

#### Focus On: Reading Housing Market

March 2021

Zip Code(s): 19601, 19604, 19611, 19602 and 19603



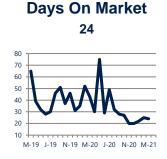
**Units Sold** 

63

250
200
150
100
M-19 J-19 N-19 M-20 J-20 N-20 M-21

**Active Inventory** 

## Median Sale Price \$96,000

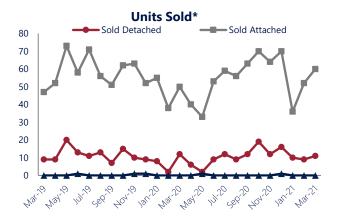


**Up 15%** Vs. Year Ago

Down -52% Vs. Year Ago

Up 33% Vs. Year Ago

Down -44% Vs. Year Ago

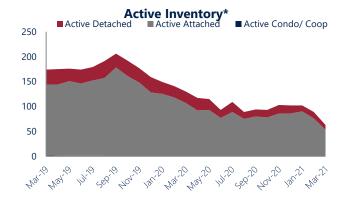


#### **Units Sold**

There was an increase in total units sold in March, with 71 sold this month in Reading versus 61 last month, an increase of 16%. This month's total units sold was higher than at this time last year, an increase of 15% versus March 2020.

#### **Active Inventory**

Versus last year, the total number of homes available this month is lower by 67 units or 52%. The total number of active inventory this March was 63 compared to 130 in March 2020. This month's total of 63 is lower than the previous month's total supply of available inventory of 89, a decrease of 29%.





#### **Median Sale Price**

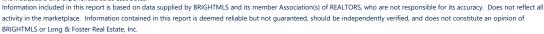
Last March, the median sale price for Reading Homes was \$72,000. This March, the median sale price was \$96,000, an increase of \$24,000 compared to last year. The current median sold price is lower than in February.

Median sale price is the middle sale price in a given month. The same number of properties are above & below the median.



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#### New Listings

130 110 90 70 50 30

> **Up 36%** Vs. Year Ago

M-19 J-19 N-19 M-20 J-20 N-20 M-21

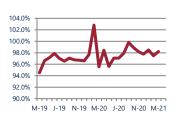
### Current Contracts 98

90 70 50 30 M-19 J-19 N-19 M-20 J-20 N-20 M-21

> **Up 88%** Vs. Year Ago

#### Sold Vs. List Price

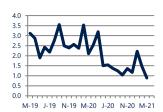
98.2%



Up 2.8% Vs. Year Ago

#### **Months of Supply**

0.9



**Down -58%** Vs. Year Ago

#### **Months Of Supply**



#### **New Listings & Current Contracts**

This month there were 90 homes newly listed for sale in Reading compared to 66 in March 2020, an increase of 36%. There were 98 current contracts pending sale this March compared to 52 a year ago. The number of current contracts is 88% higher than last

#### **Months of Supply**

In March, there was 0.9 months of supply available in Reading, compared to 2.1 in March 2020. That is a decrease of 58% versus a year ago.

Months of supply is calculated by dividing current inventory by current sales. It indicates how many months would be needed to sell all of the inventory available at the current rate of demand.

# New Listings & Current Contracts Number of New Listings Total Pending Total Pending Total Pending Total Pending



#### Sale Price to List Price Ratio

In March, the average sale price in Reading was 98.2% of the average list price, which is 2.6% higher than at this time last year.

#### **Days On Market**

This month, the average number of days on market was 24, lower than the average last year, which was 43, a decrease of 44%.



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