## Realogics

## Sotheby's

INTERNATIONAL REALTY

## SEATTLE CONDOMINIUMS

# QUARTERLY MARKET UPDATE 

Q4 OCTOBER-DECEMBER 2018

After a record-high inventory of 2.7 months for Seattle condos in the third quarter of 2018, inventory sank slightly to 2.2 months in the final quarter of 2018, a figure that drastically rose compared to the fourth quarter of 2017, when there was just 0.2 months of inventory. It comes as no surprise that a sustained influx of inventory is contributing to longer market times, which more than doubled from Q4-2017 (at 16 days) to Q4-2018 (at 36).

As is the case in the Seattle single-family market, the rise in inventory is not negatively impacting the median sales price or average price per square foot of Seattle condos. The median sales price grew by 8.4 percent from the fourth quarter of 2017 to the fourth quarter of 2018, at $\$ 441,000$ and $\$ 478,000$, respectively. The average price per square foot grew at a slightly lesser pace of 5.8 percent, from $\$ 549$ in Q4-2017 to $\$ 581$ in Q4-2018.

|  |  | 4.38\% | INTEREST RATES |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $4.10 \%$ | 30-year fixed rate |
|  |  | 3.65\% | mortgage loan |
| -2018 | -2017 |  |  |



AVERAGE PRICE PER SQ FT
Q4-2018 vs. 2017
$\uparrow(5.8 \%)$

## \$478K

MEDIAN SALES PRICE
Q4-2018


MEDIAN SALES PRICE
Q4 2016-2018


2018


16
2017


32
2016

## AVERAGE DAYS ON MARKET <br> Q4 2018-2016



## STATE OF THE MARKET

2.2 months of inventory
(Based on Q4 housing inventory.
Seller's Market $=0$ to 3 months inventory, Balanced Market $=3$ to 6 months inventory, Buyer's Market $=6+$ months inventory.)

