## Seattle

Q1 JANUARY-MARCH 2020

Seattle experienced economic uncertainty in late March as the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic began to take hold, but the numbers reflected in the real estate market's first quarter was overwhelmingly positive before the coronavirus was a known threat. In early 2020, homes moved quickly in Seattle-over 1,200 homes were sold, up 14 percent from this time last year. Home sellers were entering a prosperous market, as the median sales price was up 3.4 percent year-over-year, a relief for sellers sitting on the bench after the median home price slid in 2019.

## INTEREST RATES

30-year fixed rate for conventional mortgage loan


## AVERAGE PRICE

 PER SQ. FT.Q1-2020 vs. Q1-2019
$\uparrow(2.85 \%)$

## S468

HOME SOLD
Q1-2020 vs. Q1-2019 $\uparrow(13.96 \%)$


\$785K
MEDIAN SALES PRICE
Single-Family Homes Q1-2020


AVERAGE DAYS ON MARKET
Q1 2018-2020


47
2019


36
2020

## STATE OF THE MARKET

1.1 months of inventory
(Based on Q1-2020 housing inventory. Seller's Market $=0$ to 3 months inventory, Neutral Market $=3$ to 6 months inventory, Buyer's Market $=6+$ months inventory.)


