# **Monthly Indicators**

Carroll, Stark, and Trumbull counties



### February 2023

In its continued effort to curb inflation, the Federal Reserve raised its benchmark interest rate in February by a quarter-percentage point to 4.50% - 4.75%, its 8th rate hike since March of last year, when the interest rate was nearly zero. Mortgage interest rates have dipped slightly from their peak last fall, leading pending sales to increase 8.1% month-to-month as of last measure, but affordability constraints continue to limit homebuyer activity overall, with existing-home sales declining for the twelfth consecutive month, according to the National Association of Realtors® (NAR).

New Listings decreased 8.9 percent for Single Family homes and 4.0 percent for Townhouse/Condo homes. Pending Sales decreased 5.0 percent for Single Family homes and 24.3 percent for Townhouse/Condo homes. Inventory increased 1.9 percent for Single Family homes and 5.7 percent for Townhouse/Condo homes.

Median Sales Price increased 4.2 percent to \$161,500 for Single Family homes and 13.5 percent to \$194,000 for Townhouse/Condo homes. Days on Market increased 23.1 percent for Single Family homes and 79.3 percent for Townhouse/Condo homes. Months Supply of Inventory increased 25.0 percent for Single Family homes and 20.0 percent for Townhouse/Condo homes.

With buyer demand down from peak levels, home price growth has continued to slow nationwide, although prices remain up from a year ago. Sellers have been increasingly cutting prices and offering sales incentives in an attempt to attract buyers, who have continued to struggle with affordability challenges this winter. The slight decline in mortgage rates earlier this year convinced some buyers to come off the sidelines, but with rates ticking up again in recent weeks, buyers are once again pulling back, causing sales activity to remain down heading into spring.

### **Quick Facts**

+ 2.7%	+ 2.2%
Change in	Change in
Median Sales Price	Homes for Sale
All Properties	All Properties
	Change in Median Sales Price

Residential activity in Carroll, Stark, and Trumbull counties composed of single family and townhouse/condo properties. Percent changes are calculated using rounded figures.

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## **Single Family Market Overview**

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



Key Metrics	Historical Sparkbars	2-2022	2-2023	% Change	YTD 2022	YTD 2023	% Change
New Listings	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	505	460	- 8.9%	960	888	- 7.5%
Pending Sales	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	480	456	- 5.0%	955	870	- 8.9%
Closed Sales	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	435	335	- 23.0%	893	663	- 25.8%
Days on Market Until Sale	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	39	48	+ 23.1%	39	45	+ 15.4%
Median Sales Price	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	\$155,000	\$161,500	+ 4.2%	\$150,000	\$160,000	+ 6.7%
Average Sales Price	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	\$181,994	\$188,782	+ 3.7%	\$177,820	\$182,980	+ 2.9%
Percent of List Price Received	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	98.7%	96.9%	- 1.8%	98.7%	97.1%	- 1.6%
Housing Affordability Index	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	229	172	- 24.9%	237	173	- 27.0%
Inventory of Homes for Sale	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	521	531	+ 1.9%	_		_
Months Supply of Inventory	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	0.8	1.0	+ 25.0%		_	_

### **Townhouse/Condo Market Overview**

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

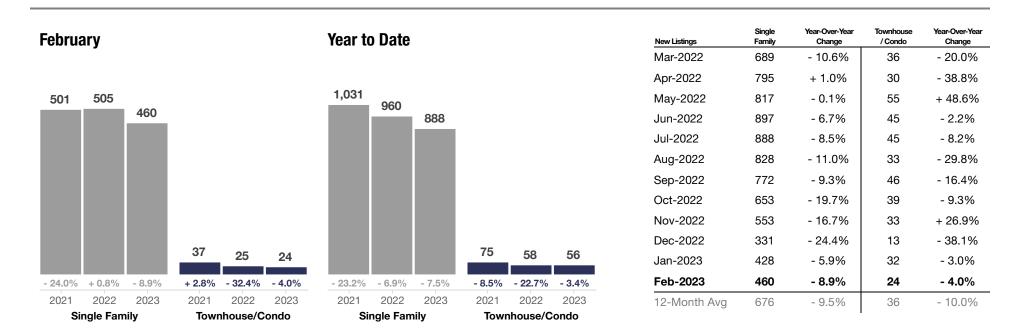


Key Metrics	Historical Sparkbars	2-2022	2-2023	% Change	YTD 2022	YTD 2023	% Change
New Listings	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	25	24	- 4.0%	58	56	- 3.4%
Pending Sales	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	37	28	- 24.3%	56	56	0.0%
Closed Sales	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	25	21	- 16.0%	42	47	+ 11.9%
Days on Market Until Sale	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	29	52	+ 79.3%	36	61	+ 69.4%
Median Sales Price	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	\$171,000	\$194,000	+ 13.5%	\$182,038	\$209,900	+ 15.3%
Average Sales Price	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	\$177,647	\$194,771	+ 9.6%	\$180,591	\$222,167	+ 23.0%
Percent of List Price Received	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	100.0%	98.3%	- 1.7%	99.6%	99.5%	- 0.1%
Housing Affordability Index	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	207	143	- 30.9%	195	132	- 32.3%
Inventory of Homes for Sale	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	35	37	+ 5.7%			_
Months Supply of Inventory	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	1.0	1.2	+ 20.0%	_	_	_

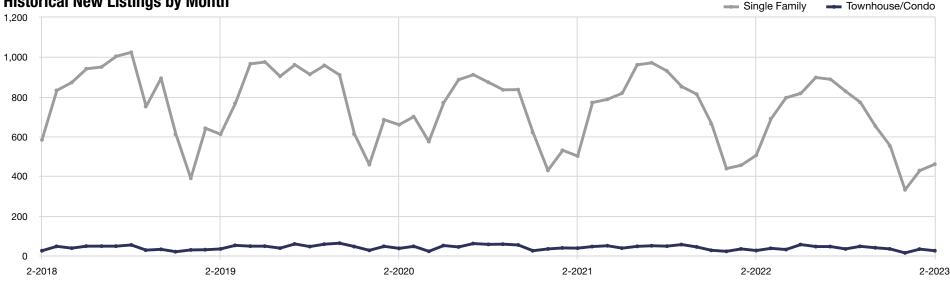
### **New Listings**

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





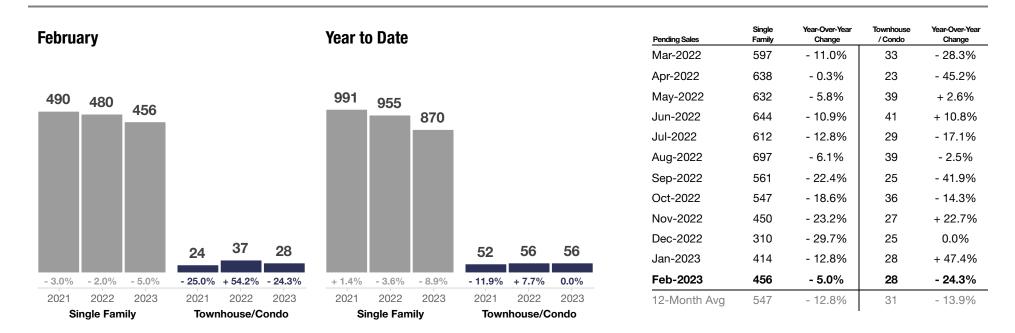
#### Historical New Listings by Month

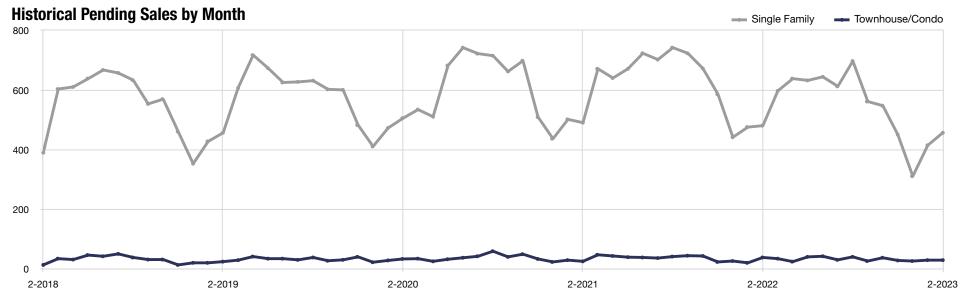


### **Pending Sales**

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





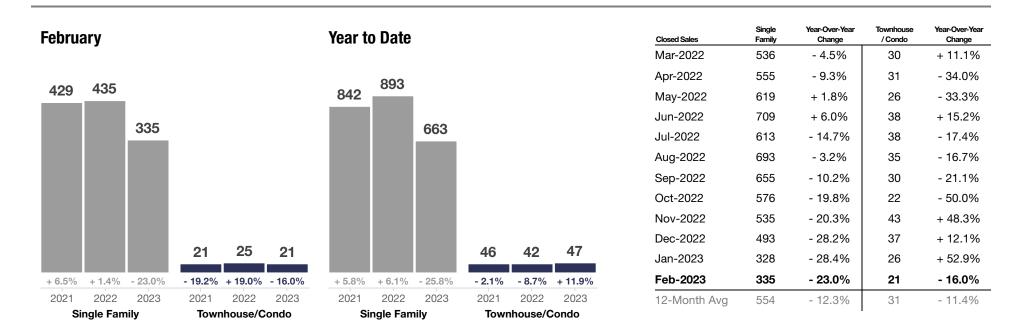


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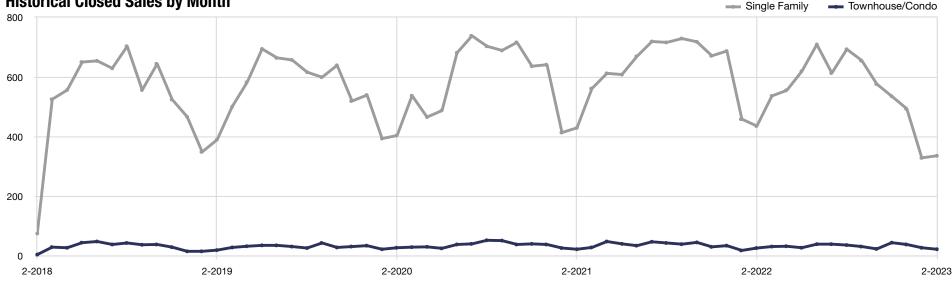
### **Closed Sales**

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





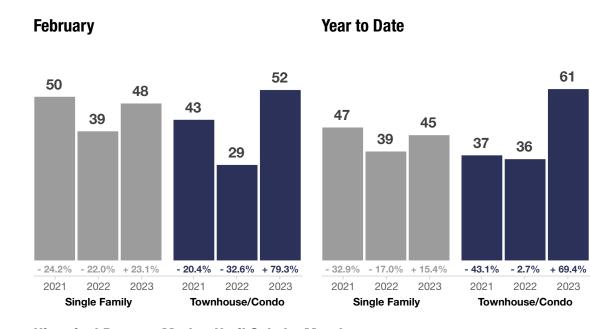
#### **Historical Closed Sales by Month**



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

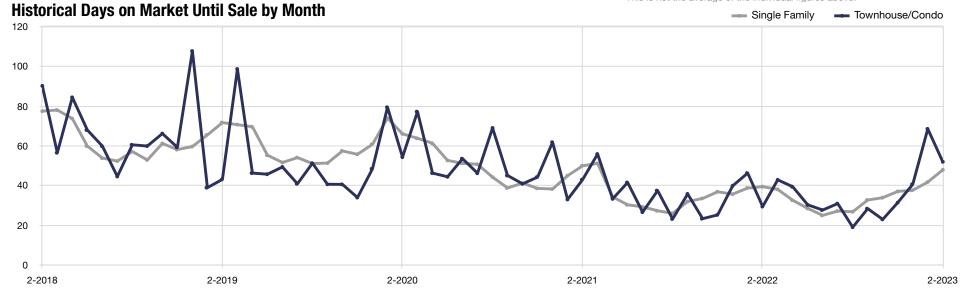
Average number of days between when a property is listed and when an offer is accepted in a given month.





Days on Market	Single Family	Year-Over-Year Change	Townhouse / Condo	Year-Over-Year Change
Mar-2022	38	- 25.5%	43	- 23.2%
Apr-2022	32	- 5.9%	39	+ 18.2%
May-2022	28	- 6.7%	30	- 26.8%
Jun-2022	25	- 13.8%	27	+ 3.8%
Jul-2022	27	0.0%	31	- 16.2%
Aug-2022	27	+ 3.8%	19	- 17.4%
Sep-2022	32	0.0%	28	- 22.2%
Oct-2022	34	+ 3.0%	23	0.0%
Nov-2022	37	0.0%	31	+ 24.0%
Dec-2022	37	+ 5.7%	40	0.0%
Jan-2023	42	+ 7.7%	68	+ 47.8%
Feb-2023	48	+ 23.1%	52	+ 79.3%
12-Month Avg*	33	- 3.3%	35	+ 4.0%

\* Days on Market for all properties from March 2022 through February 2023. This is not the average of the individual figures above.



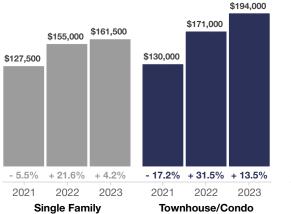
### **Median Sales Price**

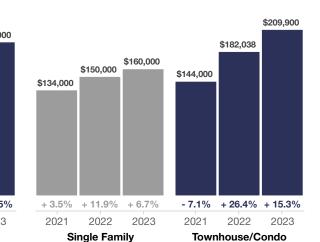
Point at which half of the sales sold for more and half sold for less, not accounting for seller concessions, in a given month.



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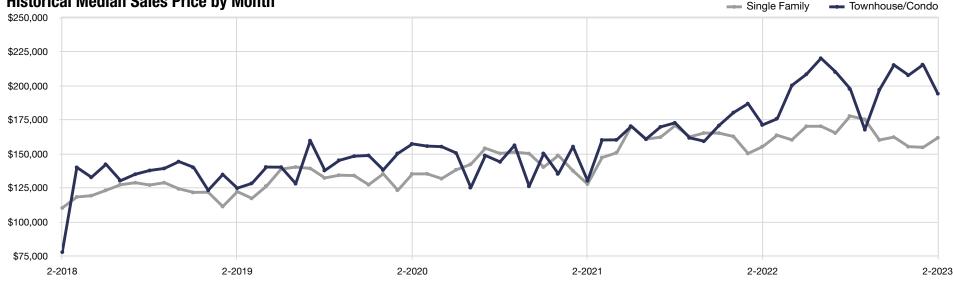






Median Sales Price	Single Family	Year-Over-Year Change	Townhouse / Condo	Year-Over-Year Change
Mar-2022	\$163,350	+ 11.1%	\$175,500	+ 9.8%
Apr-2022	\$160,000	+ 6.3%	\$200,000	+ 25.0%
May-2022	\$169,950	- 0.0%	\$208,200	+ 22.5%
Jun-2022	\$170,000	+ 5.9%	\$219,950	+ 37.0%
Jul-2022	\$165,000	+ 1.9%	\$209,900	+ 23.8%
Aug-2022	\$177,500	+ 4.1%	\$197,500	+ 14.5%
Sep-2022	\$175,000	+ 7.9%	\$167,500	+ 3.7%
Oct-2022	\$159,900	- 3.1%	\$196,750	+ 23.7%
Nov-2022	\$162,000	- 1.8%	\$215,000	+ 26.1%
Dec-2022	\$155,000	- 4.6%	\$207,500	+ 15.3%
Jan-2023	\$154,500	+ 3.0%	\$215,250	+ 15.3%
Feb-2023	\$161,500	+ 4.2%	\$194,000	+ 13.5%
12-Month Avg*	\$165,000	+ 3.1%	\$204,950	+ 21.8%

\* Median Sales Price for all properties from March 2022 through February 2023. This is not the average of the individual figures above.



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

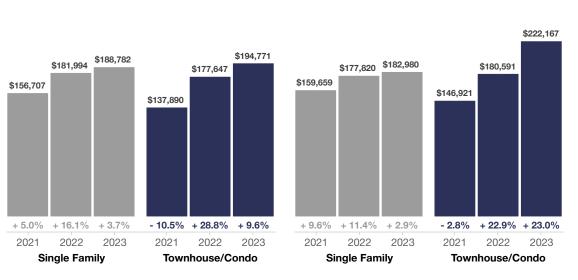
### **Average Sales Price**

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



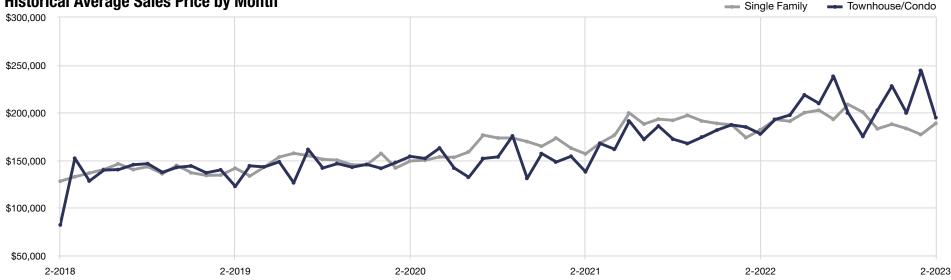
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#### Year to Date



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Avg. Sales Price	Single Family	Year-Over-Year Change	Townhouse / Condo	Year-Over-Year Change
Mar-2022	\$192,670	+ 14.6%	\$192,881	+ 15.1%
Apr-2022	\$191,028	+ 8.3%	\$197,436	+ 22.2%
May-2022	\$199,981	+ 0.2%	\$218,596	+ 14.4%
Jun-2022	\$202,515	+ 7.7%	\$209,661	+ 22.0%
Jul-2022	\$192,980	- 0.1%	\$238,089	+ 28.0%
Aug-2022	\$208,629	+ 8.7%	\$199,655	+ 16.0%
Sep-2022	\$200,515	+ 1.7%	\$175,044	+ 4.5%
Oct-2022	\$183,031	- 4.3%	\$202,384	+ 16.1%
Nov-2022	\$187,853	- 0.4%	\$227,906	+ 25.5%
Dec-2022	\$183,334	- 2.1%	\$199,690	+ 6.7%
Jan-2023	\$177,016	+ 1.9%	\$244,295	+ 32.1%
Feb-2023	\$188,782	+ 3.7%	\$194,771	+ 9.6%
12-Month Avg*	\$193,822	+ 3.4%	\$209,336	+ 18.7%

\* Avg. Sales Price for all properties from March 2022 through February 2023. This is not the average of the individual figures above.

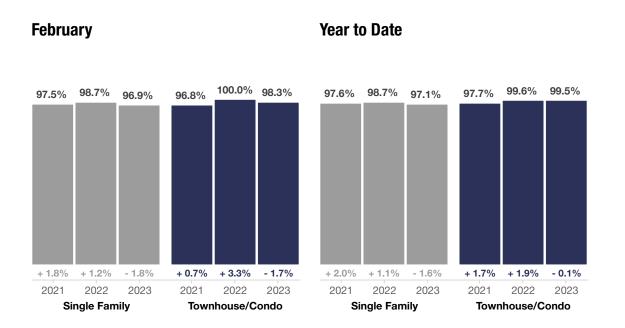


#### **Historical Average Sales Price by Month**

### **Percent of List Price Received**

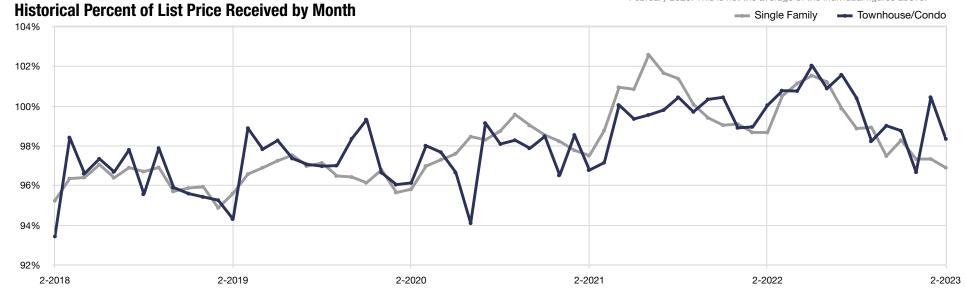
Percentage found when dividing a property's sales price by its most recent list price, then taking the average for all properties sold in a given month, not accounting for seller concessions.





Pct. of List Price Received	Single Family	Year-Over-Year Change	Townhouse / Condo	Year-Over-Year Change
Mar-2022	100.5%	+ 1.7%	100.8%	+ 3.8%
Apr-2022	101.1%	+ 0.2%	100.7%	+ 0.7%
May-2022	101.5%	+ 0.7%	102.0%	+ 2.7%
Jun-2022	101.2%	- 1.4%	100.9%	+ 1.4%
Jul-2022	99.9%	- 1.7%	101.6%	+ 1.8%
Aug-2022	98.9%	- 2.5%	100.4%	0.0%
Sep-2022	98.9%	- 1.2%	98.2%	- 1.5%
Oct-2022	97.5%	- 1.9%	99.0%	- 1.3%
Nov-2022	98.3%	- 0.7%	98.7%	- 1.7%
Dec-2022	97.3%	- 1.8%	96.7%	- 2.2%
Jan-2023	97.3%	- 1.4%	100.4%	+ 1.5%
Feb-2023	96.9%	- 1.8%	98.3%	- 1.7%
12-Month Avg*	99.3%	- 0.9%	99.8%	+ 0.1%

\* Pct. of List Price Received for all properties from March 2022 through February 2023. This is not the average of the individual figures above.

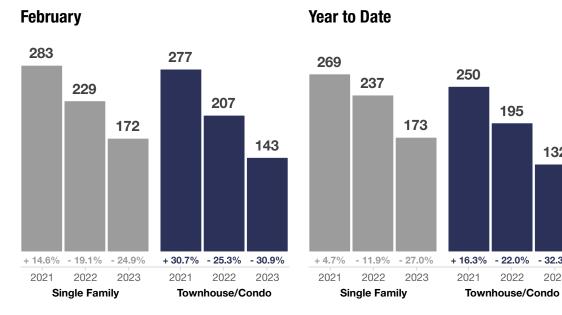


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# **Housing Affordability Index**

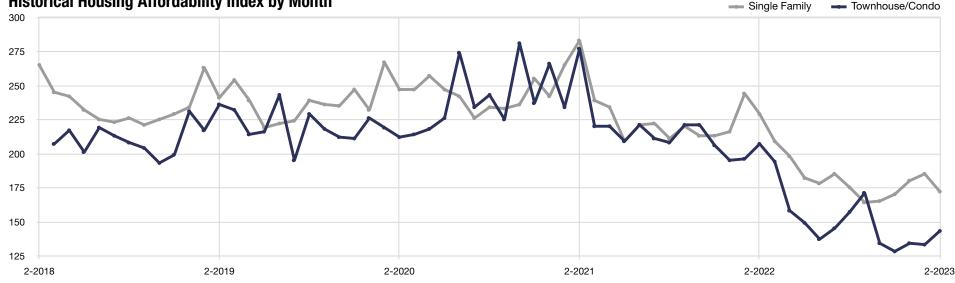
This index measures housing affordability for the region. For example, an index of 120 means the median household income is 120% of what is necessary to qualify for the median-priced home under prevailing interest rates. A higher number means greater affordability.





Affordability Index	Single Family	Year-Over-Year Change	Townhouse / Condo	Year-Over-Year Change
Mar-2022	209	- 12.6%	194	- 11.8%
Apr-2022	198	- 15.4%	158	- 28.2%
May-2022	182	- 12.9%	149	- 28.7%
Jun-2022	178	- 19.5%	137	- 38.0%
Jul-2022	185	- 16.7%	145	- 31.3%
Aug-2022	175	- 17.1%	157	- 24.5%
Sep-2022	164	- 25.5%	171	- 22.6%
Oct-2022	165	- 22.5%	134	- 39.4%
Nov-2022	170	- 20.2%	128	- 37.9%
Dec-2022	180	- 16.7%	134	- 31.3%
Jan-2023	185	- 24.2%	133	- 32.1%
Feb-2023	172	- 24.9%	143	- 30.9%
12-Month Avg	180	- 19.3%	149	- 29.4%

#### **Historical Housing Affordability Index by Month**



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- 22.0%

2022

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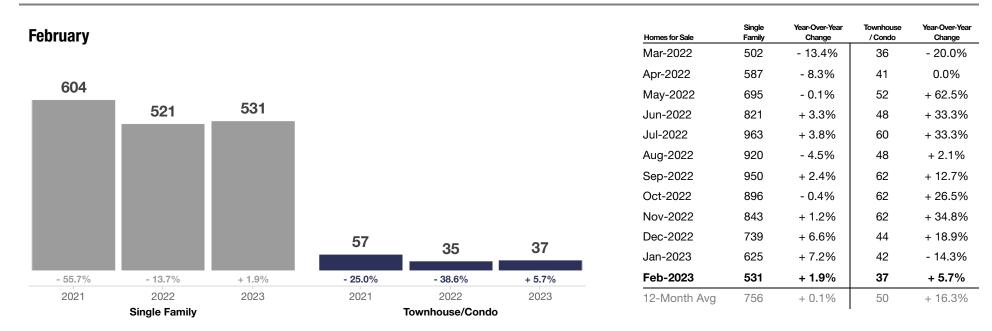
- 32.3%

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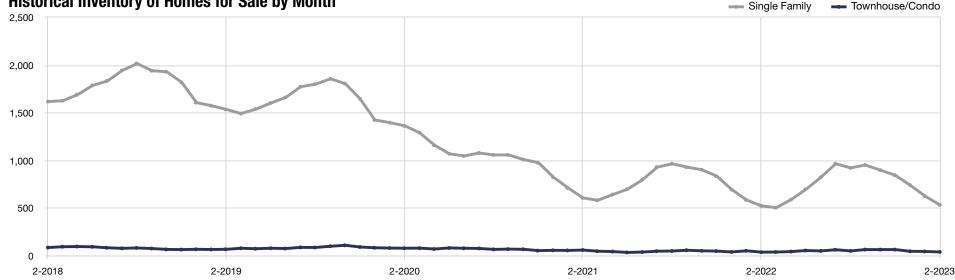
### **Inventory of Homes for Sale**

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





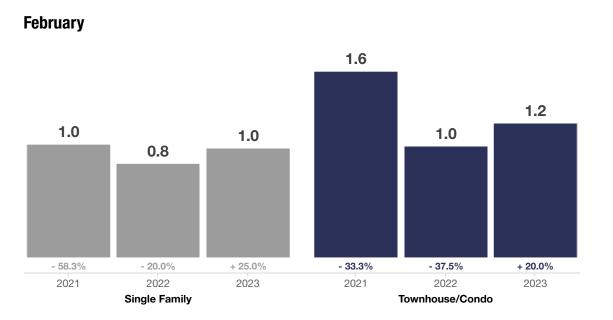
#### Historical Inventory of Homes for Sale by Month



## **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.





Months Supply	Single Family	Year-Over-Year Change	Townhouse / Condo	Year-Over-Year Change
Mar-2022	0.8	- 11.1%	1.0	- 23.1%
Apr-2022	0.9	- 10.0%	1.2	+ 9.1%
May-2022	1.1	0.0%	1.6	+ 100.0%
Jun-2022	1.3	0.0%	1.4	+ 55.6%
Jul-2022	1.6	+ 6.7%	1.8	+ 50.0%
Aug-2022	1.5	- 6.3%	1.5	+ 15.4%
Sep-2022	1.6	+ 6.7%	2.0	+ 33.3%
Oct-2022	1.6	+ 14.3%	2.0	+ 42.9%
Nov-2022	1.5	+ 15.4%	2.0	+ 53.8%
Dec-2022	1.3	+ 18.2%	1.4	+ 27.3%
Jan-2023	1.1	+ 22.2%	1.3	- 7.1%
Feb-2023	1.0	+ 25.0%	1.2	+ 20.0%
12-Month Avg*	1.3	+ 6.4%	1.5	+ 29.4%

\* Months Supply for all properties from March 2022 through February 2023. This is not the average of the individual figures above.



#### Historical Months Supply of Inventory by Month

### **All Residential Properties Market Overview**

Key metrics by report month and for year-to-date (YTD) starting from the first of the year. Includes single family and townhouse/condo properties combined.



Key Metrics	Historical Sparkbars	2-2022	2-2023	% Change	YTD 2022	YTD 2023	% Change
New Listings	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	530	484	- 8.7%	1,018	944	- 7.3%
Pending Sales	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	517	484	- 6.4%	1,011	926	- 8.4%
Closed Sales	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	460	356	- 22.6%	935	710	- 24.1%
Days on Market Until Sale	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	39	48	+ 23.1%	39	46	+ 17.9%
Median Sales Price	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	\$158,750	\$163,000	+ 2.7%	\$153,700	\$163,000	+ 6.1%
Average Sales Price	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	\$181,751	\$189,141	+ 4.1%	\$177,949	\$185,619	+ 4.3%
Percent of List Price Received	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	98.7%	97.0%	- 1.7%	98.7%	97.3%	- 1.4%
Housing Affordability Index	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	224	170	- 24.1%	231	170	- 26.4%
Inventory of Homes for Sale	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	556	568	+ 2.2%			_
Months Supply of Inventory	2-2021 8-2021 2-2022 8-2022 2-2023	0.8	1.0	+ 25.0%	_	_	_