

#### **PUBLISHED JULY 2021**

a quarterly report on single family residential real estate activity



## **COMMUNITY SNAPSHOT**

community	# sold	avg. \$ per sq ft	% sold at or above list price	median sale price	five-year price trend
Eastside South (S of I-90)	311 1 50%	\$537 1 41%	90% 1 48%	\$1,450,000 1 45%	<b>1</b> 32%
Mercer Island	101 🕠 60%	\$777 🕡 45%	90% 🕠 72%	\$2,175,000 📦 36%	<b>1</b> 30%
West Bellevue (W of 405)	116 107%	\$1,000 📦 24%	80% 136%	\$2,826,250	<b>1</b> 36%
East Bellevue (E of 405)	239	\$624 🕥 32%	92% 🕥 32%	\$1,300,000 📦 30%	<b>1</b> 42%
East of Lake Sammamish	742 🕥 66%	\$479 🕠 30%	95% 🕥 34%	\$1,250,000 📦 39%	<b>1</b> 31%
Redmond	246 🕥 85%	\$510	91% 🕠 43%	\$1,285,000 1 48%	<b>1</b> 29%
Kirkland	256 🕥 91%	\$699 🕡 28%	90% 🕥 36%	\$1,815,000 📦 48%	<b>1</b> 59%
Woodinville	617 1 61%	\$477 🕥 31%	96% 1 48%	\$1,050,000 1 28%	<b>1</b> 35%
ALL EASTSIDE	2,629 () 67%	\$567 📦 34%	93% () 42%	\$1,320,355 () 38%	<b>()</b> 36%

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

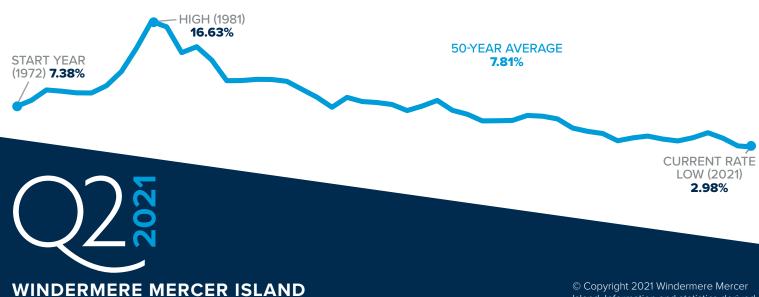
### **QUARTERLY TREND**

quarter	# sold	avg. \$ per sq ft	% sold at or above list price	median sale price	avg. days to sell
Q2 2021	2,629 🕜 86%	\$567	93% 🕥 9%	\$1,320,355	8
Q1 2021	1,413 🔱 -37%	\$519	85% 15%	\$1,300,000	21
Q4 2020	2,257 🔱 -8%	\$491 10%	74% 10%	\$1,083,000 6%	23
Q3 2020	2,448 🕠 56%	\$444	67%	\$1,025,100	25
Q2 2020	1,570 📦 39%	\$423 🔱 -1%	65% 1%	\$958,000 🔱 -3%	24

Percent changes are quarter-over-quarter

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### HISTORIC INTEREST RATES





**to a median of** \$1,320,355

93% OF OHOMES SOLD AT OR ABOVE THEIR LIST PRICE

THERE WERE
70%

fewer homes
for sale than
in Q2 2020



# Q22021 market review

Buyers found no relief as our region's extreme sellers' market continued skyward. The Eastside's *Median Sale Price* was \$1,320,355 in Q2, up a whopping 38% over Q2 2020 (\$958,000). Buyer demand outpacing the supply of homes for sale was the biggest factor fueling this increase. Redmond, (+48%), Kirkland (+48%), and South Eastside (+45%) saw the largest gains, while West Bellevue (+7%) had the smallest year-over-year increase.

93% of all Eastside homes, and 68% of homes priced above one million dollars, sold for at or above their list price. With 70% fewer homes for sale than in Q2 2020, the entire Eastside market remained ultra-competitive. The average of all homes sold was 9% above list price and homes sold within the first ten days went for an average of 13% above list price.

The Eastside market saw Months of Inventory (the number of months it would take to sell all homes currently for sale) remain at historical lows of between 0.3 and 0.4 months. Many Eastside communities have had only a handful of homes for sale at any one time.

As we move into the summer, buyer fatigue, coupled with COVID reopening of recreation and vacation opportunities, may provide much needed dampening of buyer demand. Our market desperately needs more balance between buyers and sellers in the market.



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