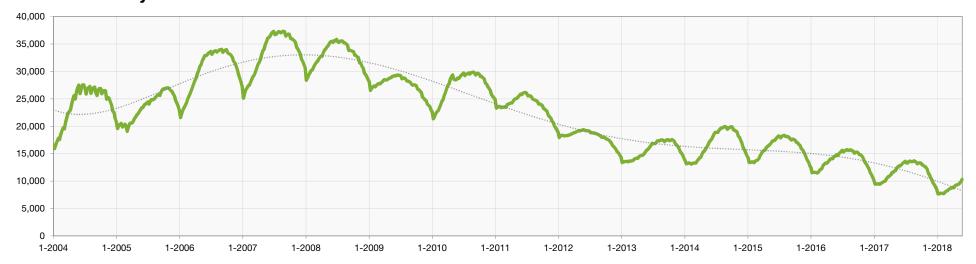
The number of properties available for sale in active status at the end of a given week.





For the Week Ending	Current Activity	One Year Previous	+/-
3/3/2018	8,268	9,938	- 16.8%
3/10/2018	8,500	10,226	- 16.9%
3/17/2018	8,610	10,580	- 18.6%
3/24/2018	8,748	10,798	- 19.0%
3/31/2018	8,847	10,915	- 18.9%
4/7/2018	8,769	11,141	- 21.3%
4/14/2018	9,145	11,548	- 20.8%
4/21/2018	9,253	11,599	- 20.2%
4/28/2018	9,336	11,833	- 21.1%
5/5/2018	9,407	11,918	- 21.1%
5/12/2018	9,646	12,412	- 22.3%
5/19/2018	9,902	12,620	- 21.5%
5/26/2018	10,322	12,807	- 19.4%
3-Month Avg	9,135	11,410	- 19.9%

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.



April		
74		
	59	53
	- 20.3%	- 10.2%
2016	2017	2018

Month	Current Activity	One Year Previous	+/-
May	52	61	- 14.8%
June	48	57	- 15.8%
July	46	55	- 16.4%
August	48	56	- 14.3%
September	50	57	- 12.3%
October	52	61	- 14.8%
November	56	63	- 11.1%
December	61	72	- 15.3%
January	69	80	- 13.8%
February	69	82	- 15.9%
March	57	73	- 21.9%
April	53	59	- 10.2%
12-Month Avg	53	62	- 14.5%

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.



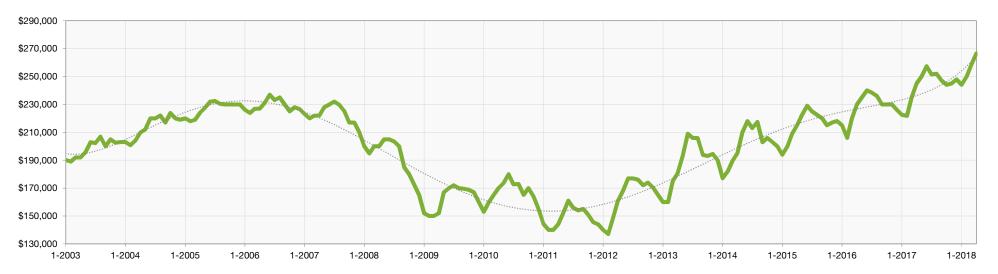
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	\$000.000		\$245,000	\$266,500	
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			+ 6.5%	+ 8.8%	

2017

Month	Current Activity	One Year Previous	+/-
May	\$250,000	\$235,000	+ 6.4%
June	\$257,375	\$240,041	+ 7.2%
July	\$251,500	\$238,400	+ 5.5%
August	\$252,000	\$236,000	+ 6.8%
September	\$247,000	\$230,000	+ 7.4%
October	\$244,000	\$230,000	+ 6.1%
November	\$245,000	\$230,000	+ 6.5%
December	\$248,000	\$226,000	+ 9.7%
January	\$244,000	\$222,500	+ 9.7%
February	\$250,000	\$221,800	+ 12.7%
March	\$258,000	\$235,000	+ 9.8%
April	\$266,500	\$245,000	+ 8.8%
12-Month Med	\$250,000	\$235,000	+ 6.4%

Historical Median Sales Price

2016

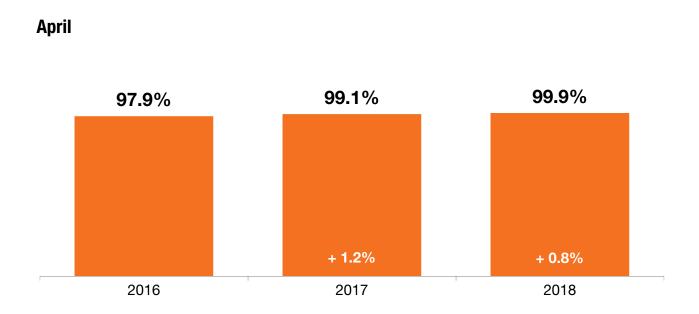


2018

Percent of Original List Price Received

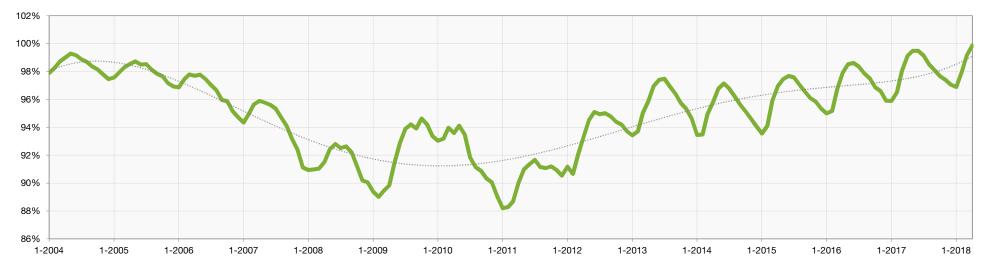


Percentage found when dividing a property's sales price by it's original list price, then taking the average for all properties sold in a given month, not accounting for seller concessions.



Month	Current Activity	One Year Previous	+/-
May	99.5%	98.5%	+ 1.0%
June	99.5%	98.6%	+ 0.9%
July	99.1%	98.3%	+ 0.8%
August	98.5%	97.9%	+ 0.6%
September	98.1%	97.5%	+ 0.6%
October	97.7%	96.9%	+ 0.8%
November	97.4%	96.6%	+ 0.8%
December	97.1%	95.9%	+ 1.3%
January	96.9%	95.9%	+ 1.0%
February	98.0%	96.5%	+ 1.6%
March	99.1%	98.0%	+ 1.1%
April	99.9%	99.1%	+ 0.8%
12-Month Avg	98.6%	97.7%	+ 0.9%

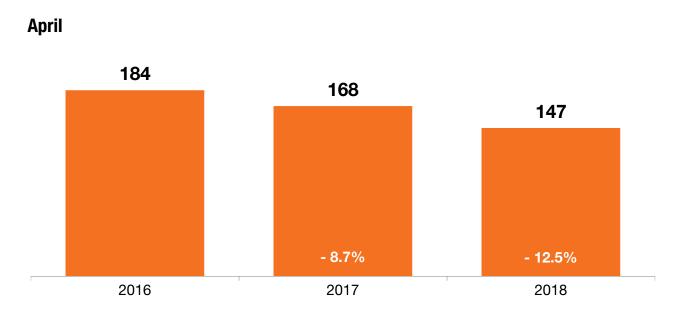
Historical Percent of Original List Price Received



Housing Affordability Index



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



Month	Current Activity	One Year Previous	+/-
May	167	181	- 7.7%
June	162	180	- 10.0%
July	166	181	- 8.3%
August	166	184	- 9.8%
September	170	188	- 9.6%
October	171	188	- 9.0%
November	169	181	- 6.6%
December	167	177	- 5.6%
January	167	183	- 8.7%
February	161	184	- 12.5%
March	154	173	- 11.0%
April	147	168	- 12.5%
12-Month Avg	163	181	- 9.9%

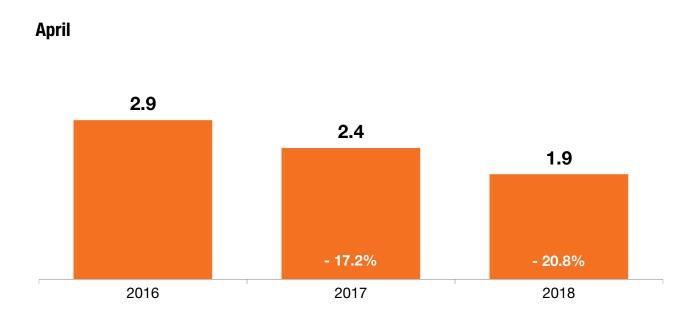
Historical Housing Affordability Index



Months Supply of Inventory

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.





Month	Current Activity	One Year Previous	+/-
May	2.5	2.9	- 13.8%
June	2.7	3.1	- 12.9%
July	2.7	3.1	- 12.9%
August	2.6	3.0	- 13.3%
September	2.6	3.0	- 13.3%
October	2.3	2.7	- 14.8%
November	1.9	2.3	- 17.4%
December	1.5	1.9	- 21.1%
January	1.5	1.8	- 16.7%
February	1.6	1.9	- 15.8%
March	1.8	2.2	- 18.2%
April	1.9	2.4	- 20.8%
12-Month Avg	2.1	2.5	- 16.0%

Historical Months Supply of Inventory

