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a quarterly report on single family residential real estate activity



NEIGHBORHOOD SNAPSHOT

community	# sold	avg. \$ per sqft	avg. days to sell	median sale price	five-year price trend
Eastside South (S of I-90)	261 1 9.7%	\$376 🔱 -5.5%	44 1 82.4%	\$950,000 🔱 -2.1%	1 44.4%
Mercer Island	75 1.4%	\$568 () -3.0%	55 129.9%	\$1,678,000 () -4.0%	1 56.7%
West Bellevue (W of 405)	91 16.7%	\$713 () -12.5%	58 1 36.9%	\$2,385,000 () -10.0%	75.1%
East Bellevue (E of 405)	213 15.1%	\$458 1.8%	27 🕥 55.0%	\$915,000 🕥 3.2%	60.1%
East of Lake Sammamish	575 🔱 -4.2%	\$344 () -2.6%	39 64.3%	\$894,000 • 0.6%	1 52.0%
Redmond	175 🔱 -7.9%	\$366	36 🕥 33.8%	\$870,000 () -5.2%	1 40.7%
Kirkland	179 🕜 6.5%	\$497 🕡 1.7%	43 172.7%	\$1,326,000 15.4%	1 81.8%
Woodinville	486 🔱 -8.5%	\$342 🕛 -0.7%	39 1 50.8%	\$776,000 0.1%	1 60.2%
ALL EASTSIDE	2,055 🔱 -0.4%	\$406 () -1.2%	40 () 60.7%	\$925,000 () 0.2%	1 52.7%

Percent changes are year-over-year, excepting the five-year price trend

ONE YEAR TREND

quarter	#	sold	avg. \$	per sq ft	avg.	days to sell	median sa	le price	average sa	ıle price
Q3 2019	2,055	() -12.0%	\$406	() -5.0%	40	10.3%	\$925,000	() -2.1%	\$1,132,859	() -4.4%
Q2 2019	2,334	93.1%	\$427	1 4.6%	36	() -39.9%	\$945,000	1.9%	\$1,185,128	1 5.8%
Q1 2019	1,209	() -24.2%	\$408	0.9%	60	31.9%	\$927,000	1 3.9%	\$1,119,877	() -0.1%
Q4 2018	1,595	() -22.7%	\$405	() -1.5%	45	1 83.5%	\$892,500	() -3.3%	\$1,120,823	0.2%
Q3 2018	2,064	() -10.5%	\$411	() -3.7%	25	1 33.6%	\$923,000	() -3.9%	\$1,118,883	() -4.6%

Percent changes are quarter-over-quarter

AVERAGE COST PER SQUARE FOOT LAST CYCLE PEAK (2007) \$300/sq.ft. LAST CYCLE TROUGH (2011) \$220/sq.ft.



to a median of \$925,000

ON AVERAGE, HOUSES SOLD IN

40 DAYS

THERE WERE

24.6%

fewer homes

for sale than

in Q3 2018



Q32019 market review

Q3 was the most stable and balanced market we have seen in years. With very low mortgage interest rates compelling buyers to act and fewer homes for sale than we saw last fall (when a flood of homes came to market), buyers and sellers are each finding their own place in a more equitable real estate arena. Stimulated by announced expansion from the top names in tech, the Eastside is the place to be right now. Buyers found far fewer homes for sale—nearly 25% less—in Q3 than they did just one year ago.

Sale prices in Kirkland, bolstered by recent announcements from Google and Tableau, were up an average of 15.4% over Q3 2018. Prices near the Microsoft campus, where the Spring District is coming online, where up 3.2%. The West Bellevue market saw a lower Median Sale Price which was attributable to fewer high-end sales in Q3 this year compared to last year.

All in all, the Eastside had a very good quarter. Home sellers enjoyed great returns and this more balanced market afforded many more consumers the ability to comfortably complete a sell/buy transaction—and with enough time and space to thoroughly conduct due diligence on prospective properties.



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