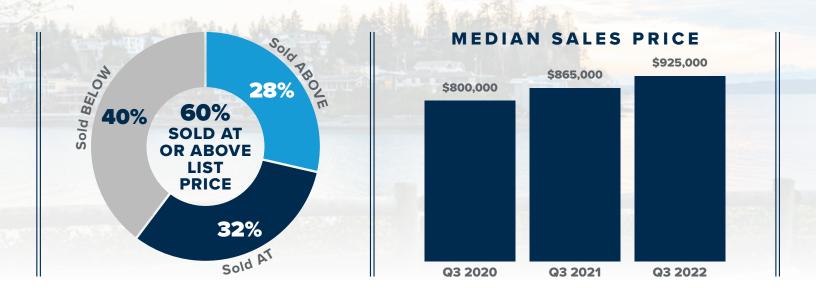




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#### **NEIGHBORHOOD SNAPSHOT**

community	# sold	avg. \$ per sq ft	% sold at or above list price	% sold in first 10 days	median sale price (in thousands)
West Seattle	351 🔱 -40%	\$492 1 5%	63%	52%	\$825 10%
South Seattle	219 🔱 -38%	\$464 1%	68%	54%	\$749 1%
Madison Park & Capitol Hill	230 🔱 -41%	\$663	57%	55%	\$1,158 17%
Queen Anne & Magnolia	176 🔱 -38%	\$655 🕠 6%	54%	55%	\$1,338
Ballard & Green Lake	713 🔱 -21%	\$619 15%	60%	60%	\$1,025 14%
North Seattle	341 🔱 -27%	\$560 1 4%	58%	56%	\$990 🕠 3%
Richmond Beach & Shoreline	107 🔱 -34%	\$499 12%	63%	60%	\$880 10%
Lake Forest Park & Kenmore	111 🔱 -24%	\$443 🔱 -2%	62%	52%	\$835 🔱 -1%
ALL SEATTLE	2,067 🔱 -35%	\$551 () 4%	60%	56%	\$925 17%

Percent changes are year-over-year





\$925,000

60% OF HOMES SOLD AT OR ABOVE THEIR LIST PRICE

THERE WERE
10%

fewer new
listings than in
Q3 last year



# 32022 market review

There is a lot of good news in Seattle these days: Progress is being made in taking back downtown, the West Seattle Bridge is open AND real estate prices are UP year over year.

Transaction volume is down 35% across the city, which we can likely attribute to the volatility in interest rates, but listing volume is also down 10%. This is comforting! Supply and demand rules the market, and the last thing this balancing market needs is more inventory. We think this drop in seller enthusiasm is likely caused by the golden handcuffs of their historically low interest rates and refinance boom: even if your home isn't meeting your needs these days, that 2.75% interest rate might be hard to give up.

Seattle's average list/sold price ratio is 97%. This means if you listed your home for \$1,000,000 you could expect to sell for \$970,000 in Q3 of this year. Compare this with 82% on the Eastside. Seattle home sellers are more realistic and less affected by the price bloat of the last several years. We didn't boom as hard, and we may not feel the impacts of a market balance as sharply either.



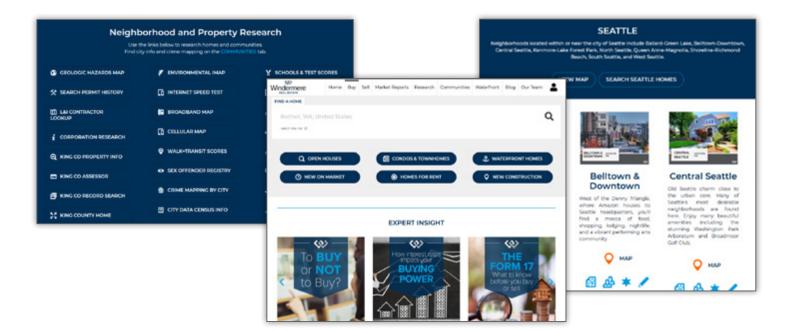
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