

Q2 2026

# Seattle

## MARKET REPORT

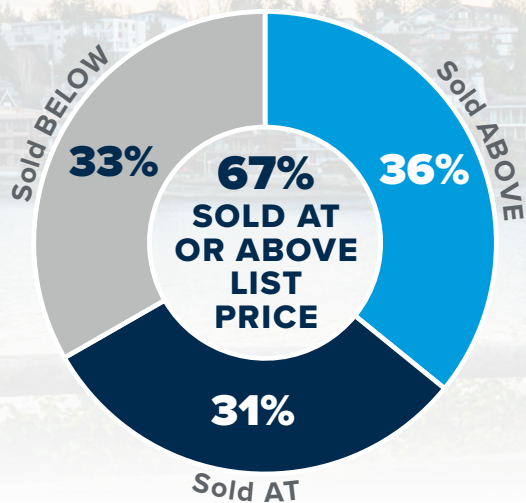


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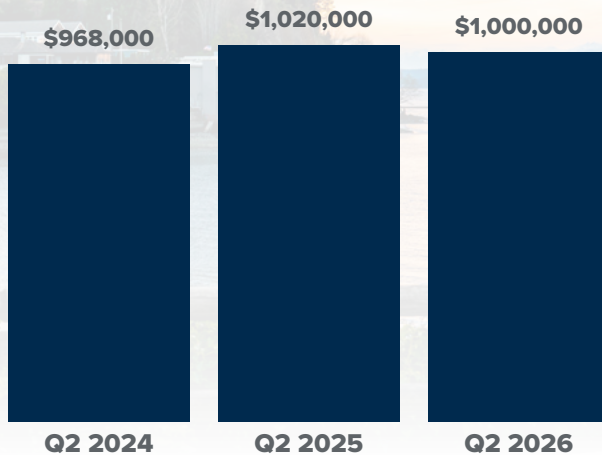
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## MEDIAN SALES PRICE



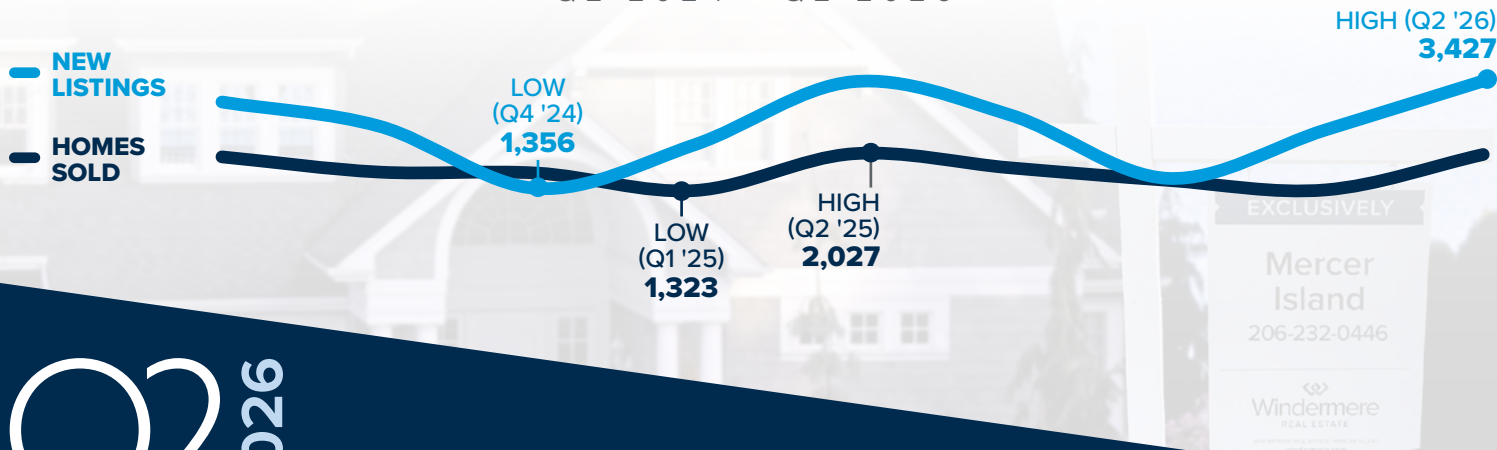
## NEIGHBORHOOD SNAPSHOT

| community                   | # sold                          | avg. \$ per sq ft               | % sold at or above list price | % sold in first 10 days | median sale price                     |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| West Seattle                | 354 <span>↓ -4%</span>          | \$553 <span>↑ 3%</span>         | 71%                           | 58%                     | \$850,000 <span>↓ -1%</span>          |
| South Seattle               | 236 <span>↑ 20%</span>          | \$468 <span>↓ -2%</span>        | 65%                           | 58%                     | \$820,000 <span>↑ 1%</span>           |
| Madison Park & Capitol Hill | 221 <span>↓ -18%</span>         | \$688 <span>↔ 0%</span>         | 61%                           | 53%                     | \$1,255,000 <span>↑ 5%</span>         |
| Queen Anne & Magnolia       | 165 <span>↑ 4%</span>           | \$666 <span>↔ 0%</span>         | 54%                           | 51%                     | \$1,380,000 <span>↓ -8%</span>        |
| Ballard & Green Lake        | 507 <span>↓ -4%</span>          | \$571 <span>↓ -5%</span>        | 54%                           | 51%                     | \$1,000,000 <span>↓ -2%</span>        |
| North Seattle               | 323 <span>↓ -1%</span>          | \$627 <span>↑ 5%</span>         | 66%                           | 61%                     | \$1,108,000 <span>↓ -4%</span>        |
| Richmond Beach & Shoreline  | 101 <span>↑ 4%</span>           | \$540 <span>↑ 6%</span>         | 67%                           | 64%                     | \$850,000 <span>↓ -7%</span>          |
| Lake Forest Park & Kenmore  | 107 <span>↑ 29%</span>          | \$459 <span>↓ -4%</span>        | 65%                           | 62%                     | \$920,000 <span>↑ 1%</span>           |
| <b>ALL SEATTLE</b>          | <b>2,014 <span>↓ -1%</span></b> | <b>\$583 <span>↓ -1%</span></b> | <b>67%</b>                    | <b>59%</b>              | <b>\$1,000,000 <span>↓ -2%</span></b> |

Percent changes are year-over-year

## LISTINGS VS. SALES

Q2 2024 - Q2 2026



**Q2 2026**

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seattle sales  
prices fell

**-2%**

YEAR-OVER-YEAR

to a median of  
**\$1,000,000**

**59%** OF HOMES  
**SOLD IN THE FIRST  
10 DAYS ON MARKET**

THERE WERE

**3,427**

new listings,  
similar to Q2  
of 2025

on average,  
homes  
sold  
for



# Q2 2026

market review

New listings hit a record high of 3,427 last quarter (or at least the 6 year high) up 0.4% YOY and sales tracked very closely behind, down just 0.6% from 2,027 in Q2 2025 to 2,014 in Q2 2026. Median home prices responded by ticking down the tiniest bit, 2% or \$20,000, encouraging despite the loss.

There are several bright spots on the Westside. The area South of Seattle posted a 20% gain in total sales along with a 1% rise in median price and was promptly shown up by Lake Forest Park at a 29% increase in sales also with a 1% median price lift. Capitol Hill showed the largest gain in median price at 5% (a \$55,000 boost YOY). It's nice to have a few neighborhoods to "shout out" in a YOY landscape that is relatively flat. In this case that is flat read: stable and predictable. A reprieve from the world around us.

This stability feels really comforting in a market full of questions: "Will my home sell? How will home shoppers respond to the price? Will they like the color of the countertops we chose?" 59% of homes sold in the first 10 days and a whopping 67% of homes sold at or above list price. If you're thinking about making a move now is a good time. Fairly balanced for both home buyers and sellers. If you detest risk, bidding wars, and lack of good options then it's a great time to dive into the market.



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The image displays three overlapping screenshots of the Windermere Real Estate website. The leftmost screenshot shows a 'Neighborhood and Property Research' sidebar with links to various maps and reports. The middle screenshot shows a 'Real Estate Mastery' article titled 'The Science of Selling' with sections on Prep Work, Price, Negotiation, Purchase and Sale Agreement, and Inspection. The rightmost screenshot shows a 'SEATTLE' page with neighborhood profiles for Belltown & Downtown and Central Seattle, each with a map and description.

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